

## **1<sup>st</sup> Paper Assignment**

Based on the *Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin*, other course readings, and our class discussions, do you think Franklin should be considered the “quintessential” or “first” American? Why or why not?

The paper should measure about 4-5 double-spaced pages and be sure to include (and cite) specific details from the book.

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