



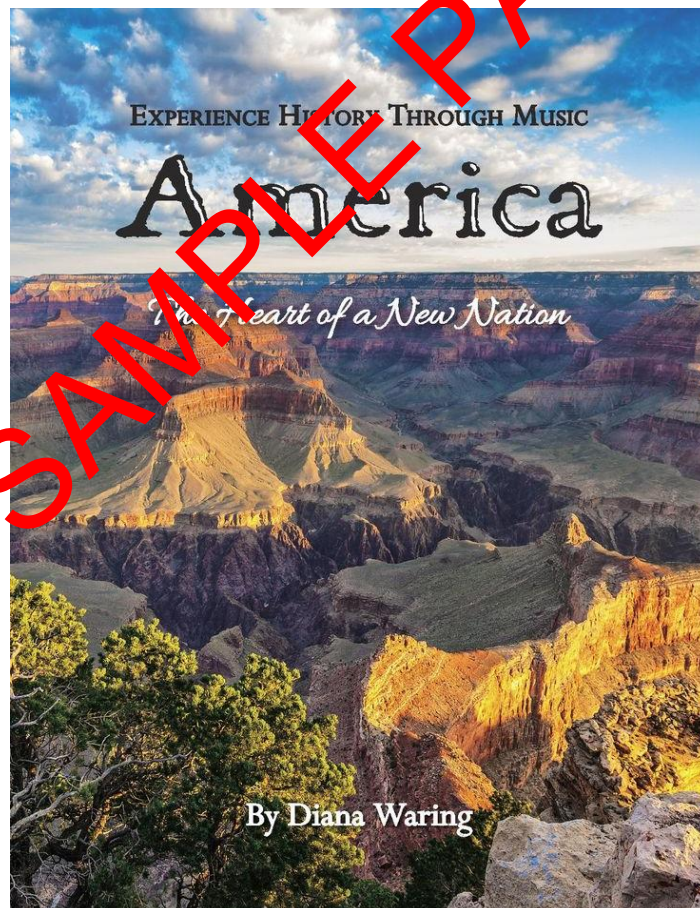
Grades 2-7

Diana Waring Presents- Experience History Through Music

# America

## The Heart of a New Nation

### Lapbook



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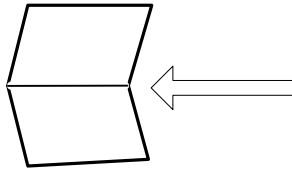
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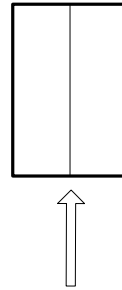
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# Things to Know

**Hamburger Fold**-Fold horizontally



**Hotdog Fold**-Fold vertically



**Dotted Lines**-These are the cutting lines.

**Accordion Fold**-This fold is like making a paper fan. Fold on the first line so that title is on top. Turn over and fold on next line so that title is on top again. Turn over again and fold again on the next line so that title is on top. Continue until all folds are done.

**Cover Labels**-Most of the booklets that are folded look nicer with a label on top instead of just a blank space. They will be referred to as "cover label."

## How Does I Use the Lapbook with *Experience History Through Music*?

Read a study guide and listen to the matching song. Then, do the booklet that goes along with the lesson.

## Lapbook Assembly Choices

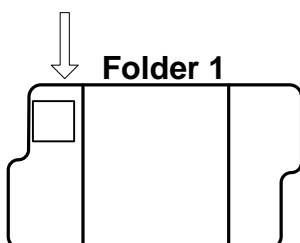
(see photos on how to fold and glue your folders together)

**We recommend using Zip Dry Glue or Elmer's Extreme.**

Choice #1 -Do not glue your folders together until you have completely finished all three folders. It is easier to work with one folder instead of two or three glued together.

Choice #2 -Glue all of your folders together before beginning. Some children like to see the entire project as they work on it. It helps with keeping up with which folder you are supposed to be working in. The choices are completely up to you and your child!

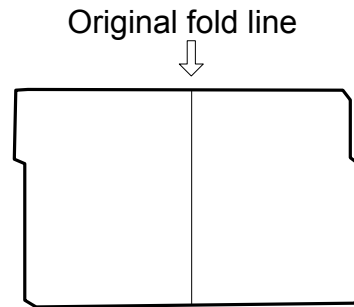
## How do I know where to place each template in the folder?



