



*The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart. (Psalm 19:8)* 

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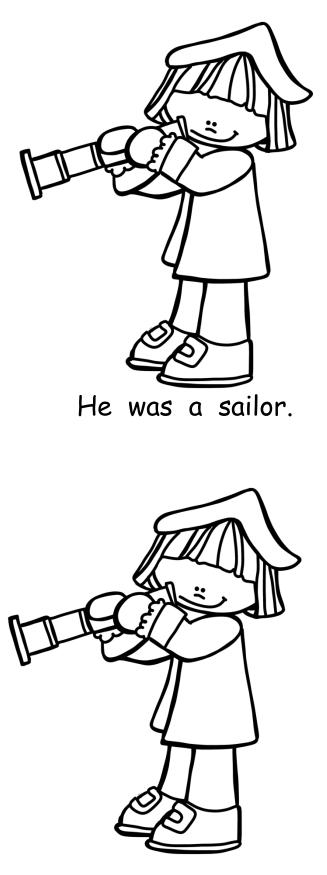




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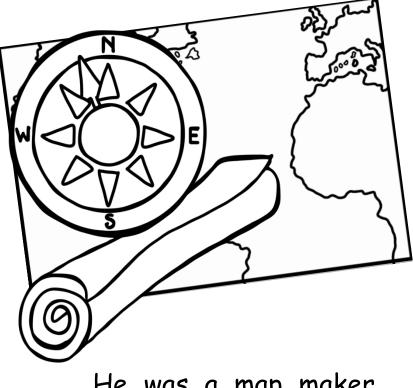


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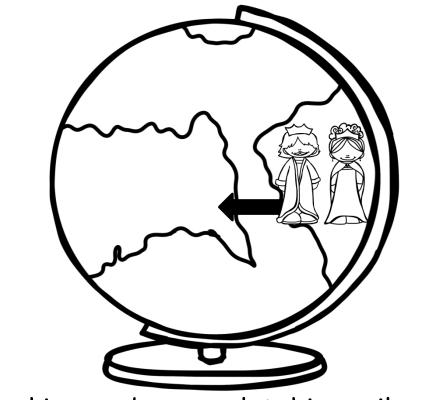


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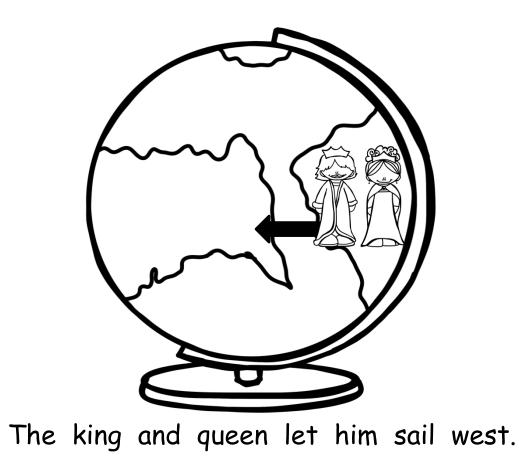


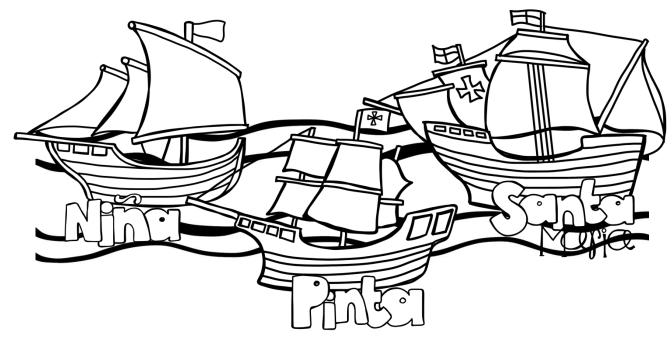


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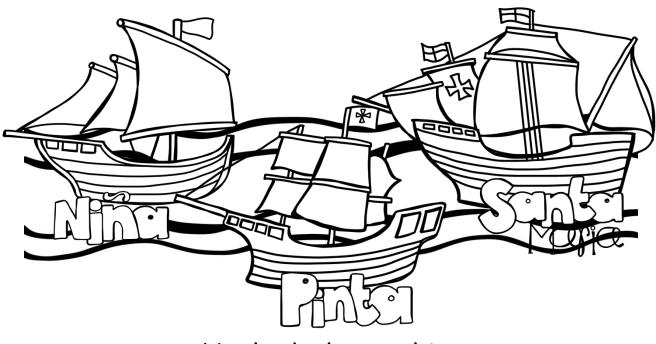


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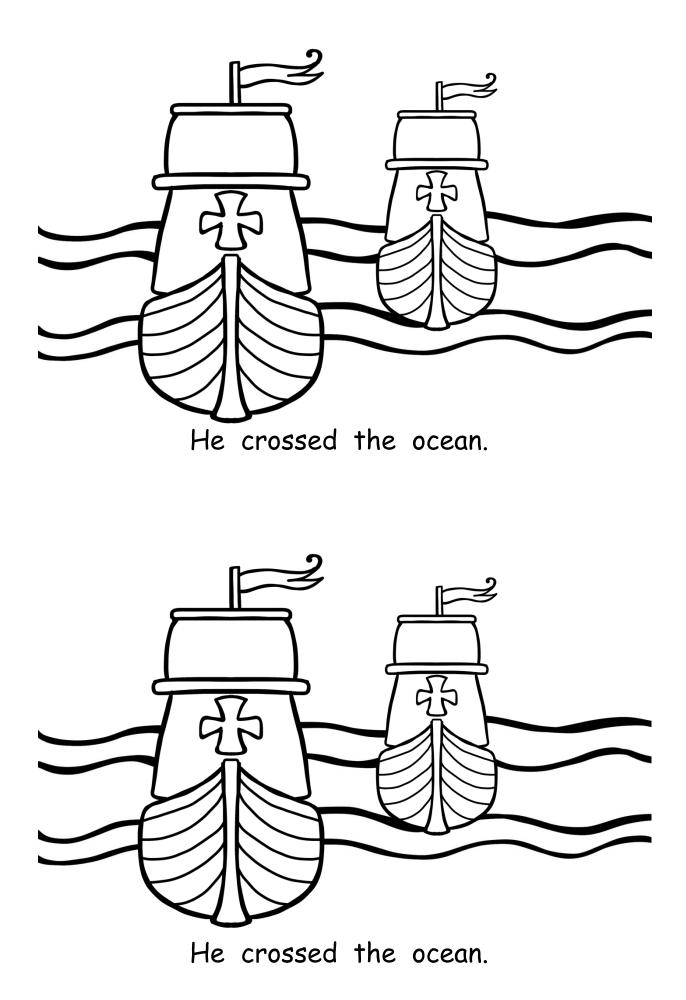




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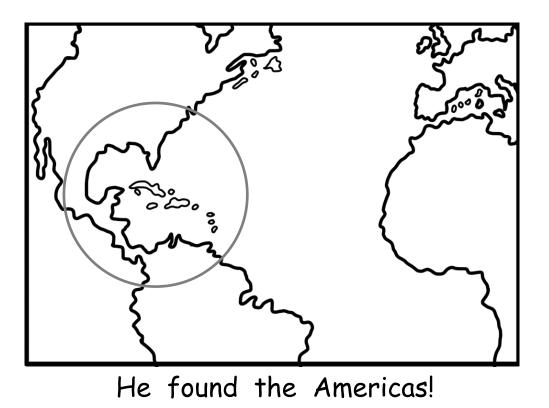


