

<p>Patriotic Belt #10 Enrichment</p>	<p>1 Memorize the lyrics to the Star Spangled Banner and understand the history of this patriotic song.</p>	<p>2 O say can you see by the <i>dawn's</i> early light,</p>
<p>3 what so proudly we <i>hailed</i> at the <i>twilight's</i> last <i>gleaming</i>;</p>	<p>4 whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the <i>perilous</i> fight,</p>	<p>5 o'er the <i>ramparts</i> we watched, were so <i>gallantly streaming</i>?</p>
<p>6 And the <i>rockets'</i> red glare, the bombs bursting in air,</p>	<p>7 gave <i>proof</i> through the night that our flag was still there,</p>	<p>8 O say, does that star- spangled banner yet wave</p>
<p>9 o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?</p>	<p>10 Who wrote the Star Spangled Banner?</p>	<p>11 What event inspired him to write the song?</p>
<p>12 How was the song originally written.</p>	<p>13 What special shape was Fort McHenry?</p>	<p>14 What are ramparts?</p>
<p>15 What does perilous mean?</p>	<p>16 What was special about the actual flag flying over the fort?</p>	<p>17 What happened to the flag flying over the fort after the battle?</p>
<p>18 When the flag from Fort McHenry was donated to the Smithsonian what was wrong with it?</p>	<p>19 How many stars are on our current flag? Why?</p>	<p>20 How many stripes are on our current flag? Why?</p>

<p><b>Winning the battle of Fort McHenry and being released from being held captive on a British boat inspired this song.</b></p>	<p><b>Francis Scott Key</b></p>	
<p><b>Ramparts are the hills built around forts. They make it more difficult for the enemy to get to the fort.</b></p>	<p><b>Fort McHenry was built in the shape of a star.</b></p>	<p><b>It was originally written as a poem.</b></p>
<p><b>The major in charge of the fort got to keep it.</b></p>	<p><b>It was huge and it had fifteen stars and fifteen stripes.</b></p>	<p><b>Perilous means dangerous.</b></p>
<p><b>Thirteen stripes, each one represents one of the original thirteen colonies.</b></p>	<p><b>Fifty stars, one for each state.</b></p>	<p><b>It was missing a large portion of the bottom of the flag and a star. People cut off pieces and saved them as souvenirs.</b></p>