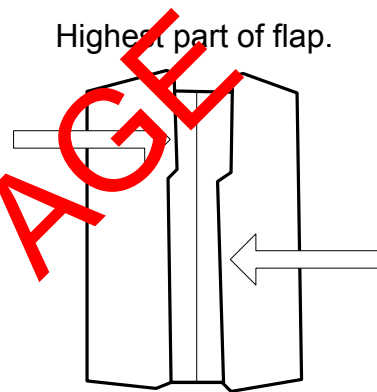
This placement key tells you the template goes in the first folder at the top of the left flap.

# Folding a Lapbook Base

Gather the number of folders required for the project. Fold them flat as seen here.



For each folder, fold the left and right sides inward toward the original line to create two flaps. Crease so that the highest part of each flap is touching the original line. It is important not to let the two flaps overlap. *You may want to take a ruler and run it down each crease to make it sharper.*



Glue your folders together by putting glue (or you may staple) on the inside of the flaps. Then press the newly glued flaps together with your hands until they get a good strong hold to each other. Follow this step to add as many folders as you need for your project. Most of our lapbooks have either 2 or 3 folders.

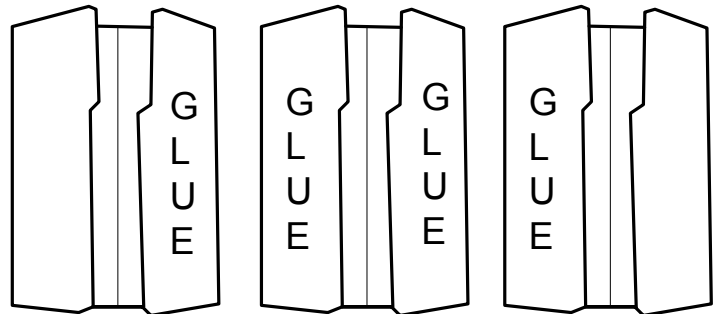
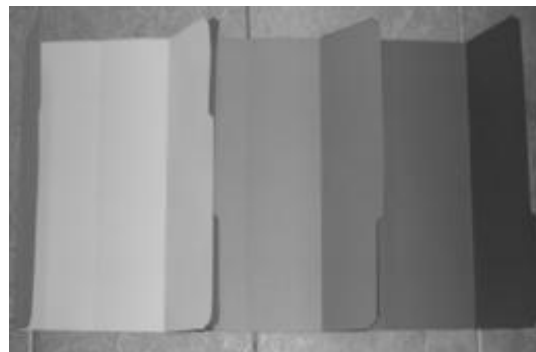
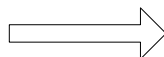


Photo of a completed lapbook base



## Supplies and Storage

- \*Lapbook Pages
- \*2 Colored File Folders
- \*Scissors
- \*Glue
- \*Stapler
- \*Brads (not needed for every lapbook. If brads are not available, a stapler will do.)
- \*Hole Puncher (again, not needed for every lapbook.)

### To make the storage system (optional)

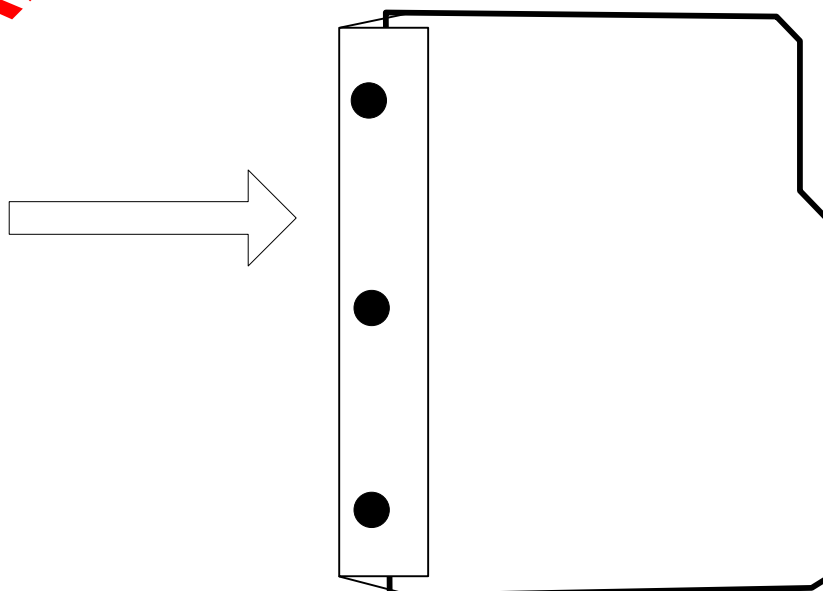
**See details below about the use of a storage system.**

