ANE Chapter 6 – Reading Guide

1. How did Benjamin Franklin help the Patriot cause?
   1. **Treaty of Alliance (France)**
2. What two actions were taken by the First Continental Congress?
   1. **Nonimportation, Declaration of Rights & Grievances**
3. What was the role of the Committees of Observation?
4. What was happening in the 6 months leading up to Lexington & Concord?
5. How did the people of Nova Scotia, the British West Indies and Native Americans decide what to side to take as the conflict between the British & the colonists escalated?
6. What groups of colonists were likely to:
   1. Support the Patriot cause?
   2. Support the Loyalist cause
   3. Remain neutral?
7. How did the British try to entice African Americans to support their cause?
8. Describe the fighting during 1775-1776
   1. **Lexington & Concord, Bunker Hill, Second Continental Congress, George Washington, Fort Ticonderoga, British evacuation of Boston, Common Sense, Thomas Paine**
9. What is the long-term significance of the Declaration of Independence?
10. What is the significance of Washington’s attack at Trenton?
    1. **Hessians**
11. What was the most important outcome of the Battle of Saratoga?
    1. **Franco-American Alliance of 1778**
12. Describe life for the soldiers & the role of women
13. How did life change for families during the Revolution?
14. What factors combined to lead to the success of the Patriots? (brief, general summary – don’t worry about details)
15. Describe the British surrender at Yorktown and the cost of the war
    1. **Newburgh Conspiracy**
16. What were the terms of the Treaty of Paris, 1783?
    1. **Ben Franklin, John Adams, John Jay**