










## Who's Who in the Colonies

Word	Identity/Job	Symbol	Notes
French Kings	Ruler of all the French Empire		King Louis Catholic
French Governors	Represented the king in the colony In charge of military Relations with First Nations		Lives in colony, most powerful in colony
Intendants	Helps make money for France in the colony - runs the business side of things		Makes sure colony runs smoothly, is planned, administrative work
Bishops	Represents the church, runs orphanages, hospitals, and schools		Bishop is in charge of all the nuns and missionaries
Seigneurs	Landlord, nobleman or woman, recruited settlers		Owens the land the habitants farm
Habitants	Farmers, commoners, peasants		Lived on the farms but didn't own them
Coureur du bois	"Runner of the woods" independent fur traders that didn't work for the companies		Became illegal eventually because they didn't follow business laws
Voyageurs	Men who travelled between fur trading posts and explored further west into Canada		Worked closely with First Nations guides - FRENCH
Filles du roi	"Daughters of the king" orphans that were sent to New France to be wives of trader and		HAVE BABIES

	soldier men to populate the colony		
Jesuits	Catholic religious order - missionaries -learned and documented First Nations languages		Travelled to First Nations to teach them about Catholicism. Reported back to the Church about First Nations
Acadians	French people who settled in Acadia		Today's Nova Scotia and New Brunswick and Maine
British kings	Most powerful person in England		King George King Henry
British governors	Represented British king in colonies		Each of the 13 colonies had its own government and governor
Elected assemblies	British colonies could vote and elect people to be in their governments		A group of leaders that help make decisions - democratic
American Rebels (Patriots)	AKA Patriots, fought against England to become the USA		
British Loyalists	Fought for England's side against the Patriots		
British Parliament in England			