

John Hancock

Hello, my name is John Hancock. I am a delegate from Massachusetts who served as the president of the Continental Congress from 1775 to 1777. I signed my name very large on the Declaration of Independence, some say so that King George III wouldn't have to wear his glasses to see my name. The British considered Samuel Adams and me to be the most dangerous American revolutionaries.

Performance Instructions: Dress as a colonial man and carry a feather pen and copy of the Declaration of Independence. After speaking, pretend to sign your name very large on the Declaration.

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