



**Are you in 9th through 12th grade?  
You're invited to participate in the**

*Patriots  
of the  
American Revolution  
DAR High School Essay Contest*

Topic for 2025-2026

Select a figure from the era of the American Revolution (1773-1783). Discuss how he or she influenced the course of the American Revolution, who he or she was and the contribution that historic character made to the founding of a new nation. Your figure must have been an actual person – one who is well-known or an everyday man, woman, or child, who supported the American Revolution in ways large or small.

Open to Grades 9-12 Length: Between 800-1,200 words.

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