

## SPY GUIDING QUESTIONS

# THE CULPER SPY RING

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Below are some guiding questions to help you engage with the film, make connections, and dig deeper into the topic. Start by **THINK**ing critically as you watch, **REFLECT** on key ideas afterward, and explore further through **RESEARCH** and related resources.

#### As you watch, THINK...

- What were some methods used by the Culper Spy Ring to collect and pass messages to Washington?
- Why did George Washington choose to set up the Culper Spy Ring in New York?

#### After you watch, REFLECT...

- Why was it important for George Washington to have spies?
- Why do you think the Culper Ring was successful?

#### After you watch, RESEARCH...

- What were some of the events the Culper Ring uncovered or exposed during the American Revolution?
- Who were the key members of the Culper Ring and what were their roles/code names?

#### Want to learn more?

- [Letter from George Washington](#) (ARTIFACT)
- [Bushnell Submarine Turtle](#) (ARTIFACT)
- [Importance of letter from George Washington](#) (VIDEO)
- [Spies, Patriots, and Traitors: American Intelligence in the Revolutionary War](#) (PODCAST)