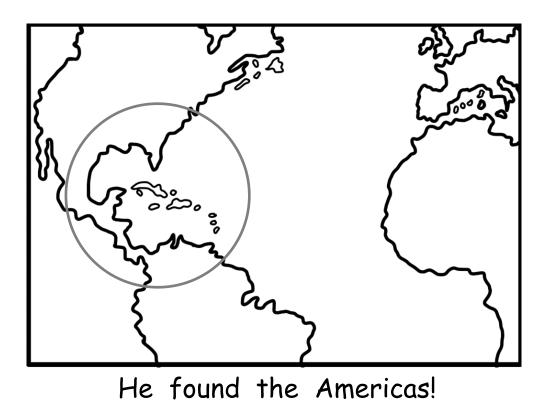
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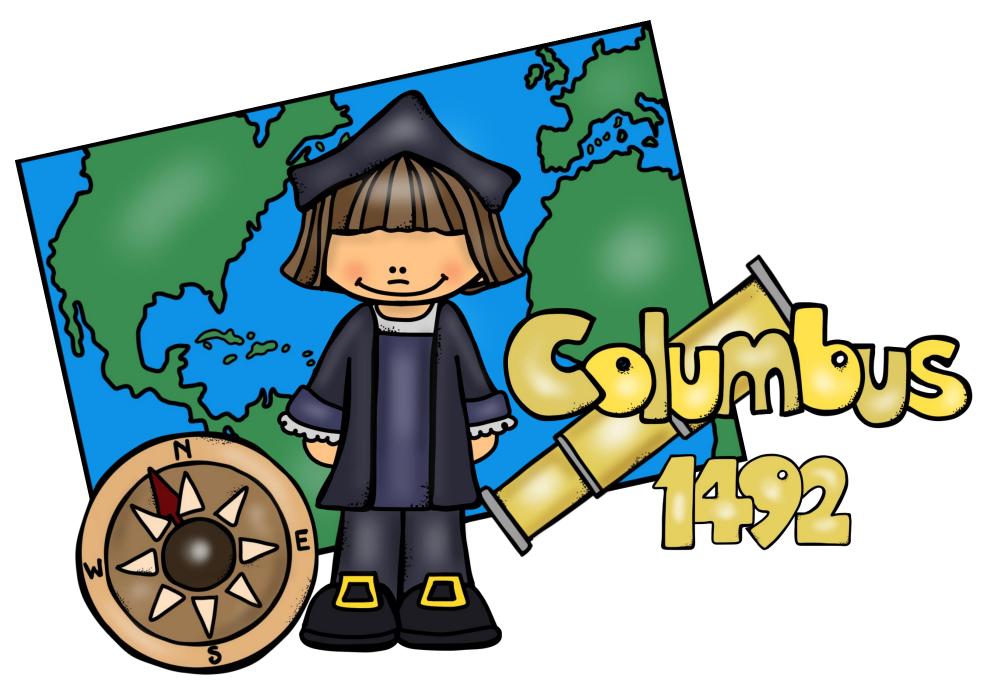
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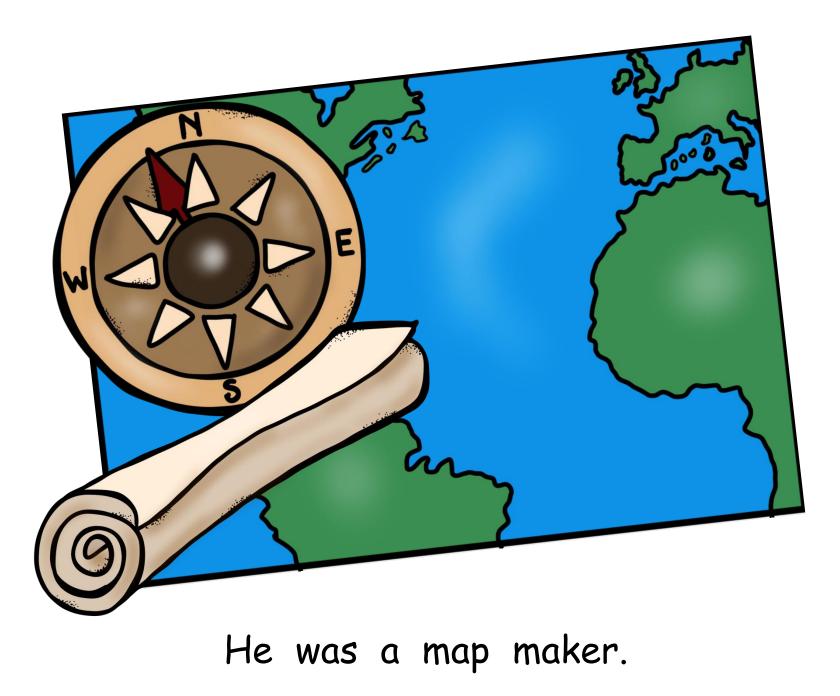




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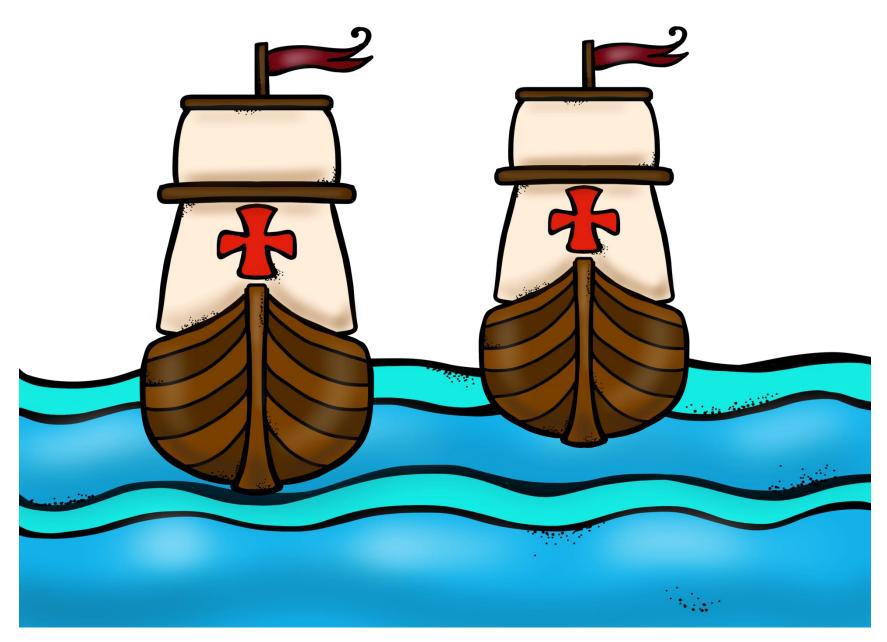




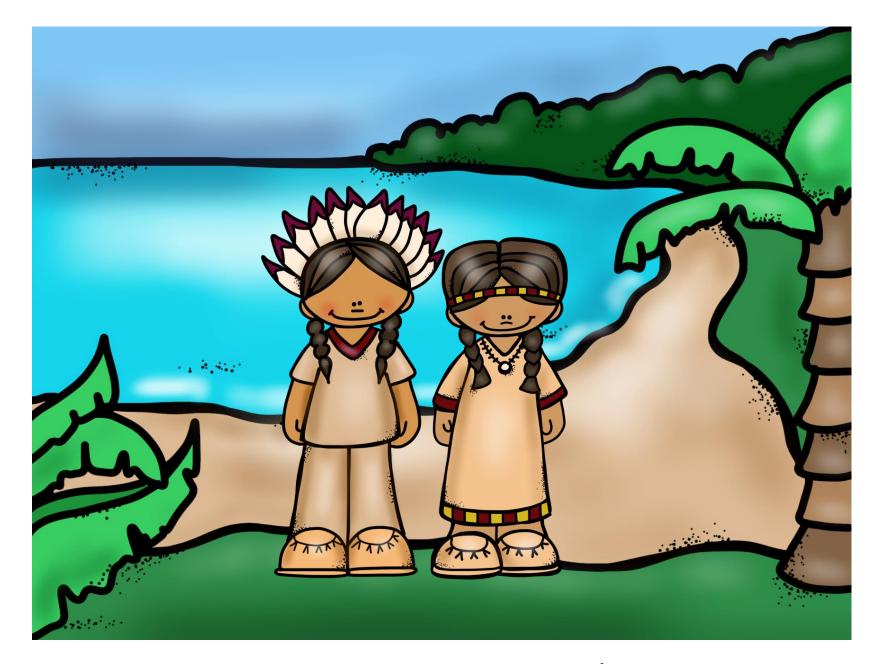
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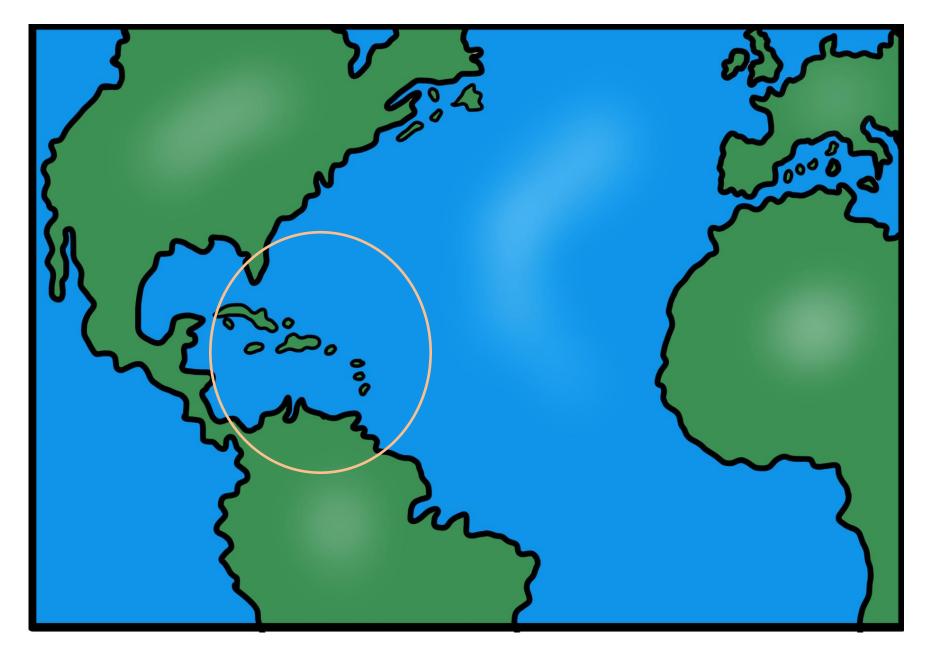
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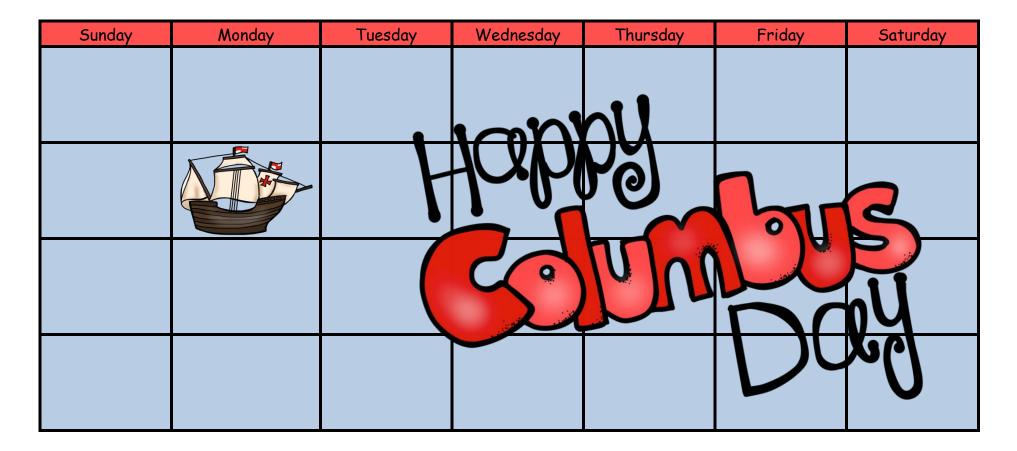


