US History
Crash Course Extra Credit
Taxes & Smuggling-Prelude to a Revolution

1. What two things did the Treaty of Paris that ended the Seven Years War leave the colonists with?

2. What two things does Green say the revolution were not about?

3. Why did the colonists oppose Parliamentary taxation?

4. What did colonists do to avoid taxes?

5. What was the real intent of the Sugar Act?

6. What was the most upsetting of the acts (passed in 1765)? Explain what the act did to the colonists.

7. What three things did the Committees of Correspondence do in each colony?

8. What was the name of the group of women who wanted boycotting colonists to rely upon homespun production?

9. The Boston Massacre was not really a massacre but was started by the colonists of Boston who were doing what to the British soldiers?

10. Why were the colonists mad about the Tea Act of 1773 even though it reduced the cost of tea?

11. Explain the basic idea of each of the Intolerable Acts passed by Parliament as a response to the Boston Tea Party:
   a. The Massachusetts Government Act
   b. The Quartering Act
   c. The Quebec Act

12. What three things did the colonies do in response to the Intolerable Acts?
13. List two the primary philosophical arguments made by the 1st Continental Congress?

14. What did Charles Inglis, author of the Mystery Document argue about colonial independence?

15. The Continental Congress sent what to the King prior to ever sending any Declaration of Independence?

16. The popular document written by Thomas Paine which was hugely popular at the time was called what?