

SOLDIER SKILLS: ORIENTEERING

Use the map on the back of the activity sheet to help you find the orienteering markers located around the museum. Each orienteering marker has a number and a letter on it.

Write the letters you find against the corresponding marker number below.

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15

VICTORIA CROSS CHALLENGE

Look at the Victoria Cross signs in The Great War Trail to find the answers to these questions. Write your answers in the boxes below.

1. What was the military rank of Thomas Flynn?

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2. What animal was involved in Private Wassall's Victoria Cross action?

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3. What was the name of the river where Sergeant Booth earned his Victoria Cross?

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4. On what feature is Captain Vallentin's name commemorated?

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5. In what town is Captain Kilby buried?

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6. What is the present-day name of the country where Lt Col Henderson was fighting?

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7. Which company did Private Barrett work with before he joined the army?

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8. What did Sergeant Carmichael put over the exploding grenade?

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9. What was the name of the wood where Sergeant Thomas hid?

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10. What was Lance Corporal Coltman's job in the army?

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11. What weapon did Lieutenant Cairns use to fight with?

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12. What was the name of the military operation Major Cain fought in?

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13. Which town was Lance Sergeant Baskeyfield born in?

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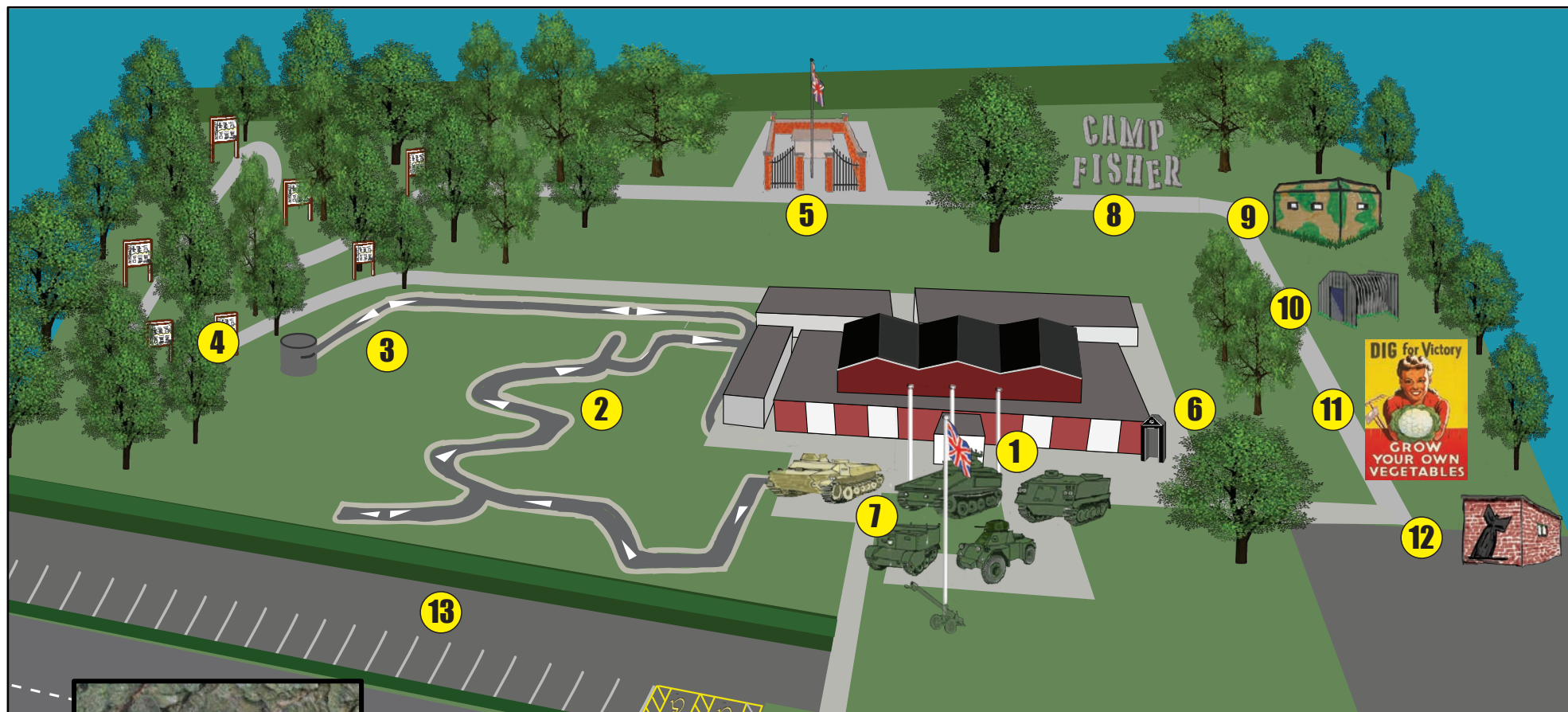
Now use letters from the highlighted boxes to decode two **secret words**. Write each letter in the boxes below, next to the question number. As an example, Question 1 is done for you. When you've finished, go back to the reception desk to check your answers.

12	5	11	9	8	10	4	3
7	2	1	13	6			
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Clue:

Read the secret words backwards to work out the challenge answer.

SOLDIER SKILLS: ORIENTEERING MAP



Markers
look like
this



When you've found all 15 marker letters,
go back to the reception desk to check
your answers!