

# The Who's Who of . . .



by [name]





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*This is the introduction to your book. Decide on a theme and tell readers about why you chose these people.*

**1 A “Who’s Who” is like an encyclopedia of people!**

**This book tells you about some important people in . . .**

**[NOTE: name one area, community, or themed-group.**

**Examples:**

. . . our class

. . . Ancient Rome

. . . U.S. history

. . . science

. . . women’s history

. . . literature

. . . music

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## **1 [SAMPLE WHO'S WHO]**

### **George Washington**

## **1 [SAMPLE BIO]**

**February 22, 1732–December 14, 1799**

George Washington was born in Westmoreland County, Virginia, but he was not born in the United States. At the time of his birth, Virginia was a British colony.

During the American Revolution, George Washington became the commander in chief of the fighting forces organized by the colonies against the British. At first there were many separate armies, or militias, each from different parts of the colonies. But in July of 1775, the Continental Congress voted to put one leader in command of all colonial forces. And that was George Washington.

1 Washington was a very strict commander. He punished soldiers for not doing their duty. But he also demanded that the newly formed Congress provide more and better food and other supplies to his soldiers.

When the war was over, the new government was set up with laws and representatives from 13 states. The next step was to elect, or choose, the first president. The representatives all voted for the same man—Washington. He became the first president of the United States, in 1789.

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### **Sacagawea**

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**1788–1812**

Sacagawea was an explorer. She traveled with the Lewis and Clark expedition. They crossed thousands of miles of rivers, mountains, and forests. During her travels, she hunted and fished, made clothes, and made shoes. She was not a guide. She was new to the wilderness they explored.

Traveling with a woman and a child made Lewis and Clark accepted among people they encountered. It was a sign that their expedition was peaceful. Sacagawea recognized landmarks and plants. She spoke the Shoshone language. That knowledge helped along the way.



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