**Hey King: Get off our Backs! - Poster!**

**Directions:** Create a poster version of the Declaration of Independence by following these steps below:

1. Place a large sheet of paper “landscape layout” or “hotdog” style (so it’s longer left to right rather than up and down)
2. At the top middle, write, “Declaration of Independence” with your name and hour under it.
3. Plan ahead: Look at page 37 of your unit 1 packet. Notice that it has 4 headings at the top. These are the 4 parts of the Declaration of Independence. You will cut and paste them on your poster to make 4 columns in the same order that they appear on this instructions page below.
4. Look again at page 37. Below the headings are statements from the declaration of independence. You need to cut them out and paste them under the right headings. Use the descriptions in each column below to guide you. Note: The numbers in each column tell you how many items will be pasted in each column.
5. Once you have everything pasted where it goes, use a writing utensil to clearly separate each column and its contents from the other columns.

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| **Preamble**  **(2)**  Explaining what we're doing (separating from England) and why. | **Natural Rights (4)**  Explaining our rights and equality, where government gets its authority from, and what we can do when government endangers our rights. | **Grievances**  **(9)**  Listing our complaints against the King | **Resolution of rights**  **(3)**  Announcing our independence and swearing to defend it at all cost. |