Colonial Terminology

Breeches — Charter — Copy book — Dependencies
Gaol — Gristmill — Hornbook
House of Burgesses — Indigo — Magazine

Breeches	men's pants that went just below the knees
Charter	document giving permission to a person or group to begin a colony in America
Copy book	paper for students to draw lines and then write on
Dependencies	outbuildings, such as smokehouses
Gaol	jail
Gristmill	place where grain was taken to grind
Hornbook	a small paddle-shaped piece of wood with letters and numbers for the student to learn
House of Burgesses	representative legislature in Virginia colony; first in America
Indigo	a plant used to make blue dye
Magazine	place where military equipment was stored

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