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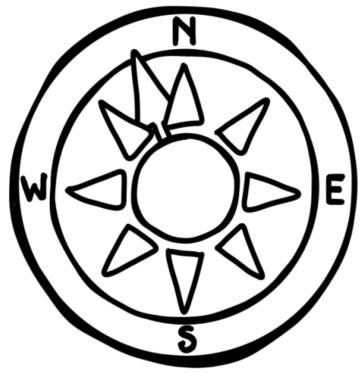
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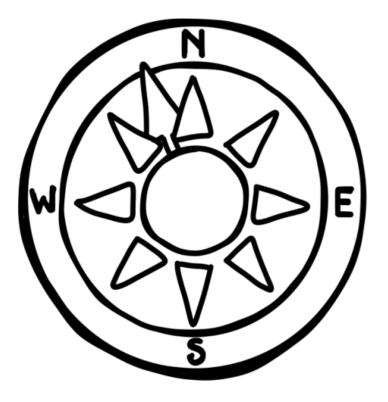
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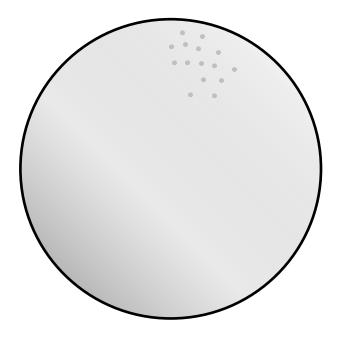
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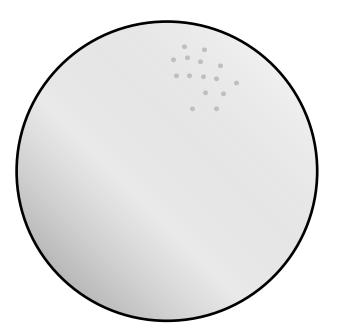
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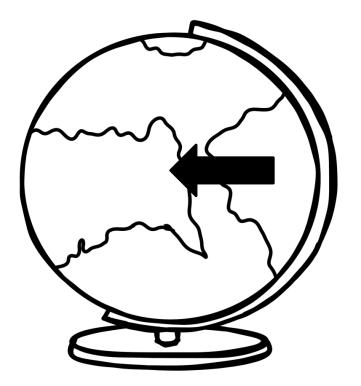
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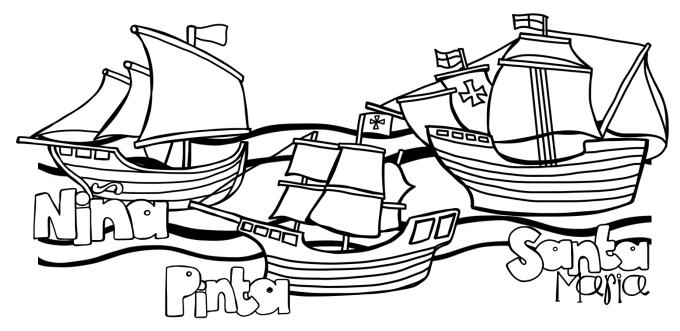


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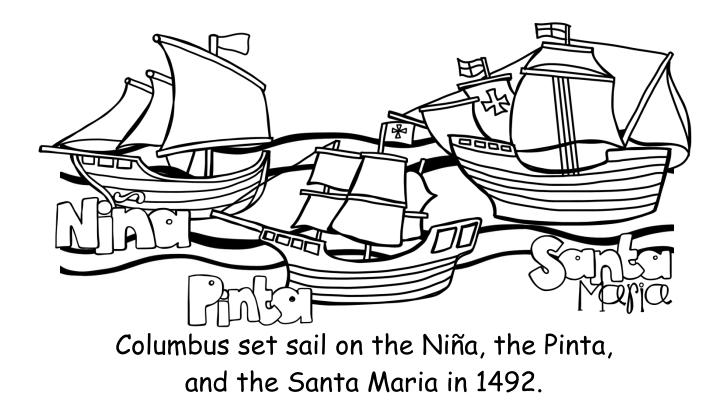


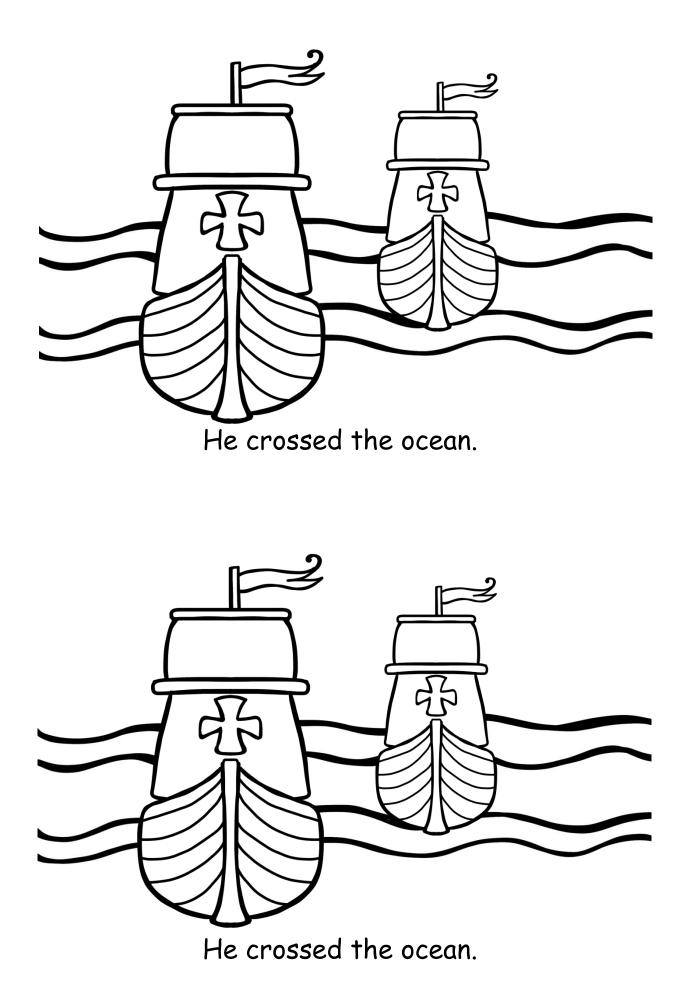


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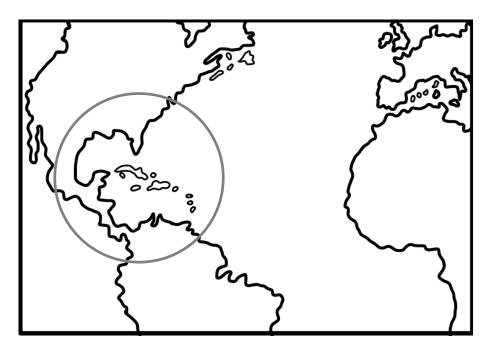


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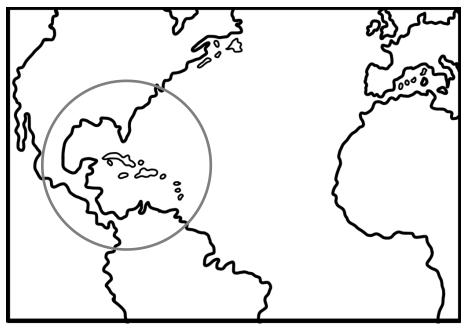








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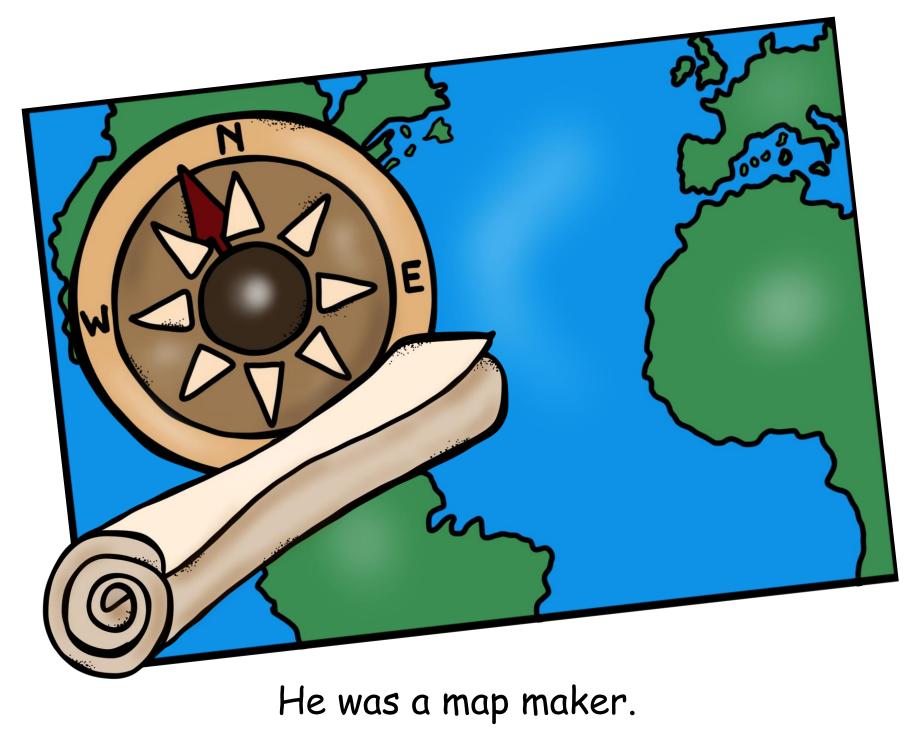
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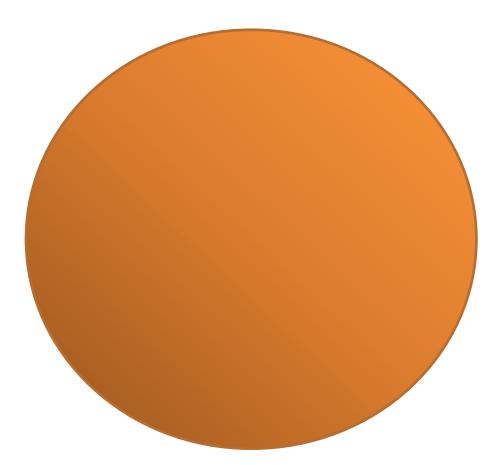




