

Stamp Act Document Analysis

You have been assigned a document from the Stamp Act crisis (If you did not get a document assigned to you, choose one at random from the list below). You will need to write a summary of the document, cut and paste essential quotes from the document, and write an analysis of the document. You will submit this activity to me online. Follow the instructions below:

1. Find your document. You will find the list below. I have condensed the documents and placed them all on a separate document on the website.
2. Write a one-paragraph summary of the document answering who? What? Where? When? Why? How?
3. Using your own words paraphrase the meaning of the document in one sentence.
4. Write a one paragraph analysis of the document answering one or more of the following:
 - a. How are the rights of the colonists effected by this document?
 - b. How are the economic interests of the colonists impacted by this?
 - c. What is the relationship between the document and colonial social structure?
 - d. How does this document effect the political structure/relationship of the colonies and Britain?
5. Submit your work to the "S" Drive!

Documents:

1. An Act Repealing the Stamp Act; March 18, 1766
2. Charleston Non-Importation Agreement; July 22, 1769
3. Connecticut Resolutions on the Stamp Act: December 10, 1765
4. The Currency Act; April 19, 1764
5. Letter From an American Farmer
6. Massachusetts Circular Letter to the Colonial Legislatures; February 11, 1768
7. Petition from the Massachusetts House of Representatives to the House of Commons; November 3, 1764
8. The Quartering Act; May 15, 1765
9. The Stamp Act, March 22, 1765
10. The Sugar Act; September 29, 1764
11. The Townshend Act, November 20, 1767
12. Boston Non-Importation Agreement, August 1, 1768

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