Learn the story of the Grand River, and the significance of the region to the American Revolutionary Wars, the War of 1812, and the Industrial Revolution.

The Grand River flowing through Cambridge, Ontario.

The Mohawk name for the Grand River, O:se Kenhionhata:tie means ‘Willow River’. The river was named Grande Rivière by the French during the 18th century. It was later renamed Ouse (Oue) River by John Graves Simcoe for the Great Ouse River near his home in Lincolnshire.

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