



# What is an American?

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1754-1800



# Document-Based Short-Answer Response Item

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Using two of the documents from yesterday's reading assignment, answer the following question. Your answer must be written in the form of a body paragraph for the DBQ essay. Remember, your DBQ essay is due next week for a test grade, as we are completing Unit 3- The American Revolution.

**What do the documents tell us about the growth of an American identity in the years following the Revolutionary War?**