

Name: Student Work 6

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## Letter from General Green to General Marion Document Examination Guide

Before Reading the Document, answer these questions.

1. What type of writing is this? Letter
2. Who is the author of this piece? Nath Greer
3. When and where was it written? May 9, 1781 / Camp Colon creek
4. When was the Revolutionary War fought? 1775-1783
5. Is the writer writing from his/her own experience or someone else's? his own writing experience.

Read the questions below before reading. Think about them while you read. Then answer after reading.

6. Why was the letter written?
  - a) to tell him where to take the militia
  - b) to persuade him to stay with the militia
  - c) to congratulate him for a job well done
7. Which best describes the way General Greene felt when writing this letter?
  - a) excited
  - b) proud
  - c) worried
8. What are the militia doing and why?

The militia are leaving because they are disagreeable support and provision.

9. What are the conditions like for Marion and his militia?

The conditions are they are uncomfortable, slept on leaves.

10. What questions do you have about this document?

How far were they apart and did it take long to send the note.