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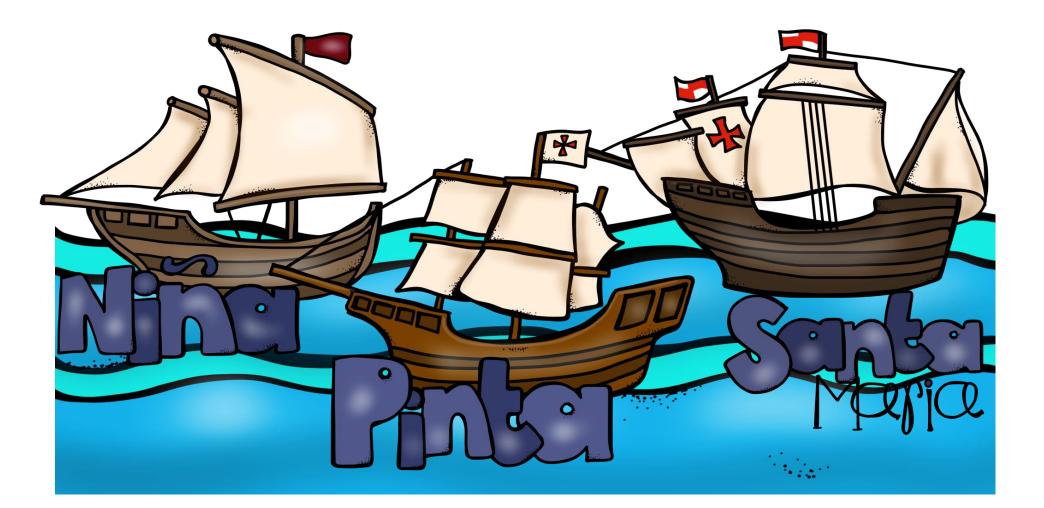
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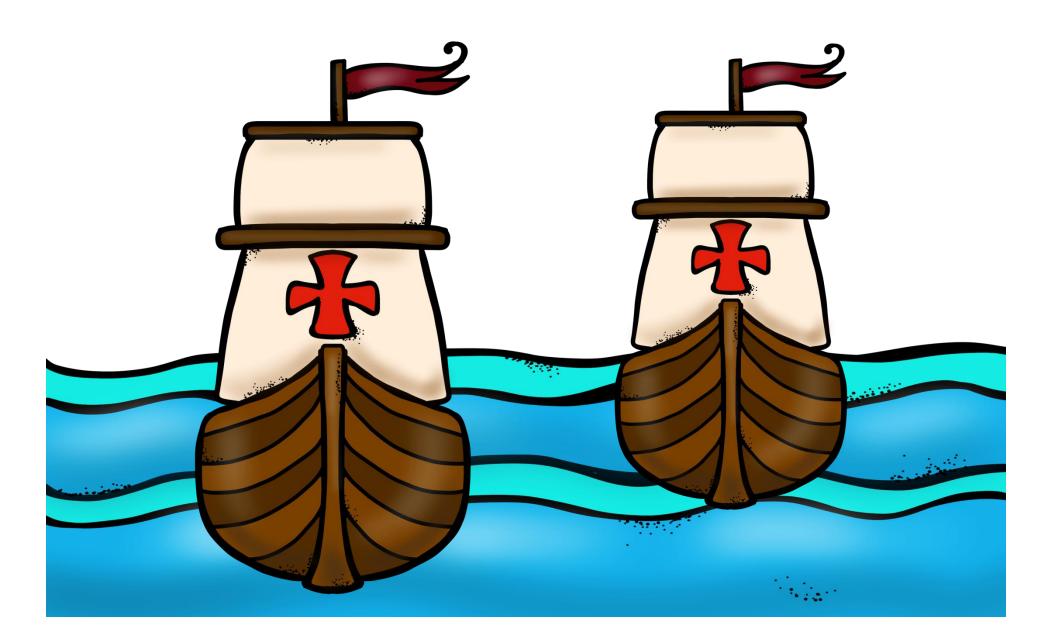
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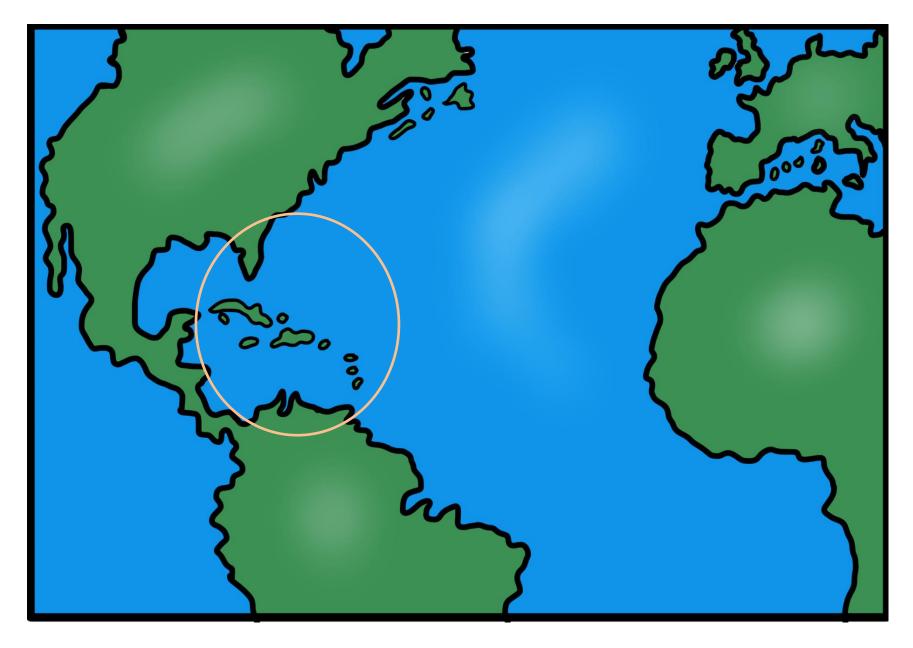
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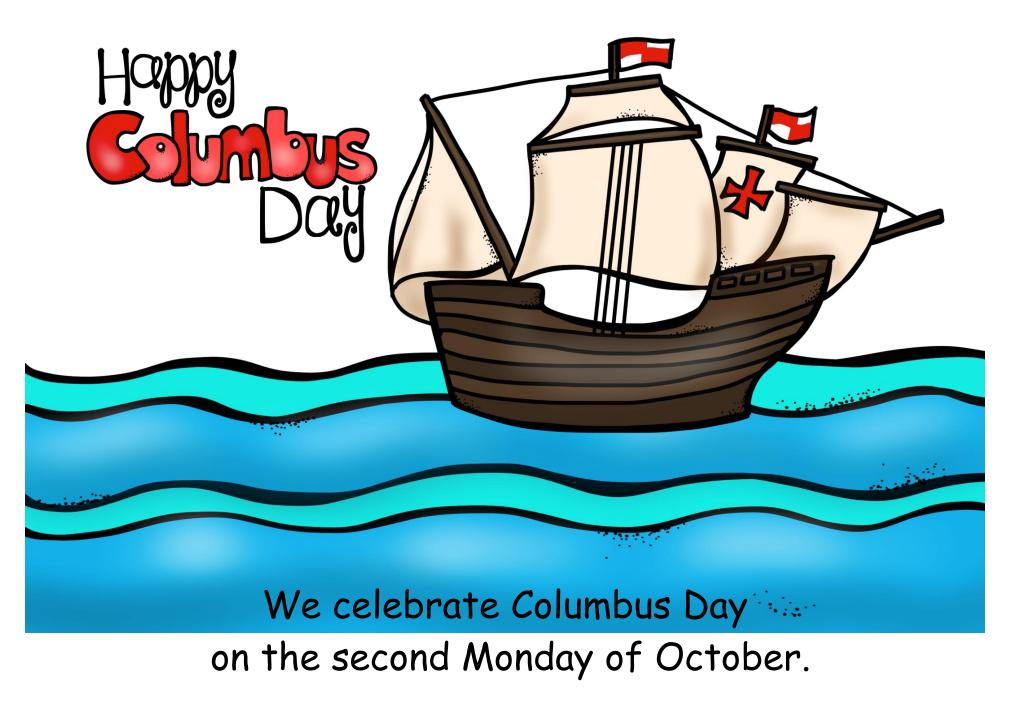
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#### He found the Americas!