- \*Duct tape (any color)
- \*One 3-ring binder
- \*Hole Puncher


### My child has made several lapbooks. Can I store all of the lapbooks together in one place?

Yes! A three-ring binder serves as a great place to keep your lapbooks. This method of storage not only keeps your lapbooks from getting lost but also keeps them neat and readily available to share with dad, grandparents, friends, etc. When you are through sharing your lapbooks, just place the three-ring binder back on your bookshelf! Below are step-by-step directions of how to prepare each lapbook to be placed in a three-ring binder.

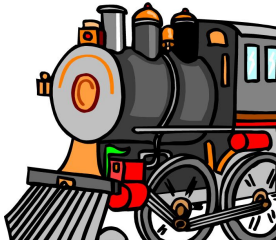
Close the lapbook. Measure a piece of duct tape that is as long as the lapbook. Place the edge of the duct tape on the top edge of the lapbook. Then fold the duct tape over so that it can be placed on the bottom edge. Make sure to leave enough duct tape sticking out from the edges to punch three holes. Be careful when punching the holes that you do not punch the holes in the folder. If you do, that's okay. Then place in three-ring binder. Depending on the size of your three-ring binder, you can store many lapbooks in it.



## Folder 1

Yankee Doodle	Erie Canal	All Night, All Day
The Star-Spangled Banner		Old Dan Tucker
	Sweet Betsy From Pike	
	Oh! Susanna	

## Folder 2

Wade in the Water	Shenandoah	Get Along L'il Dogies	
Johnny Has Gone For A Soldier	Drill Ye Tarriers	Polly Wolly Doodle	Old Joe Clark
When Johnny Comes Marching Home			

Cut out the page on the line. Glue to the front of your closed lapbook.  
Draw and color the American flag.

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**SAMPLE PAGE**

**Folder 1**



**Read Yankee Doodle.**

Cut out each booklet. Stack on top of each other and staple at the top. Glue into lapbook.

**Directions:** On each booklet, fill out the information.

**Yankee Doodle**



What is a "Yankee Doodle?"

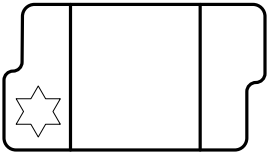
Describe the reaction of the British toward American soldiers.

Describe what the American soldiers were actually like.

