



Draw lines from the forts listed on the left to their descriptions on the right.

## FORTS

## DESCRIPTIONS

Fort Duquense

A circular, British fort. George Washington's regiment fired the first shots of the French and Indian War while engaging the French at this fort.

Fort William  
Henry

A French fort that guarded the entrance to the St. Lawrence River. British General James Wolfe and his soldiers engaged the French here and destroyed their fort and ships, severely crippling the French war effort.

Fort Frontenac

A French fort located at the "Forks of Ohio." British General Braddock attacked this fort but failed to capture it. Later, when the British did recapture it, they renamed it Fort Pitt in honor of the British foreign secretary, William Pitt. Present day Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, was built on this site.

Fort Necessity

A strategic British fort built to protect the road from Fort Edward to Lake George, thereby controlling the western New York territory. The French, led by General Montcalm, attacked and destroyed this fort.

Fort Louisbourg

A French fort that protected the area where Lake Ontario joined the St. Lawrence River. In this pivotal battle, the British, led by General John Forbes, surrounded the fort by surprise, defeated the French, and captured many valuable supplies.