

The American Revolution

Lesson 3.1 The French and Indian War

Key Terms

Iroquois
George Washington
French and Indian War
Edward Braddock
Lord Jeffrey Amherst
Pontiac's Rebellion
Proclamation of 1763
Albany Plan of Union
Benjamin Franklin

Competition for North American Colonies:

1. **Draw Inferences** Why did so many Native Americans ally with the French in the French and Indian War? Give a few reasons.
2. **Determine Author's Point of View** Reread the quote from the Iroquois leader, Canasatego. What beliefs about the land did he express?

The French and Indian War:

3. **Determine Central Ideas** What was the most significant point of conflict between the British and the French in the 1600s and 1700s? Why?
4. **Paraphrase** Reread the quote from George Washington about the French and American Indian ambush. What happened during this skirmish? Explain in your own words.
5. **Identify Cause and Effect** What key move led to the British gaining an advantage and eventually winning the French and Indian War in North America?
6. **Draw Inferences** The war between the French and British wasn't just fought in North America. How do you think this fact affected how the French and the British fought the war?
7. **Draw Conclusions** Why did the Native Americans want the French to return after the French and Indian War?

Pontiac's Rebellion: Text

8. **Draw Inferences** What factors led the end of Pontiac's Rebellion?
9. **Draw Conclusions** Despite the efforts of the British government, many colonists ignored the Proclamation of 1763. What did this show about the relationship between the British government and the American colonists?
10. **Analyze Cause and Effect** Why did the British impose new taxes on the American colonists during the 1760s?