

Learning Goals and Scales  
2015-2016

**Rigorous Learning Goal/Scale**

<b>Course:</b>	<b>UNITED STATES HISTORY I UNIT: <i>The Revolutionary War</i></b>
<b>Score 4</b>  Additional Success with the complex content and concepts—inferences, novel applications	<b>In addition to score 3.0 performance, the student demonstrates in-depth inferences and applications that go beyond what was taught.</b>  <i>Students will make an inference beyond what was explicitly taught. Students apply learned content</i>  <b>Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 4 content</b>
<b>Score 3</b>  Mastery of complex content and concepts of learning goal	<b>TARGET LEARNING GOAL: Explain how and why the Patriots won the Revolutionary War.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analyze historical events that allowed for an American victory</li> <li>• Assess the major battles of the Revolutionary War</li> <li>• Evaluate primary source documents that led to Independence</li> <li>• Predict how new ideas and concepts of the era will effect future events in American History</li> </ul> <b>Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 3 content</b>
<b>Score 2</b>  Success with simpler content—vocabulary, foundational skills	<b>The student will recognize or recall specific vocabulary or basic content, such as:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Define key terms (Declaration of Independence, Trenton, Saratoga, Yorktown, Treaty of Paris, etc...)</li> <li>• Identify key figures (John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, George Washington, William Howe, John Burgoyne, Lord Cornwallis)</li> <li>• The student will perform basic skills or process, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Label geographic locations</li> <li>• Recall main ideas and concepts</li> <li>• Recognize major themes of the Age of Jackson</li> <li>• Express basic skills through writing, discussion, debate, etc...</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <b>Student makes no major errors or omissions regarding the score 2 content</b>
<b>Score 1</b> Partial success with help	<b>With help, student achieves partial success at score 2 content and/or score 3 content</b>
<b>Score 0</b> No success even with help	<b>Even with help, no success</b>