

Pre-Assessment Scoring Guide: Battle of Trenton

Key Idea	What I Know	Correct	Incorrect
General Washington	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>commander of the Continental Army</i> - <i>developed plan of surprise attack on Hessian soldiers in Trenton</i> 		
Continental Army	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>colonial army</i> - <i>poorly trained</i> - <i>lacked equipment</i> - <i>crossed Delaware River at night to attack the enemy at Trenton</i> 		
Colonel Knox	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>commander of artillery</i> - <i>played important role in the success of the Battle of Trenton</i> 		
Battle of Trenton	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>December 26, 1776</i> - <i>Continental Army successful attacked Hessians soldiers</i> - <i>few casualties for the Continental Army</i> - <i>boosted hope in the success of the Revolution</i> 		
Hessians	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>German mercenaries (paid to fight in the Revolutionary War)</i> - <i>led by Colonel Rall</i> - <i>stationed in Trenton, New Jersey</i> 		

* The information listed in italics represents details needed to mark the **Correct** box for the key idea. Students should have at least two of the details recorded in order to mark the box correct.