Unit 2: The Age of Contact

Lesson 1:

The Big Picture





Warm-up:

Follow the directions below to complete your warm-up



Read the introductory passage.



Choose the three items that you think were the primary goals of the Spanish.



Place a 1, 2, and 3 next to each goal based on how important you think each was.



Draw an X next to the items that you think were not primary goals for the Spanish.



Discuss with a shoulder partner.





Share with the class:

I think the **most** important goal for the Spanish was probably _____





I think the **second most** important goal for the Spanish was probably

I think the **third most** important goal for the Spanish was probably _____







Essential Question



What are the defining characteristics and key concepts of Unit 2: The Age of Contact?



In Today's Lesson



1. We will identify key people, events, and concepts of Unit 2: Age of Contact.

2. <u>I will</u> read a passage about the unit, summarize each paragraph, and provide evidence to support claims about the passage.



Part I: Analyze an Image

Look at the image on your worksheet, or enlarged here, to answer the questions.







Part II: Essential Ideas Reading Passage

Before you read the passage:

Read each statement here.

Predict whether the answer will be TRUE (T) or FALSE (F)

Write **T** or **F** in the pre-reading prediction box

Pre- Reading Prediction	Post- Reading	Statement	Justification Provide evidence to support your answer
		 Christopher Columbus was searching for new continents to establish trade with. 	
		Columbus was the first non- American to set foot in the Americas.	
		 Spain's goals for exploring the world including spreading their faith and acquiring wealth. 	
		 Many European explorers viewed the Americas as a great opportunity to gain new resources and riches. 	
		Spanish exploration had very little affect on the land or people in the Americas.	





Image to accompany paragraph 1

1

Circle or highlight key words

2



Drawing of an American Indian man with a shield and a spear. Portal to Texas History





Image to accompany paragraph 2

Circle or highlight key words



Portrait of Christopher Columbus. Library of Congress





Image to accompany paragraph 3

Circle or highlight key words

2

Three-word summary in the margin



Painting of the king and queen of Spain receiving Christopher Columbus after his first voyage to America. Library of Congress.





Image to accompany paragraph 4

1

Circle or highlight key words

2

Three-word summary in the margin



Spain's greatest goal for exploration: GOLD!



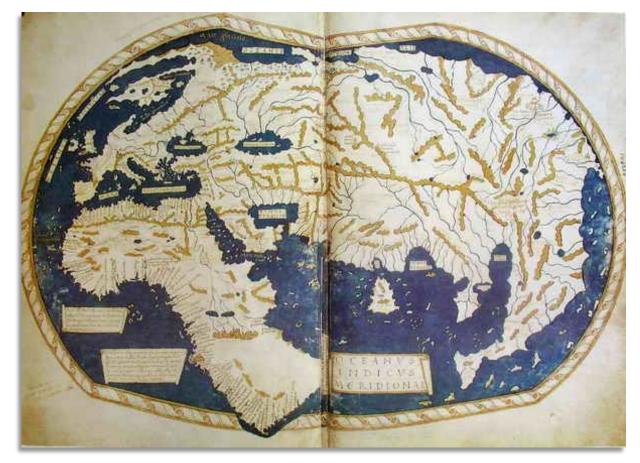


Image to accompany paragraph 5

1

Circle or highlight key words

2



Map of the known world according to most Europeans in 1488.



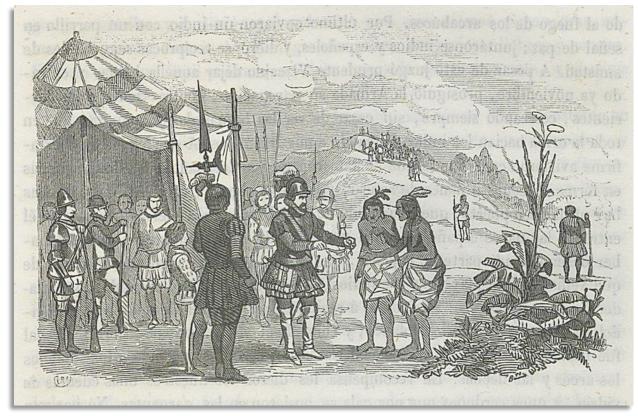


Image to accompany paragraph 6

1 Circle or h

Circle or highlight key words

2



Artwork depicting the Royal Marina Hispaniola Conquistadors encountering Indigenous American people





Image to accompany paragraph 7

1

Circle or highlight key words

2



A painting showing American Indian men hunting a herd of buffalo on horseback. Smithsonian American Art Museum.





Image to accompany paragraph 8

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2



Artwork titled "The Discovery of the Mississippi by De Soto and his Followers." Library of Congress





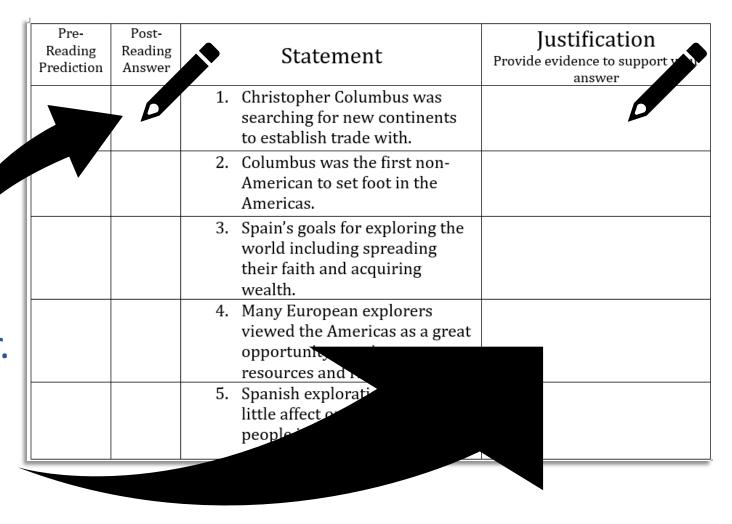
Part III: Return to the Reading Guide in Part II

After you read the passage:

Re-read each statement here.

Provide the correct **True / False** answer.

<u>Justification:</u> Provide text evidence for your answer.







Exit Ticket



Based on the reading passage today, what are three things that we will learn about in Unit 2: Age of Contact.



Write in complete sentences.



Share with a partner





Share with the class





One thing we will learn about in Unit 2: the Age of Contact is