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1776 : STEP INTO THE REVOLUTION

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New Free App Lets Families “Walk Into” 1776 to Celebrate America’s 250th Birthday

Immersive History releases 1776: The Declaration, an interactive 3D experience of the American founding — free to download on iOS and Android

UNITED STATES — July 1, 2026 — As the United States marks its 250th anniversary, Immersive History today released **1776: The Declaration**, a free-to-download mobile app that lets families step inside the American Revolution in historically accurate 3D — explore a detailed Independence Hall, meet the founders, and sign the Declaration of Independence, right from a phone. Built by Immersive History — the studio behind immersive biblical experiences including the Tabernacle and Herod’s Temple — 1776 turns the founding of America into something families can explore rather than just read about. Players move through a historically accurate Independence Hall in the summer of 1776, meet Jefferson, Adams, Franklin, Hancock, and Thomson, solve hands-on mini-games, collect real historical artifacts, and put their own signature on the Declaration of Independence. It is built for ages 8 and up, with a sweet spot of 10–15.

“KIDS DON’T CONNECT WITH HISTORY THROUGH A TEXTBOOK AS MUCH AS THEY DO LIVING IT. FOR AMERICA’S 250TH, WE WANTED EVERY FAMILY TO BE ABLE TO WALK INTO THE MOMENT THE COUNTRY BEGAN — FREE TO DOWNLOAD.”

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The app launches free on the Apple App Store and Google Play ahead of July 4, 2026, the nation’s Semiquincentennial. An optional in-app upgrade unlocks additional experiences. 1776 is designed to be unifying and non-partisan — a shared national milestone for every family celebrating the 250th, not just those near a historic site.

THIS ISN’T A DOCUMENTARY YOU WATCH. IT’S A PLACE YOU EXPERIENCE - YOU WALK INTO INDEPENDENCE HALL, YOU MEET FRANKLIN AND JEFFERSON, AND YOU SIGN THE DECLARATION YOURSELF, MAKING HISTORY COME TO LIFE.”

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Availability: 1776: The Declaration is free to download on iOS and Android. Learn more and download at immersivehistory.com/1776. A full press kit — fact sheet, screenshots, demo video, and free reviewer access — is available at immersivehistory.com/media.

Immersive History creates interactive mobile and virtual reality experiences that place users inside the defining moments, places, and ideas that shaped civilization. Founded by Hollywood visual effects vet Jarom Sidwell, the company combines cutting-edge technology with rigorous historical research to help a new generation experience history firsthand. Its latest project, 1776: The Declaration, invites users to step inside Independence Hall and explore the story behind America's founding.