John Cabot

Vasco Nunez de Balboa

Juan Ponce de Leon

Christopher Columbus

Henry Hudson

Jacques Cartier

Sons of Liberty

King George III

George Washington

Benjamin Franklin

I was an explorer for England. I wanted to discover a Northwest Passage to Asia. I sailed up the Hudson River in present day New York before hitting a dead end. Who am I?

I was a great leader during the Revolutionary War. I was a member of the Continental Congress and in 1776 I helped to write the Declaration of Independence. I helped write the Constitution of the United States and I signed four of the most important documents in our country's history, the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, the Treaty of Alliance with France, and the Treaty of Paris in 1783. Who am I?

I was an explorer sponsored by Spain. I explored in search of gold and the legendary “fountain of youth.” I was the first European to reach Florida and named it after the Spanish word for flower. Who am I?

I was a French explorer. I sailed in search of a water route to Asia. I sailed over 1000 miles along the St. Lawrence River in Canada. Who am I?

I was an explorer sponsored by Spain. I grew up in Italy. I sailed west in search of a shorter route to Asia. I made 3 voyages with several ships. I settled in the present day Bahamas and later in other parts of Central and South America. Who am I?

I was the King of Great Britain during the American Revolutionary War. In Britain I was hailed a hero. Patriots called me a tyrant. Who am I?

I was an explorer sponsored by England. I sailed to find a shorter route to Asia. I landed on the coast of Canada where there were a lot of fish. Later Europeans came after me to set up fishing companies. Who am I?

I was an explorer sponsored by Spain. I explored in search of a land route to the Pacific Ocean. I sailed to present day Panama in Central America. I crossed the mountains and jungles of Panama and was the first European to reach the Eastern part of the Pacific Ocean. Who am I?

I was a great Patriot General of the Continental Army in the American Revolutionary War. I lead my men to victory. After the war, I became President of the Constitutional Convention and was later elected as the first president of the United States of America. Who am I?

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