

NAME _____

United States Heritage Award

GOLD (Youth 11-18) Worksheet

Answer the following questions.

1. When was the Declaration of Independence signed? _____

2. When was the Constitution of the United States signed? _____

3. Show that you know the first two verses of "The Star Spangled Banner" Yes

Who wrote the Star Spangled Banner? _____

When? _____

4. Recite the Pledge of Allegiance, and explain its meaning. Yes

5. The United States Flag:

a. What do the thirteen stripes represent? _____

Please list all thirteen.

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7.

b. From 1795 to 1818 there was something different about the US Flag. Find out what it was and why it was changed.

c. Explain three proper ways of displaying the United States flag.

d. How do you show respect for the United States Flag?

6. Do one of the following: Yes

a. Find out what the parts of the flag are called. Draw a picture showing the following:

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|-------------------|------------|---------|---------|
| Canton | Flag Staff | Fly | Grommet |
| Field (or Ground) | Peak | Fly End | Union |
| Hoist | Truck | Finial | Halyard |

b. Write a short story or poem about one of the following topics :

Why America Is Special To Me, What It Means to Be An American, What It Means To Be Free, If I Were President.

7. Make a list of the 50 states in the United States of America.

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| 1. | 26. |
| 2. | 27. |
| 3. | 28. |
| 4. | 29. |
| 5. | 30. |
| 6. | 31. |
| 7. | 32. |
| 8. | 33. |
| 9. | 34. |
| 10. | 35. |
| 11. | 36. |
| 12. | 37. |
| 13. | 38. |
| 14. | 39. |
| 15. | 40. |
| 16. | 41. |
| 17. | 42. |
| 18. | 43. |
| 19. | 44. |
| 20. | 45. |
| 21. | 46. |
| 22. | 47. |
| 23. | 48. |
| 24. | 49. |
| 25. | 50. |

8. Name the current President, Vice-President, and the Speaker of the House.

President _____

Vice- President _____

Speaker of the House, _____

9. Name your states two senators and the representatives from your congressional district.

Senator _____ Senator _____

Representatives: _____

10. My service to a neighborhood or community was: _____