

The American Revolution

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What is the American Revolution?

The settlers in the original 13 colonies did not have many weapons. But, they had many reasons to fight a war. Great Britain was ruling them unfairly. They wanted to be free to govern themselves. To become free, they knew they would have to fight.

The colonists marched into battle and won the Revolutionary War. This war changed the lives of everyone. A new country was formed with a new type of **government**.

▼ The American Revolution was fought to control the British colonies in America.



▼ Battle in Boston during the Revolution

