



## Source 1

**News film showing British soldiers digging trenches, 1915**

(ITN Archive/Pathé: 1916.05)

### How to use this source:

Study this source carefully. It contains information that could be useful in your presentation on life in the trenches. As you study the source, ask yourself:

- What are the soldiers in the film doing?
- What does the film clip tell you about British Army training, equipment or any other aspect of the history of the period?
- This clip shows troops in training. What factors would make digging trenches more difficult?
- Which aspects of trench warfare does this source provide information on?
- How could this source be used in your final presentation?



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