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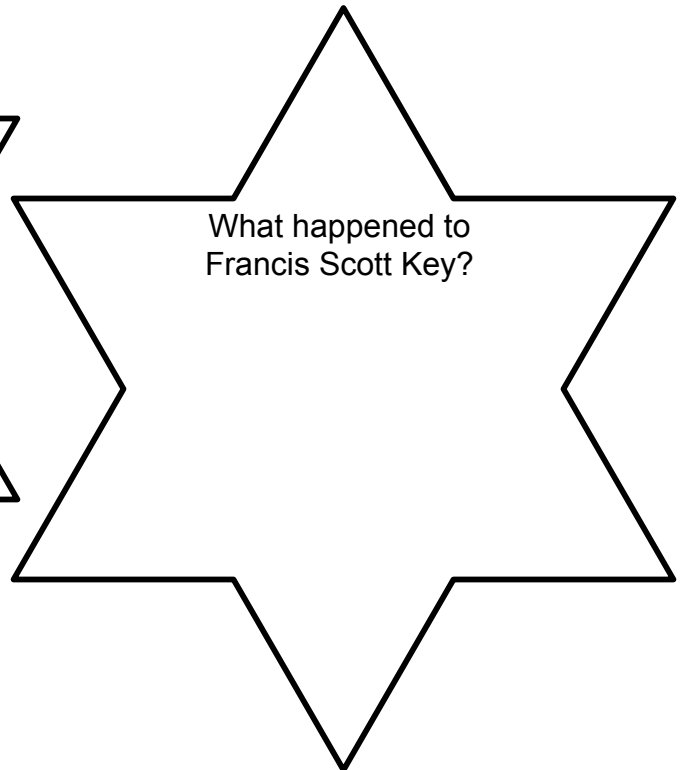
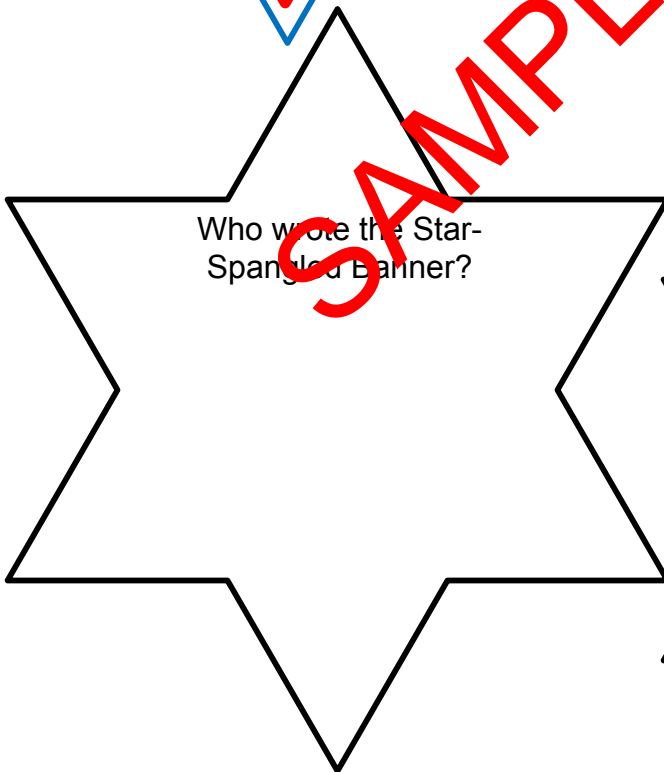
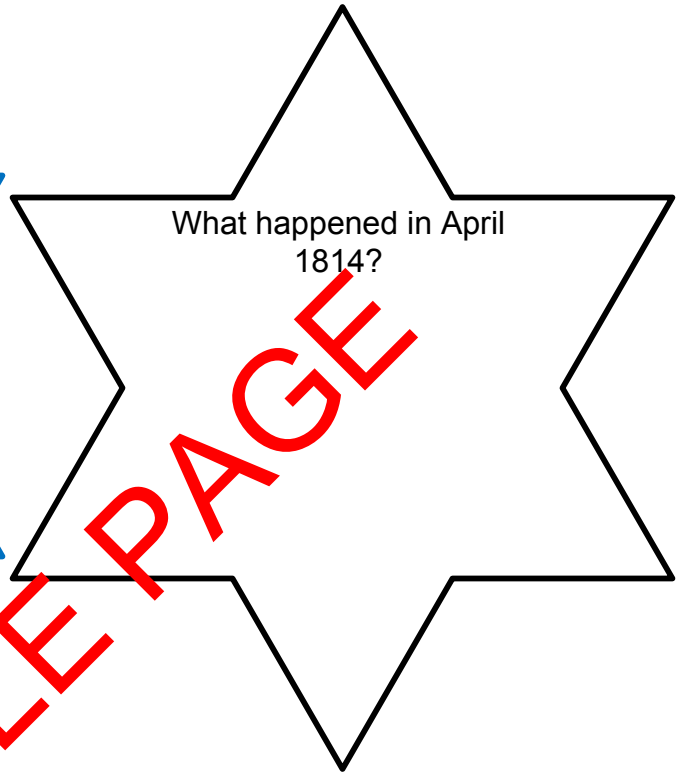
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**Read Star-Spangled Banner.**

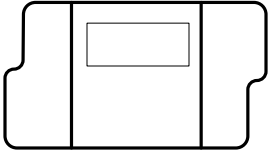
Cut out each booklet. Stack on top of each other and staple at the top. Glue into lapbook.

**Directions:** Write the answer to the question.



**SAMPLE PAGE**

**Folder 1**



**Read Erie Canal.**

Cut out the booklet as one piece. Hamburger fold in half so that words are on top. Cut on the dotted lines to form three flaps. Glue into lapbook.

**Directions:** Under each flap, write the answer.

fold

GLUE

**What areas needed to be linked?**

**How much did the canal cost?**

**How long was the canal?**

**Who was responsible for the building of the Erie Canal?**

CUT

CUT

**SAMPLE PAGE**