

Causes of the American Revolution

Struggle for Control of North America: Learning Activity #7018 and #7019

INTRODUCTION

Your research will begin by exploring how the British and French fought a war for control of North America. You will analyze the causes, events and consequences of the French and Indian war.

ASSIGNMENTS

Study the maps. Answer these questions.

1. In 1753 did British territory extend all the way to the Mississippi River?
2. In 1763 did British territory extend all the way to the Mississippi River?
3. Who lost the most territory from 1753 to 1763?
4. Who do you think won the war between the English and French?
Using facts from the map explain why you believe that.

5. Compare the settlements in North America of the French and British.

	French	English
Population		
Occupations		
Government		
Native American Relations		

6. Based on the above chart which country do you feel most Native Americans sided with during the French and Indian War? Why?

From what you have learned about how the English and French had different ways of life and relationships with the Native Americans, how do you think our country would be different today if the French had won the French and Indian War?