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C-NOTES: TOP TEN—FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR

What were the causes and effects of the French and Indian War?

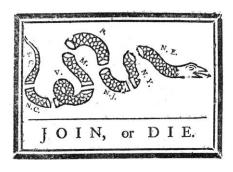
#10 England's main rival in North America: France

#9 Conflict in the <u>Ohio River Valley</u>: English colonists crossed the Appalachians in search of furs and rich farmland. France was determined to <u>stop the English from</u> expanding westward.

France had strong alliances with many Indians—especially the <u>Algonquins and Hurons</u>—and Britain had an alliance with the powerful <u>Iroquois</u>.

<u>Albany Plan of Union</u>: Benjamin Franklin's proposal to create "one general government" for the thirteen colonies to make laws, raise taxes, and set up defense of the colonies—<u>not</u> approved by colonial legistlatures.

Franklin publishes <u>first political cartoon in 1754</u> ("Join or Die") of a snake cut into parts to promote the Albany Plan of Union.



<u>French and Indian War</u> began in <u>1754</u>—known as the Seven Year's War in Europe—by a 22-year old lieutenant colonel in the British army: <u>George Washington</u>.

France is winning the war for first three years until Britain appoints <u>William Pitt</u> as Prime Minister—his goal is to win the war with Britain's <u>best generals</u>.

In 1759, British General James Wolfe captures the capital of New France— $\underline{\mathbf{Quebec}}$ —with a daring surprise attack.

French and Indian War ends in 1763—Treaty of Paris signed by Britain and France.

This agreement marks the end of <u>French</u> power in North America—<u>Britain</u> and <u>Spain</u> split the continent at the <u>Mississippi</u> River.

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