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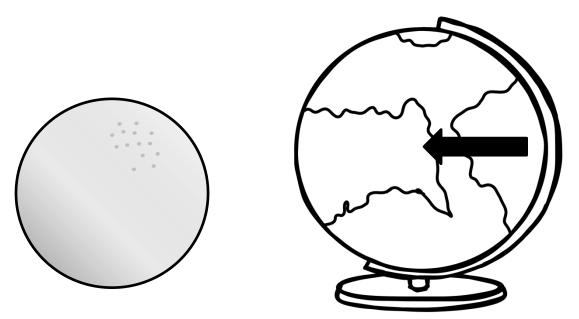




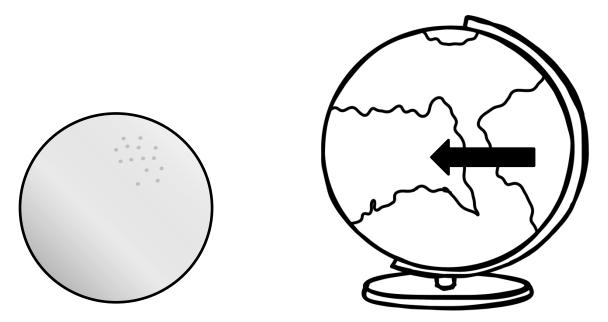
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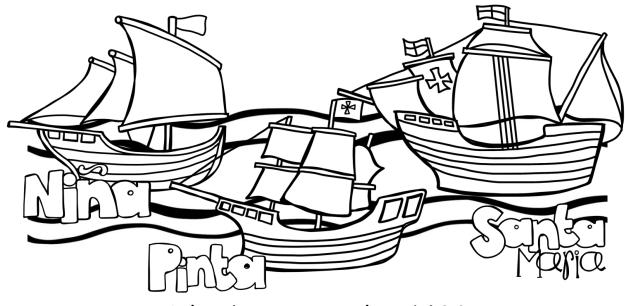
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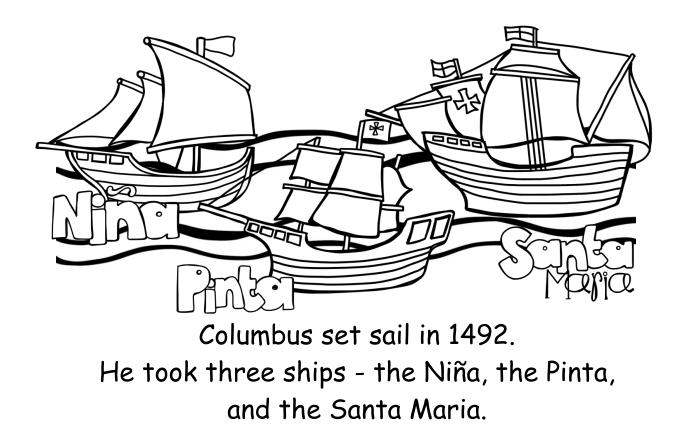
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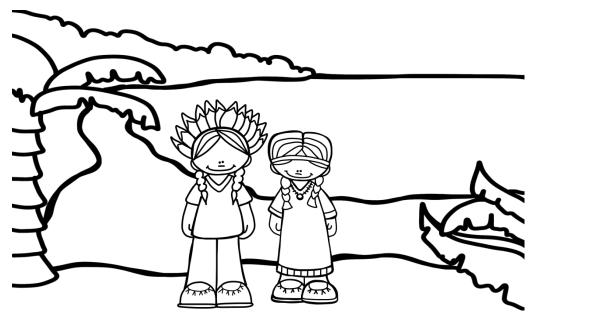


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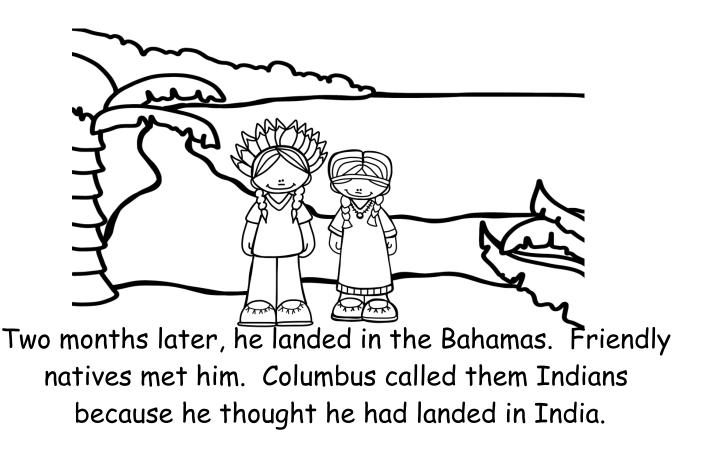


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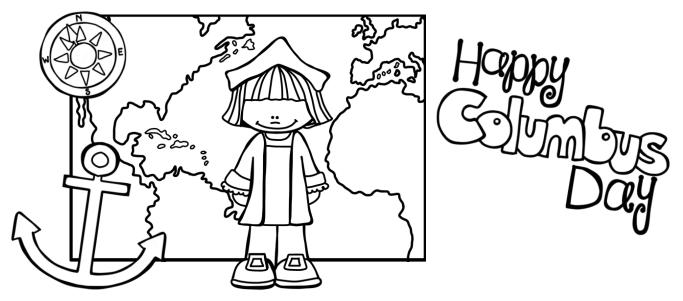


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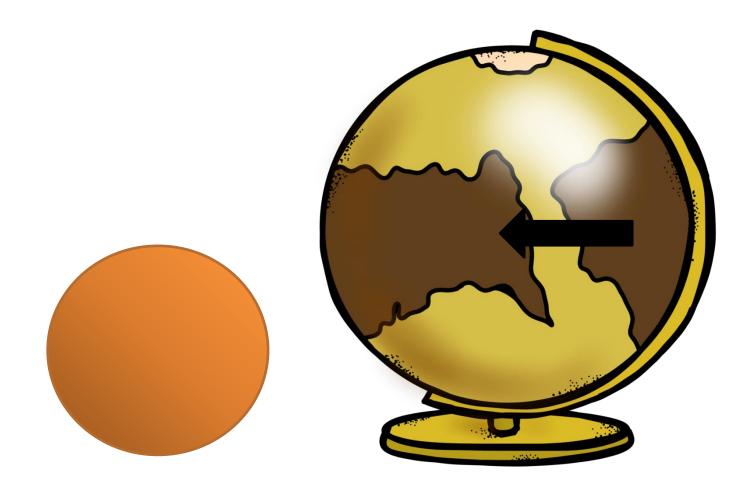








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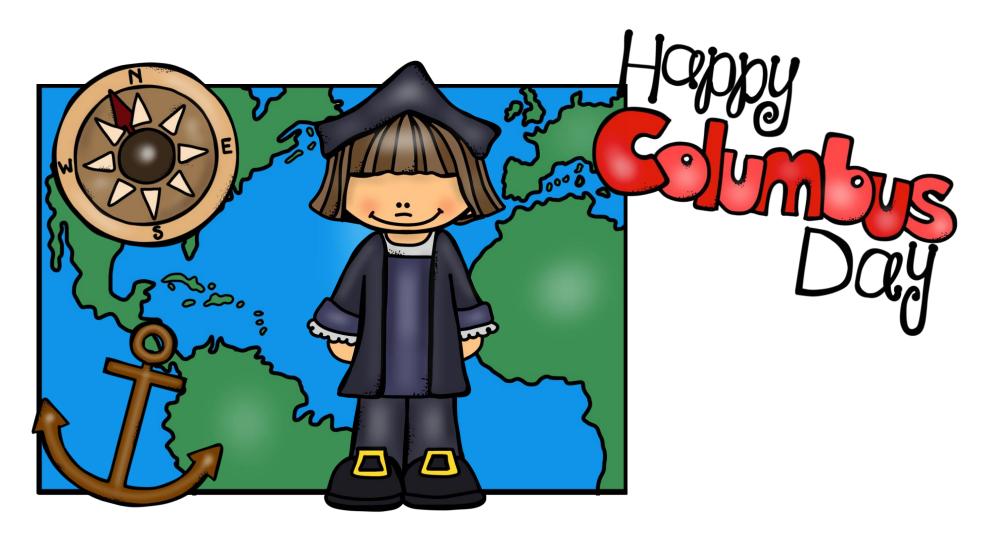
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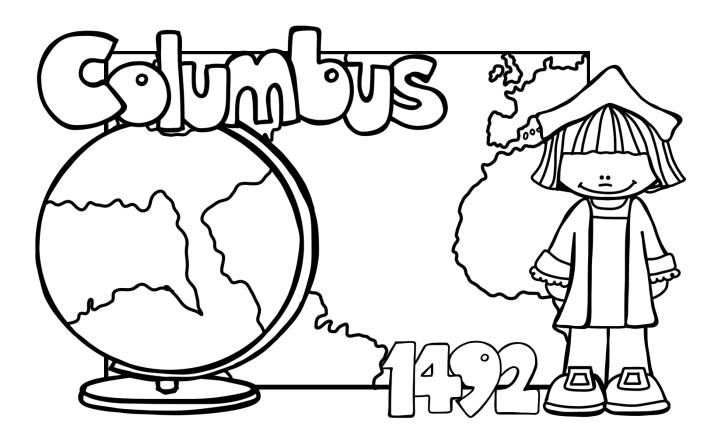
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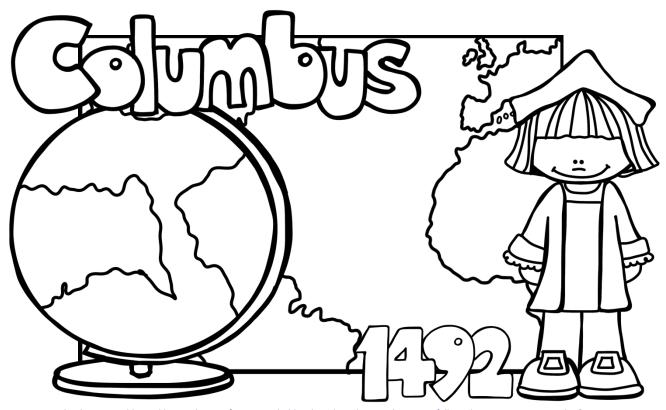


