

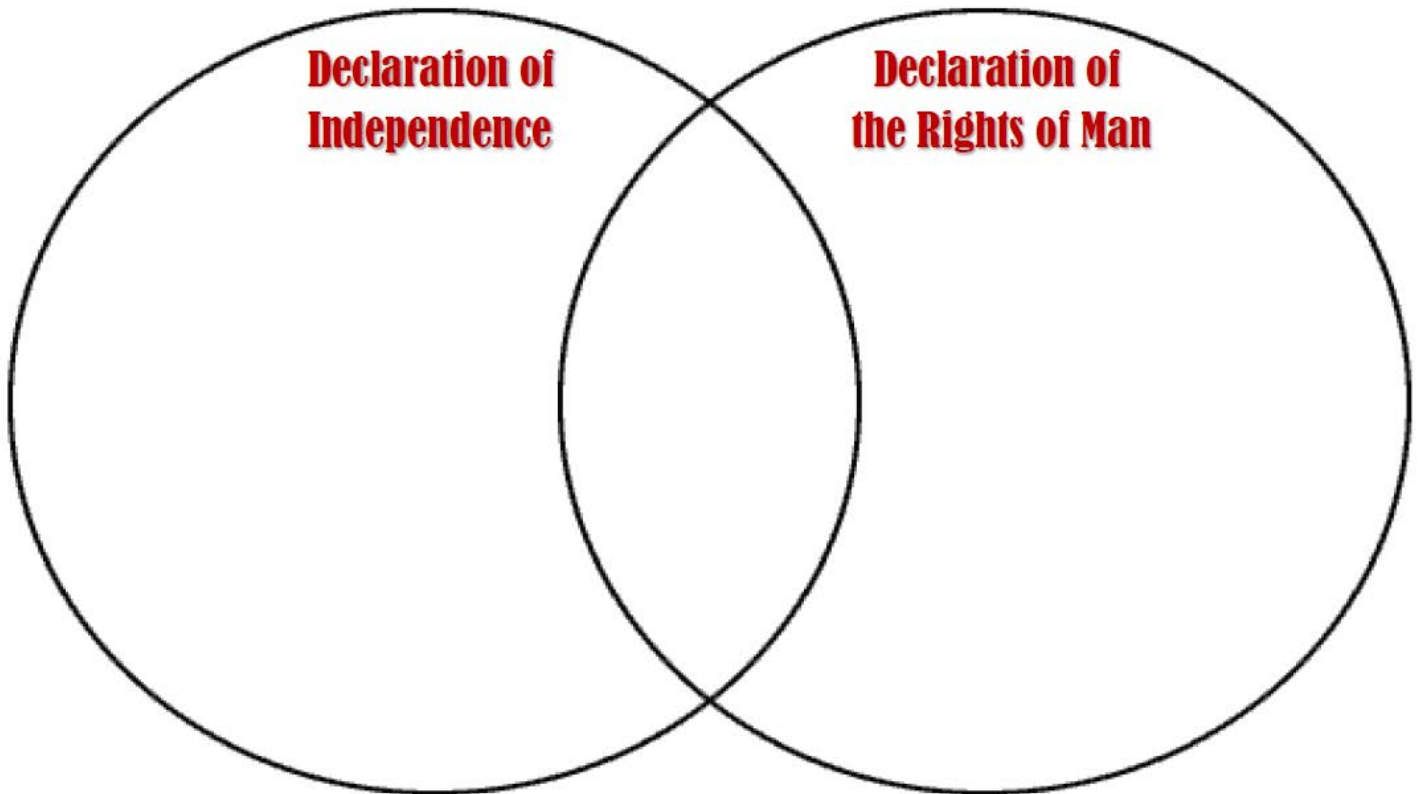
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Comparing Declaration Documents in American & French Revolutions

Part I: Venn Diagram

Directions: After reading both the American Declaration of Independence and French Declaration of the Rights of Man, fill in this Venn Diagram with similarities and differences that you noticed.



Part II: Response Questions

1. What is the purpose of each of these documents? (Use abbreviations DoI = Declaration of Independence and DoRM = Declaration of the Rights of Man)
2. Which aspects of the Enlightenment are reflected in these two documents?
3. How does the Declaration of the Rights of Man define liberty? Do you agree or disagree with this definition? Why?
4. What do you think the National Assembly hoped to achieve by writing and issuing this document?
5. What do you think is implied (suggested) by article three? To whom do you think this article was addressed? Why?
6. List some of the specific "rights of man" mentioned in the document. Which of these do you think the document portrays (shows) as the most important? Explain your reasoning.