## **F@CUS READERS**

#### FOCUS ON

# THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

<b>1.</b> Write a letter to a friend explaining the main ideas
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**2.** Do you think King George was right to continue the war after he read the Declaration of Independence? Why or why not?

- **3.** Who wrote the first draft of the Declaration of Independence?
  - **A.** Benjamin Franklin
  - **B.** Thomas Jefferson
  - C. John Adams
- **4.** Why did many Loyalists move to Canada?
  - **A.** They wanted to live in a place that was under British control.
  - **B.** They wanted to write their own Declaration of Independence.
  - **C.** They wanted to gather supplies for the war against the colonists.

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### **Answer Key:**

- 1. Answers will vary
- 2. Answers will vary
- **3.** B
- **4.** A