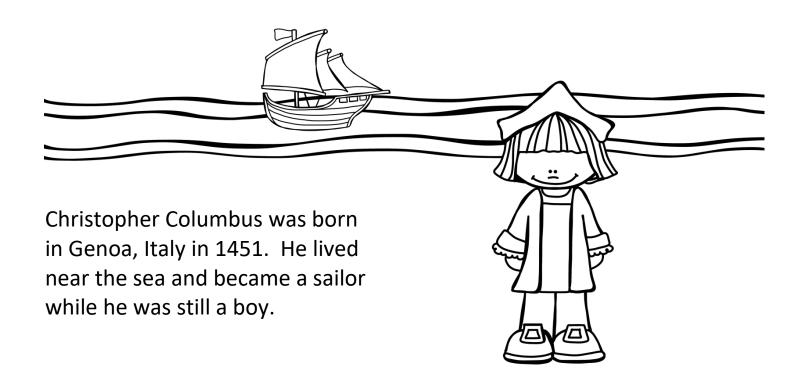
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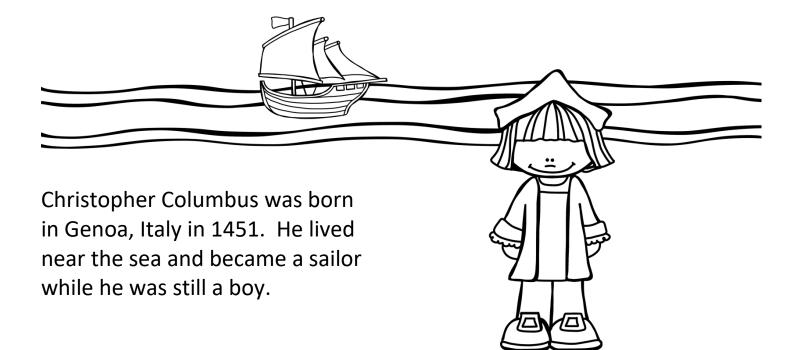


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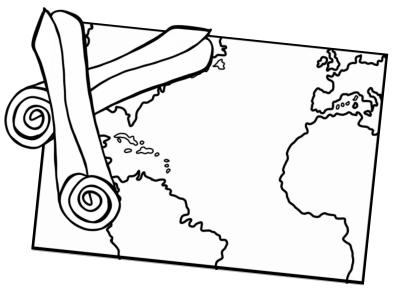




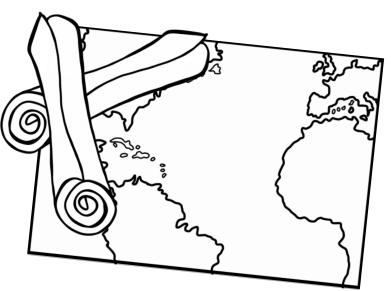




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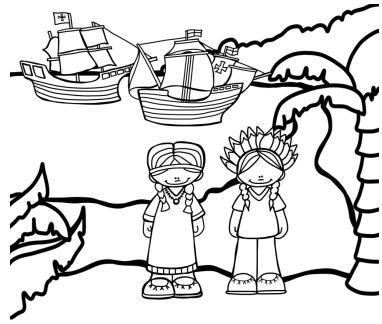
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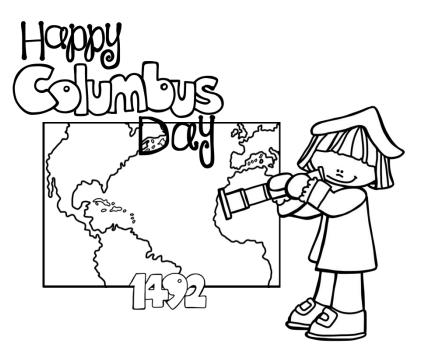
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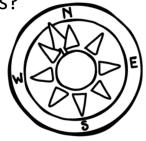


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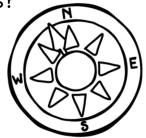
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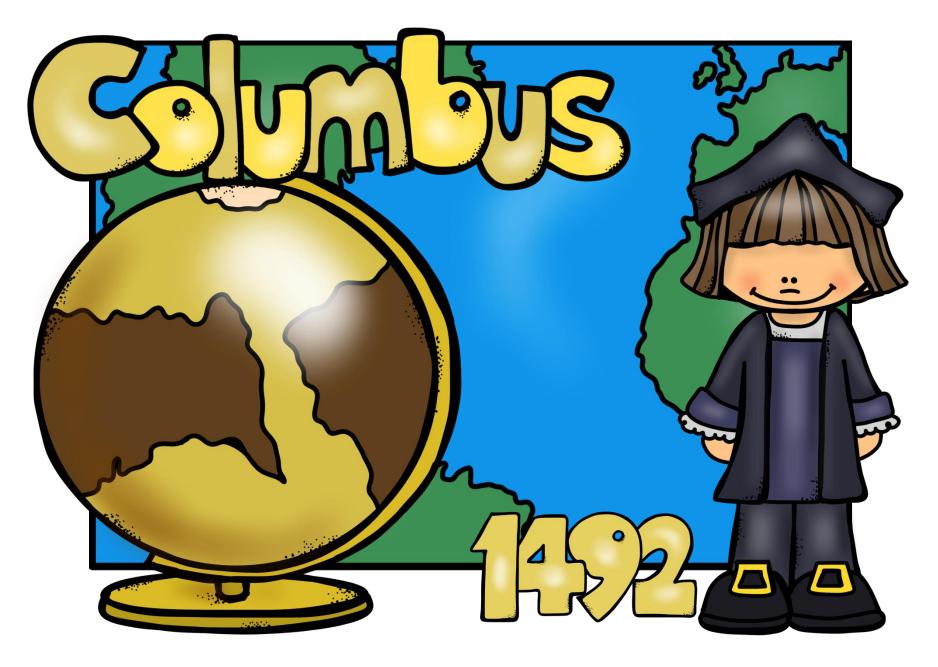
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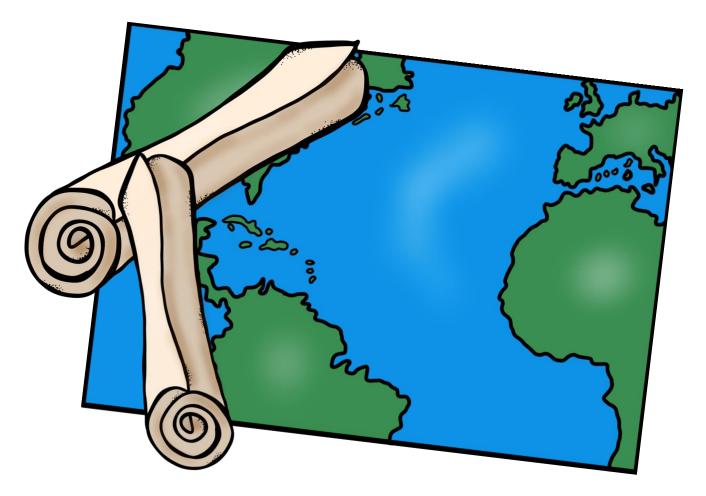




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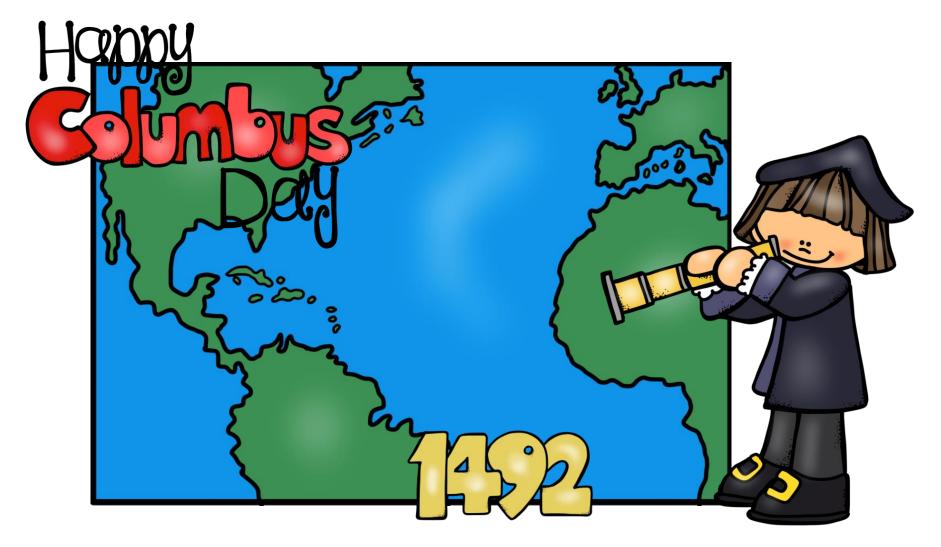
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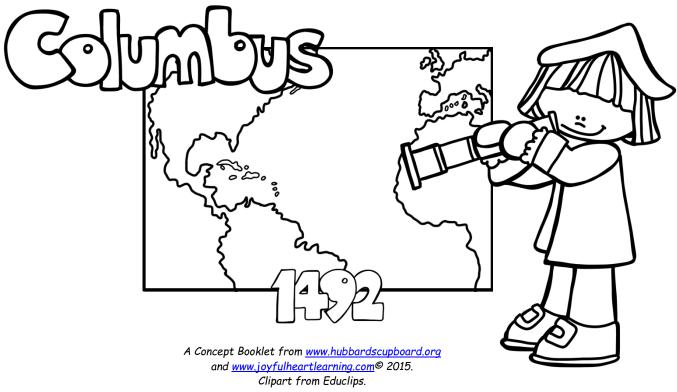
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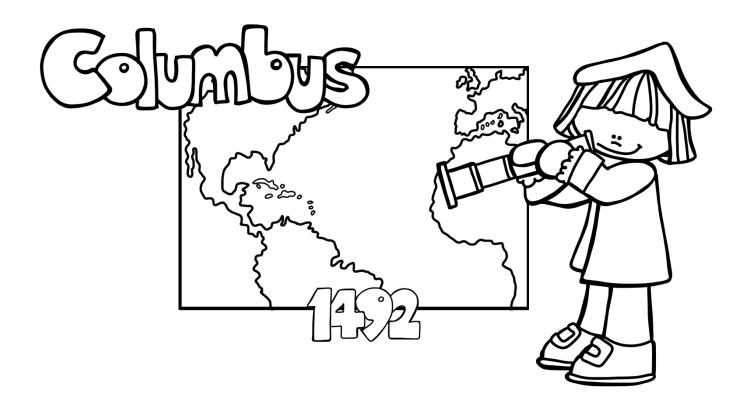


