

Word Searches

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Overview

Word Searches are a fun format to focus students on a circumscribed amount of information about a single topic. Three searches are given on the following pages, one on the **Star Spangled Banner**, one on **the thirteen original states**, and one on **Facts about America**.

Word Search Hidden Title

R V W Q H F X X O S J T J Q D M B A U J H Z C H K
 M E S O K Z P P T E N I L V Q K Y I A P J I Q O Q
 O H N P M E Z R C R R W R Q B C W X W H S K M G R
 Z Q N N X N E O H I P T A S Z C Y W C J M K D F I
 C W V F A A Q Y X F W N H D N Q E J X Y Z C U L M
 S R T Y M B J S S W J R O E E O R J X H I B T C I
 S T T I J S D M H O Y J H C R H S Y N X E Y H B X
 R K N E K X R E X B O T X Q P A T E E Y D L G T Z
 S G G X Z W S S L Q H S X M O O M Y R W I E I P J
 E X A A N D B R I G H T S T A R S P B E H V L X Y
 P O L E W E P B U L N H D Z F T J U A P W Q Y Q J
 I W L L Z B A O S R S A Y S H Y J T E R C K L O Z
 R H A Y I F R Y Q D Q A P G J K V R Y U T A R L P
 T A N A C H I W I G V K I S M W I A B C F S A K U
 S T T S T L Y E E X Z L X R R L D E L I A H E W F
 D S L H W A M T Q W I V V S O A C A N Y O U S E E
 A O Y O G Y A T E W A F N U Q V T N S U M Q M K Y
 O P H R V Z O Y T W P T S R V S X S T C V X W J I
 R R X S T L R E A F J F C G N I M A E L G T S A L
 B O M L Q A H U X P I R O H R B D U I H N U Z K I
 E U K J S T F N Y G P F X X E P R I M L T O Q V B
 S D E X T D A T H A H E T O H D Q C O N T T Y R P
 O L N A A K P T F H Y J X H A A M B D J Q P A P R
 H Y N G F D F G H D A N N J V C F A R G B H Z G D
 W T T Z N I W X U L G F Y B M M N N J X C J I Y U

Directions: Circle the words listed below. They run in all directions: forward, backward, up, down, and diagonally.

OH SAY
 CAN YOU SEE
 BY THE DAWNS
 EARLY LIGHT
 WHAT SO PROUDLY
 WE HAILED
 AT THE TWILIGHT'S
 LAST GLEAMING
 WHOSE BROAD STRIPES

AND BRIGHT STARS
 THROUGH THE
 PERILOUS FIGHT
 O'ER THE RAMPARTS
 WE WATCHED
 WERE SO
 GALLANTLY
 STREAMING
 FIND THE HIDDEN SONG TITLE

THE POWER OF THIRTEEN

M E D K B N X M L H T L Z S A
W A K Y B O A D I U I X O V I
N U S N W R A S C D X U S K N
E E O S Y T C I V E T A R S A
H A W L A H T Y G H P O S V V
S D A J W C Y U C R Y Z Q U L
Z N V J E A H A Z W O M U D Y
D F S N Z R R U E I J E B E S
R C N X F O S N S F S L G L N
O O K R L L C E G E X X S A N
C T H I I I Y V Y L T F T W E
N C N A I N I G R I V T A A P
Z A U S J A Q W L L R I S R Q
E R I H S P M A H W E N E E U
R H O D E I S L A N D G G N V

Directions: Find and circle the thirteen original states listed below. They run in all directions: forward, backward, up, down, and diagonally.

- CONNECTICUT
- DELAWARE
- GEORGIA
- MARYLAND
- MASSACHUSETTS
- NEW HAMPSHIRE
- NEW JERSEY
- NEW YORK
- NORTH CAROLINA
- PENNSYLVANIA
- RHODE ISLAND
- SOUTH CAROLINA
- VIRGINIA

Facts about America Word Search

A Word Search Created by [Puzzlemaker](#) at [DiscoveryEducation.com](#)



Directions: Find and circle the word that completes each sentence below.

- A change in the Constitution is called an _____.
- The two parts of Congress are the House and the _____.
- The Commander in Chief of the military is the _____.
- Saying the Pledge of _____ shows loyalty to the United States.
- The _____ Papers supported passing the U.S. Constitution.
- At age eighteen all men must register for the Selective _____.
- The current Vice-President of the U. S. is _____ (last name).
- Everyone must obey the _____.
- To carry a U.S. _____ is a right only for U.S. citizens.
- The _____ are a famous North Carolina American Indian tribe.
- An unpopular war fought by the U. S. since 1900 is the _____ War.
- Minnesota shares a border with another country called _____.
- The _____ Ocean is on the East Coast of the United States
- The “stars and stripes” or the stars and bars” refers to the American _____.

Answer Key for Facts about America

A change in the Constitution is called an amendment.

The two parts of Congress are the House and the Senate.

The Commander in Chief of the military is the President.

Saying the Pledge of Allegiance shows loyalty to the United States.

The Federalist Papers supported passing the U.S. Constitution.

At age eighteen all men must register for the Selective Service.

The current Vice-President of the U. S. is Biden (last name).

Everyone must obey the law.

To carry a U.S. Passport is a right only for U.S. citizens.

The Cherokee are a famous North Carolina American Indian tribe.

An unpopular war fought by the U. S. since 1900 is the Vietnam War.

Minnesota shares a border with another country called Canada.

The Atlantic Ocean is on the East Coast of the United States

The “stars and stripes” or the stars and bars” refers to the American flag.