

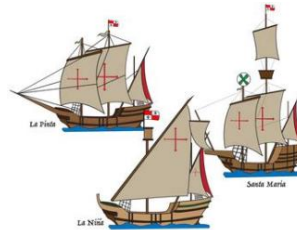
Key Vocabulary

Continent	A very large area of land that is usually made up of several countries.
Ocean	One of the five very large areas of sea on the Earth's surface.
Equator	An imaginary line around the middle of the Earth.
Explorer	Someone who travels to places in order to discover what is there.
Expedition	A long journey to explore a new place.
Navigate	To find the way using maps or a compass.
Sailor	Someone who works on a ship or sails a boat.
Voyage	A long journey on a ship or in a spacecraft.
Astronaut	A person who is trained for travelling in a spacecraft.
Rocket	A vehicle for space travel.
Gravity	The force which causes things to drop to the ground.
Wheel	
Chassis	
Axle	

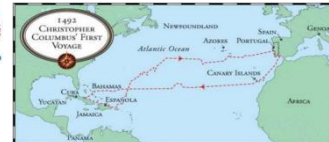
Mere Brow C.E. Primary School Years 1 and 2



1969



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Key Knowledge



Neil Armstrong

Neil Armstrong was an astronaut born in 1930 in the United States of America.

Scientists in the USA designed a spacecraft called Apollo 11 and in July 1969 it launched from the Kennedy Space Centre, Florida, USA.

There were three astronauts on board: Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins.

On 21st July 1969 Neil Armstrong became the first person to walk on the moon.

As he stepped on to the moon's surface his famous words were: "that's one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."

The astronauts planted an American flag on the moon.



Christopher Columbus

Christopher Columbus was an Explorer born in 1451 in Genoa, Italy.

Columbus believed the Earth was round and not flat as a lot of people believed in those days, and decided to try to sail west from Europe to find a new way to get to Asia.

On 3rd August 1492 Columbus set sail with his three ships: the Santa Maria, the Nina and the Pinta.

On his way to Asia he found new lands called 'The Americas' and became famous for this.

He brought back pineapples and turkeys from America!

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Explorers

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