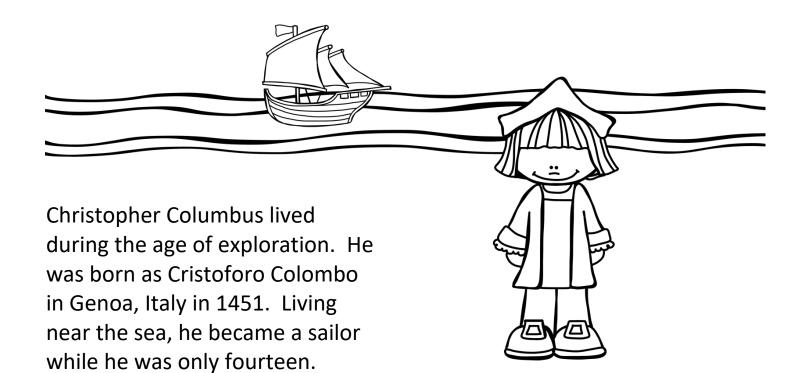
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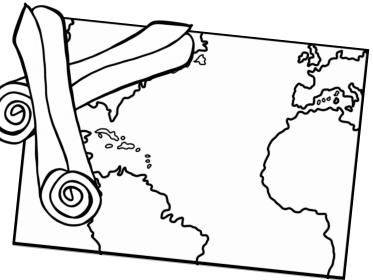




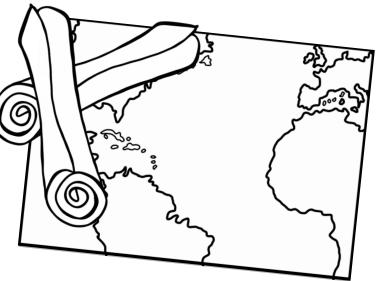


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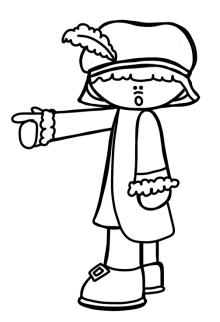


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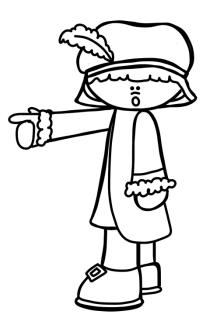


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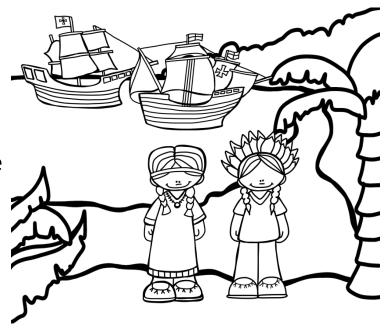
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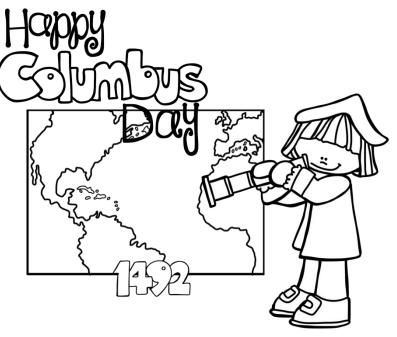
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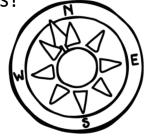


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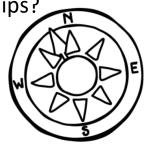
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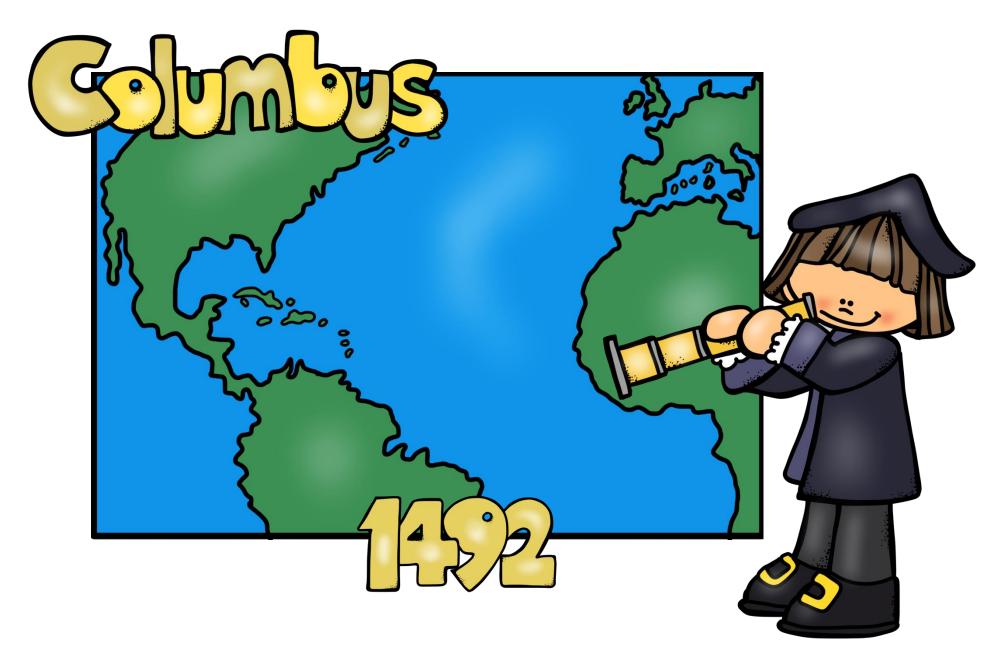
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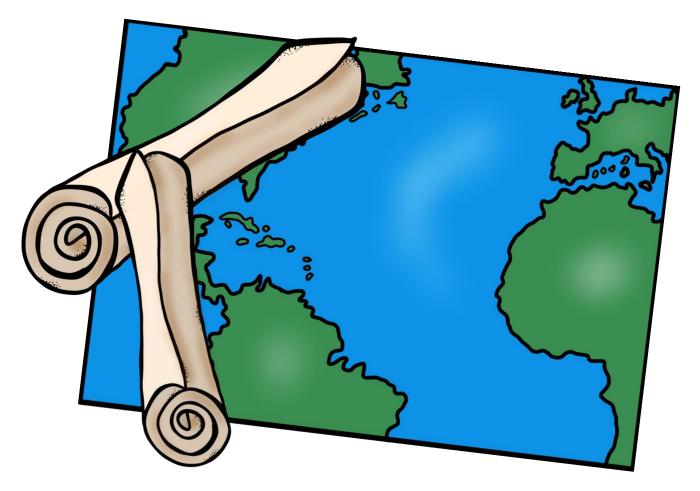




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Christopher Columbus lived during the age of exploration. He was born as Cristoforo Colombo in Genoa, Italy in 1451. Living near the sea, he became a sailor while he was only fourteen.



As he grew older, Columbus still sailed, but he also made and sold maps and charts. He liked to study maps and read all he could about previous explorers. He especially enjoyed learning about Leif Eriksson. Eriksson was a Viking sailor who had sailed west and found new lands.



Many sailors talked about finding new routes to India. They wanted to trade for spices and gold. Some also wanted to spread Christianity. Christopher Columbus came to believe that the earth was shaped like a sphere, the same as that of an orange. He also thought that if he sailed west he could reach Asia.



Columbus desired to prepare for an expedition and try to sail west across the Atlantic Ocean in order to reach India. However, he needed money. He asked the king of Portugal to supply money for the trip, but he refused. Columbus then decided to ask Spain. After many years, King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella of Spain finally agreed to assist Columbus with his voyage.



