##### **Events Leading to the American Revolution**

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| **EVENT** | **YEAR** | **WHAT HAPPENED?** | **COLONIAL REACTION** |
| Stamp Act | March  1765 | Required colonists to purchase special stamped paper for every legal document including newspaper, pahmphlets, etc. | * Colonists unified in protests * the Sons of Liberty led by Samuel Adams was formed |
| Townshend  Act |  |  |  |
| Boston Massacre |  |  |  |
| Tea  Act |  |  |  |

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| Intolerable  Acts |  |  |  |
| First  Continental  Congress |  |  |  |
| Battles of  Lexington  And  Concord |  |  |  |