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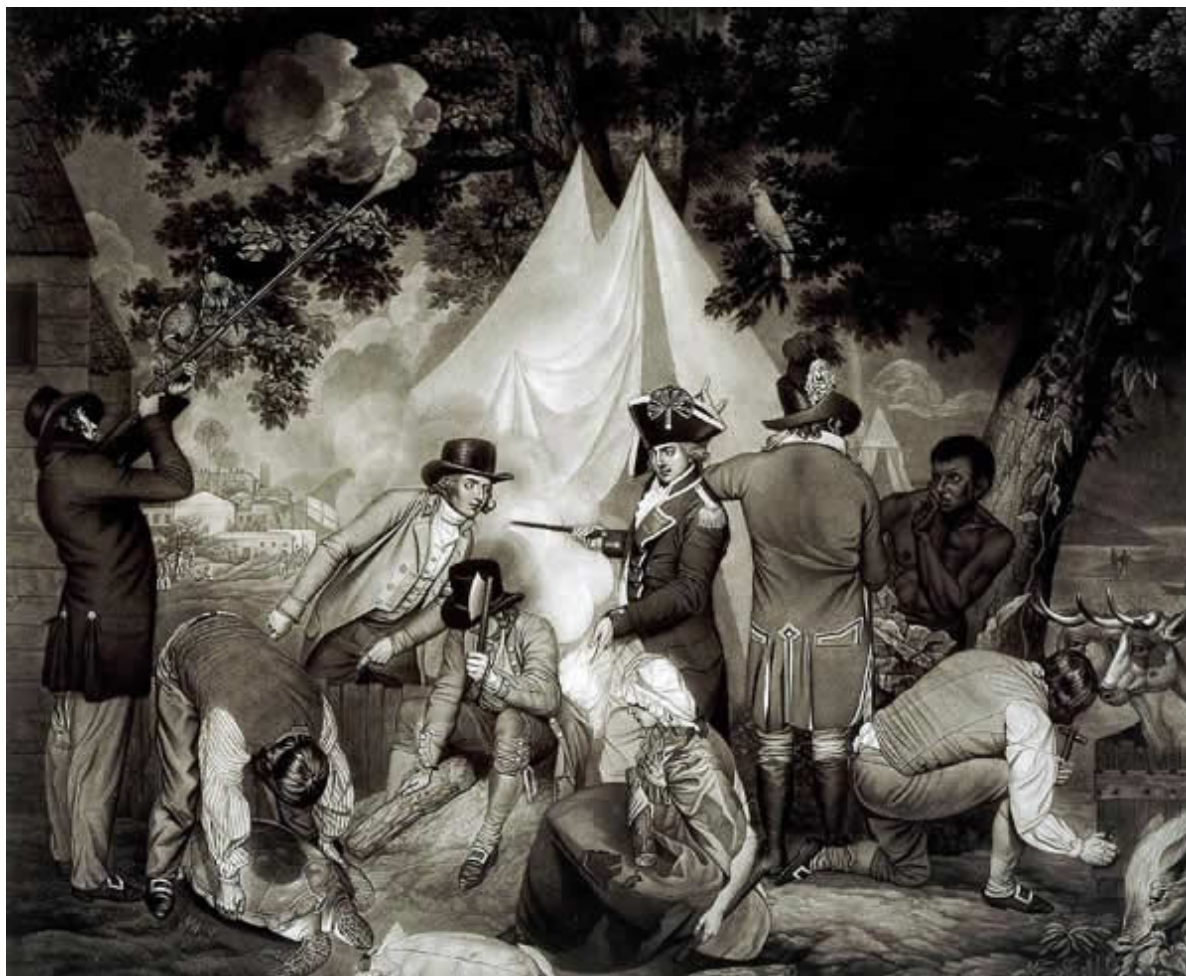
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Painting from 1799 showing the arrival of British colonists in Australia in 1788  
([The British Museum/Heritage-Images](#))



## How to use this source

Study this source carefully. Different parts of the source will contain clues about why the British became empire builders in Australia. As you study the source, ask yourself:

- What new things have the colonists brought with them to Australia?
- What are the colonists doing with the wild animals?
- What does this picture suggest about relations between the colonists and the Aborigines?
- What clues does this source provide about why the British became empire builders in Australia?

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