

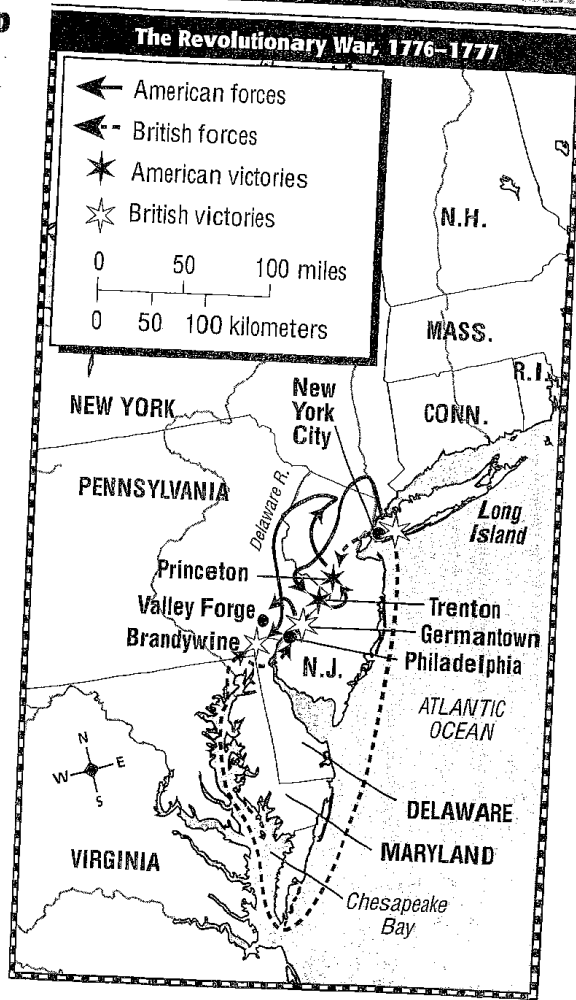
**★ Chapter Skills Activity 6**

**Reading a Military Map**

A military map shows where battles occurred. Symbols show troop movements, victories, and defeats. A military map may also show important geographic features that influence military strategy.

**DIRECTIONS:** Use the map to answer these questions.

1. In which three states did most of the fighting in 1776-1777 take place?  
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2. What symbol is used to indicate American troop movements?  
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3. From what direction did the British troops march on Philadelphia?  
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4. Which side won victories at Trenton and Princeton?  
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5. From looking at the map, which side do you think had a larger navy? How can you tell?  
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CHAPTER 6

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**Activity**

**DIRECTIONS:** You are a Revolutionary War soldier, either on the British or the American side. On a separate sheet of paper, write several diary entries as a soldier might have written them. Use the map to identify places and troop movements for each diary entry.