

FILL IN THE BLANK

Your student was instructed to supply the correct word or words in the following paragraph.

1. The Hundred Years' War was a series of battles fought between the French and English to decide who would control France.
2. The war began in 1337 after King Edward III of England challenged King Philip IV of France for the French throne.
3. The English, led by their king and his son, the Black Prince, won their first major victory at Crécy, located in the northern part of France.
4. During the war years, a widespread sickness called the Black Death killed millions of Europeans.
5. Two other important battles in the war, Poitiers and Agincourt, were major victories for the English and devastating losses for the French.
6. However, Joan of Arc, a young peasant girl, bravely led the French in driving the English out of Orléans, bolstering the spirits of the French.
7. Subsequently, the French won the war, which ended in 1453.

