Practicing Math with Paul Revere

Go to the following link and watch the You Tube video. Complete the tasks below in your interactive notebook.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U4hUMQG3MI8

- 1. Using the map of the Midnight Ride, determine the elapsed time between stops.
- 2. William Dawes and Paul Revere both rode from Boston to Lexington. Who managed to get there quickest? How do you know?
- How long had Paul Revere been riding before he was captured?
- 4. Who was riding the longest amount of time? What was that time?
- 5. Who was riding the shortest amount of time? What was that time?
- 6. Go to the Google Maps and have students calculate how long it would take to drive from Boston to Lexington today. Then, come back to Paul Revere's Midnight Ride. Compare the travel time on a horse on April 18, 1775 to driving today. Which method is quicker and by how much time? How do you know?
- 7. Which type of travel would you choose to use at midnight? Why would you choose this type of travel?

