

Quiz Show

Chapter 2

European Explorers



When supply of a product increases, demand drops.

TRUE or FALSE?

The Portuguese were the first to use technological advances in their explorations.

TRUE or FALSE?

A commission was a granting of powers to an explorer by a king.

TRUE or FALSE?

The Mi'kmaq people did not benefit from their trade with the Europeans.

TRUE or FALSE?

The last Beothuk, known as Shawnadithit, died of tuberculosis.

TRUE or FALSE?

Explorers would kidnap and take First Nations people back to Europe with them to show their kings so they could prove the value of their expeditions.

TRUE or FALSE?

Cartier was the first cartographer.

TRUE or FALSE?

The Northwest passage was a sea route through the Arctic waters to Asia that Cartier followed.

TRUE or FALSE?

All the men on Sir John Franklin's expedition through the Northwest passage died due to lead poisoning.

TRUE or FALSE?

Samuel de Champlain followed Cartier's path into the new world, exploring the St. Lawrence River and establishing a settlement in Québec.

TRUE or FALSE?

Giovanni da Verrazano's mission was to "connect the geography dots": to see if the land Columbus had claimed for Spain was connected to the land that Caboto had claimed for England. It wasn't.

TRUE or FALSE?

Cartier wanted to take some Stadaconans home as proof of a successful mission – a standard practice for explorers in his day.

TRUE or FALSE?

Explorers generally did not consider how their actions affected other people especially non-Christian people.

TRUE or FALSE?

The idea of claiming and controlling new land and territories for one's homeland is best known as

- A. Durability
- B. Manoeuvre
- C. Colonization
- D. Imperialism
- E. Disruption

European exploration of the area known today as Alberta began in the _____.

- A. 1500's
- B. 1600's
- C. 1700's
- D. 1800's
- E. 1400's

European exploration began in the

- A. East
- B. West
- C. North
- D. South
- E. Artic

The first people ever to step foot on what is today known as North America were the

- A. French
- B. Vikings
- C. Spanish
- D. British
- E. Asian

The following was the main push factor for European exploration in the West.

- A. Curiosity of young adventurers
- B. Disruption for trade in Europe due to wars
- C. Greed for more wealth
- D. European population explosion
- E. Desire to learn about new cultures and languages

Christopher Columbus didn't find Asia but instead landed in

- A. South America
- B. France
- C. The Caribbean
- D. Britian
- E. The Middle east

Exploration was enabled by the use of the following technology

- A. astrolabe
- B. compass
- C. ships
- D. All of the above
- E. None of the above

The goal of exploration for all the European nations is best described by the desire to

- A. Control other lands
- B. Find riches
- C. Find new labourers
- D. Trade goods
- E. Convert others to Christianity

*Which of the following is the **best answer** when thinking of the Europeans' perspective on interacting and trading with the Mi'kmaq people? The European perspective was based on*

- A. Dominating weaker nations
- B. Trading and accumulating wealth
- C. Relationship building
- D. Goodwill and respect
- E. Conversion to Christianity

The Beothuk people and the Europeans

- A. Traded easily together
- B. Did not establish friendly relations
- C. Were allies in a war against the Mi'kmaq
- D. Established friendly relations
- E. Arranged for 3 people from the Beothuk nation to travel to Europe

Cartier raised a cross on the Gaspé Peninsula because he wanted to use it as a

- A. Landmark for future travels
- B. Sign of claiming the land
- C. Peace sign with the Stadacona people
- D. Worshipping idol
- E. Teaching tool to educate the Stadacona people about Christianity

Who is known as the “Father of New France?”

- A. Henry Hudson
- B. Jacques Cartier
- C. Samuel de Champlain
- D. Giovanni Caboto
- E. Christopher Columbus

Sieur de Monts was a

- A. nobleman
- B. War bride
- C. sailor
- D. Medicine man
- E. explorer

All explorers took on the tremendous task of venturing into unknown lands for the purpose of

- A. Claiming land for their countries
- B. adventure
- C. curiosity
- D. Escaping their home land
- E. Becoming famous

“False as diamonds from Canada” was an expression that was inspired by

- A. Cartier’s finding of quartz crystal instead of diamonds.
- B. Caboto’s map drawings
- C. Columbus’ discovery of the Caribbean
- D. John Franklin’s expedition into the Northern Passage.
- E. Champlain establishing a settlement at Acadia

The disruption of trade in _____ increased the prices of silk and spices in Europe because people could no longer get these goods easily.

Asia

The _____ and the _____ were two new inventions of the time that made exploration easier.

Compass, Astrolabe

Christopher Columbus discovered _____ America and
_____ America.

Central, South

*Giovanni Caboto landed in _____ and claimed it for
_____.*

Newfoundland, Britain

Hatmakers in Europe liked to use old, worn furs called _____ to make hats because this fur was fuzzy.

underfurs

The French and British set up _____ and
_____ in Newfoundland without taking the Beothuks into
consideration.

Fishing camps, settlements

Cartier found _____ and
_____ instead of diamonds and gold.

Quartz crystals, iron pyrite

*William Cormack tried to record the _____ and
_____ of the Beothuk people while Shawnadithit was still alive.*

History, culture

Cartier raised a cross on the Gaspé Peninsula that read

Long Live the King of France

*The British captured Beothuk people, intending to give them gifts and make them
_____ of peace.*

messengers

Giovanni Caboto sailed in 1497 with the commission that said he had the full authority “to _____, occupy and possess” lands “newly found by them” for _____.

Conquer, England

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geography

Jacque Cartier's mission was to find a passage to _____ through North America and "to discover certain islands and lands, where it is said that a great quantity of _____, and other precious things are to be found."

Asia, gold

Matching

