



HANDOUT 2
Economic Terms Card Game

Monopoly	Profit	Import	Export	Expense
Boycott	Scarcity	Interdependence	Tax	Debt
Tea, Cloth, China, Sugar, Furniture	Tobacco, Fur pelts, Lumber, Rice, Indigo	After the French and Indian War, Parliament discovered England had spent 130 million pounds it did not have to win the war.	The American Colonies sold lumber and tobacco to England, and then purchased furniture and cigars from British merchants.	Colonists were so angry with the Townshend Acts they refused to buy English goods.
The Stamp Act said the colonists had to buy a stamp for every piece of paper that changed hands to make it legal.	The Navigation Acts said the colonists had to purchase everything they needed from England, even if they could get it cheaper from another country.	Since Colonial women could not get cloth from England, they began weaving rough fabric for clothing at home.	Colonists had to spend their own money to provide food, clothing, and shelter for British soldiers stationed in the Colonies.	Plantation owners grew rich when they were able to sell their crops for more money than it cost to grow the crops.