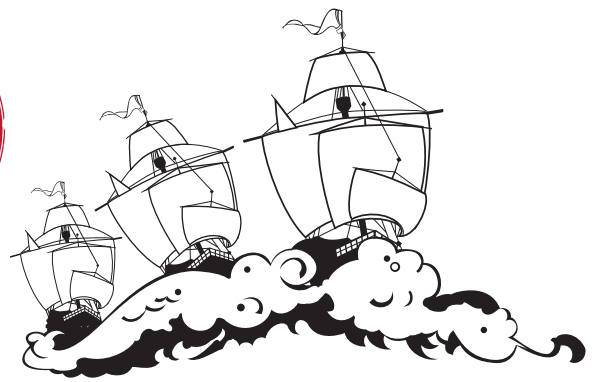


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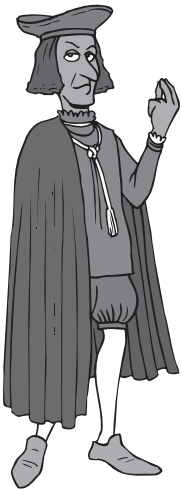
Christopher Columbus.



1 Number.

- a. Columbus died in Valladolid. ☐
- b. Columbus discovered America. ☐
- c. King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella helped Columbus with the trip. ☐
- d. Columbus departed from Palos de la Frontera. ☐
- e. Christopher Columbus was born in 1451, probably in Genoa, Italy. ☐
- f. Columbus wanted to sail to Asia. He needed a lot of money for this trip. ☐

2 Circle and write.



Christopher Columbus was born in 1451, probably in Genoa. Columbus wanted to find a new route to India and China. He wanted to bring back silk and spices. Columbus wanted to find a quicker and easier route to Asia sailing

(1) _____. It was a dangerous journey and he needed money. He visited the courts of the kings and queens asking for help and money. Ferdinand and Isabella, the king and queen of (2) _____, decided to help him. In 1492 Columbus departed from Palos de la Frontera, in (3) _____, Spain, with three ships: the Pinta, the Niña and the Santa Maria. The ships were

small, between 15 and 36 metres long. In the three ships they carried about (4) _____ men. After sailing across the (5) _____ Ocean for ten weeks, on 12th October 1492 Columbus saw (6) _____. He arrived at a small island in the Bahamas. Columbus named the island San Salvador. The people living on the islands were Arawaks and Caribs. Columbus called all the people he met in the islands (7) _____ because he thought he was in India. When Columbus arrived in Cuba, he thought it was Japan. Columbus came back to Spain in March 1493. Columbus sailed to America (8) _____ more times. He received new titles: Admiral of the Ocean Sea and Governor of the Indies. Columbus died in (9) _____.

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| 1 a. east | b. north | c. west | 6 a. a cloud | b. a ship | c. land |
| 2 a. Spain | b. Portugal | c. Italy | 7 a. Indians | b. pirates | c. aborigenes |
| 3 a. Huelva | b. Valencia | c. Italy | 8 a. two | b. three | c. five |
| 4 a. 9 | b. 90 | c. 900 | 9 a. 1506 | b. 1526 | c. 1530 |
| 5 a. Pacific | b. Indian | c. Atlantic | | | |