

Teacher Page for Web Worksheet

Learning Context/ Introduction:

The French and Indian War was in essence a world war, not only involving French and English colonies and their Native American allies, but Europe and other parts of the world as well.

Essential Question:

How could the French and Indian War be considered a world war?

Assessment:

Students had to design a museum exhibit, which could have been digital or real world. However if teachers are short on time the web worksheet could be used as a stand alone activity.

Procedure:

Introduce students to the topic by using the pretest which is included in the web worksheet. This could also be used as a post test if time is short and the worksheet is being used without completing the museum project. Teachers should brainstorm with students a list of things that may be seen in museums. The list might include objects, films, demonstrations, etc. Students should then begin the web worksheet. Completing the worksheet should take 1-2 40 minute class periods.

Pair students to design and plan what their exhibit will look like, then allow students to begin implementing their ideas. (3-4 40 minute class periods) After completing the exhibits other classes could view the student created museum!

Related Resource:

- The American Journey Textbook or other social studies text
- Powermedia Plus for videos

Instructional/Environment Modifications:

- Access to computer lab or computers in the classroom with printer
- LCD projector connected to a computer
- Art supplies
- Internet Access

Grade
Level(s): 7

Website(s):

National Park Service

http://www.nps.gov/archive/fone/classroom/fiwar/student_evaluation.htm

“The War that Made America”

<http://www.pbs.org/thewarthatmadeamerica/>

Digital History

http://www.digitalhistory.uh.edu/documents/documents_p1.cfm

French and Indian War Free PowerPoint presentations <http://americanhistory.pppst.com/french-and-indian-war.html>

The French and Indian War Social Studies for Kids

<http://www.socialstudiesforkids.com/articles/ushistory/frenchandindianwar1.htm>

French and Indian War (interactive) The French and Indian War was a nine-year conflict between England and France and their Indian allies (1754-1763). <http://www.mrnussbaum.com/fiwarint.htm>

Seven Years War a.k.a. French and Indian War In Canada, the designation French and Indian War is nearly unknown. English Canadians typically refer to the war as the Seven Years War, while French Canadians call it the Guerre de la conquête (War of the Conquest), since it is the war in which New France was conquered by the British and became part of the North American portion of the British Empire. <http://ns1763.ca/remem/7yw-timeline-w.html>

The Seven Years War Major Conflicts, Washington Marches, The Gate to Quebec is Wide Open <http://www.let.rug.nl/usa/E/7yearswar2/7yearsxx.htm>

Canadian Military Heritage Gateway <http://www.cmhg-phmc.gc.ca/>

Related Standards:

Social Studies Standard 1, Key Idea 2

Key Idea 2: Important ideas, social and cultural values, beliefs, and traditions from New York State and United States history illustrate the connections and interactions of people and events across time and from a variety of perspectives.

Performance Indicators--Students will: investigate key turning points in New York State and United States history and explain why these events or developments are significant

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