

PRIMARY SOURCE

MAP: THE BATTLE OF YORKTOWN

### **Transcript**

This map has different information and reference points written throughout. It also has additional information written in the bottom section.

The map has few descriptions and is primarily in French.

The title reads:

"Reddition de l'armee Angloises commandee par Mylord Comte de Cornwallis aux armees combinees des Etats Unis de l'Amerique et de France aux ordres des Generaux Washington et de Rochambeau a Yorck Tounn et Glocester dans la Virginie: le 19 Octobre 1781"

This translates to:

"Surrender of the English army commanded by Comte de Cornwallis to the combined armies of the United States of America and France under the orders of Generals Washington and Rochambeau at YorkTown and Gloucester in Virginia: October 19, 1781."

The map also lists "points of interest," which are:

- A) York Town
- B) Gloucester
- C) Armees Angloise sortant de la place (the English Army leaving)
- D) Les Armes des ennemis posee en Faiseeaux (the weapons of the enemies posted in bundles)
- E) Armee Francoise (French Army)
- F) Armee Ameriquaine (American Army)
- G) Armee naval de France aux Ordres du Comte de Grace (The Navel Army under the orders of de Grace)
- H) Baye de Chesapkeack (Chesapeake Bay)
- I) York River