

Matrix for Understanding Colonial Unrest

Directions: Your group will receive a placard with a picture and explanation about an event between 1763 and 1775 that led to increased tensions between the colonists and the British. For each event, quickly record what happened, the number of blocks you gave the event on your Colonial Unrest-O-Meter, and the reasons for that rating.

Event	What Happened?	Unrest Rating	Rationale for Unrest Rating
Placard 3.3A Proclamation of 1763			
Placard 3.3B Quartering Act 1765			
Placard 3.3C Stamp Act 1765			
Placard 3.3D Townshend Act 1767			

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Placard 3.3E Boston Massacre 1770			
Placard 3.3F Boston Tea Party 1773			
Placard 3.3G Intolerable Acts 1774			
Placard 3.3H First Continental Congress 1774			
Placard 3.3I Lexington and Concord 1774			