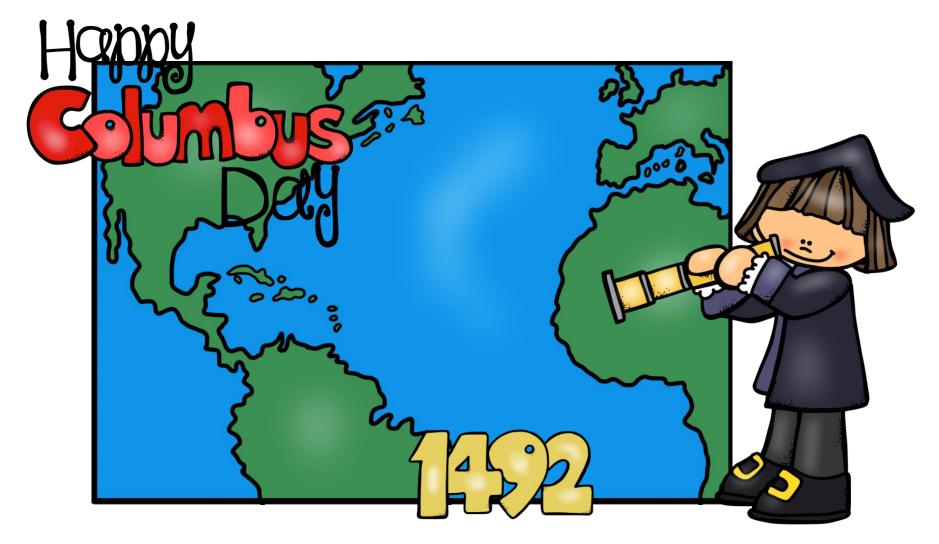
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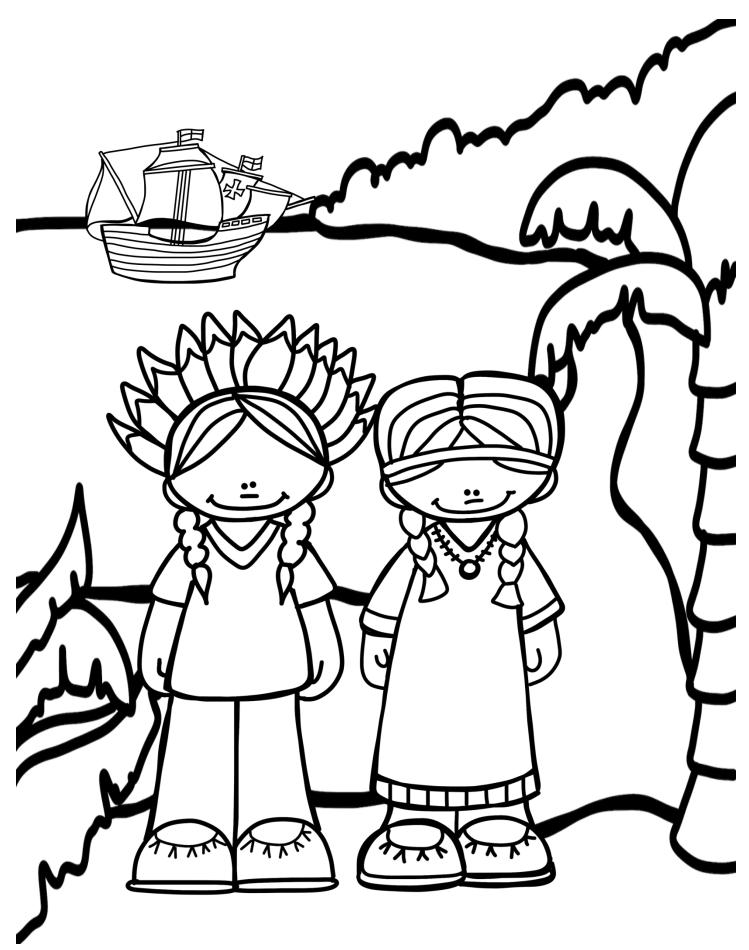
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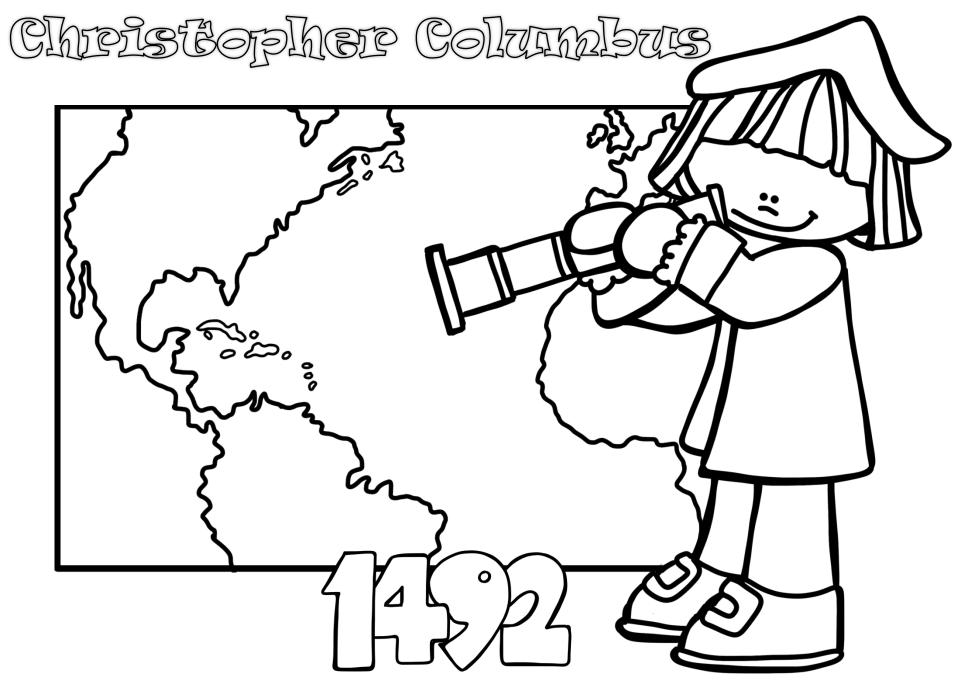
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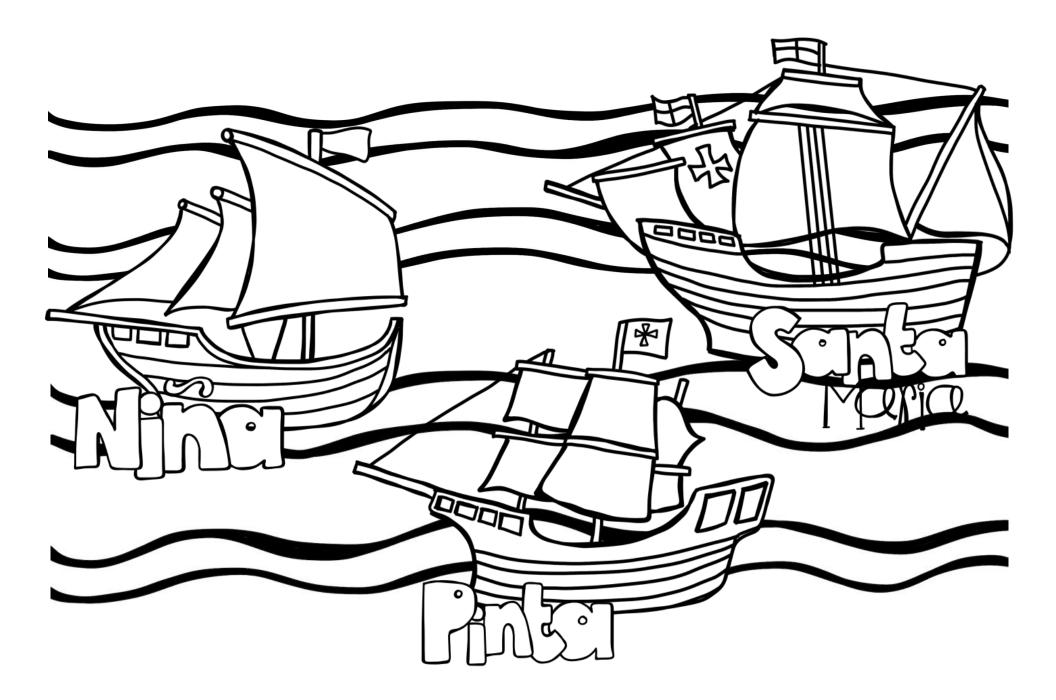
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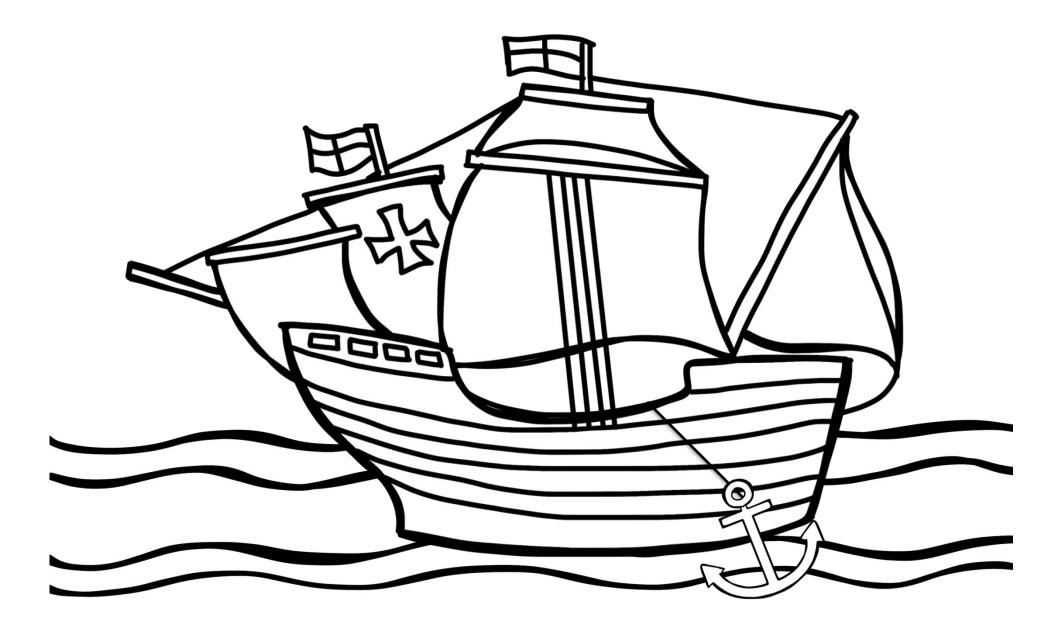
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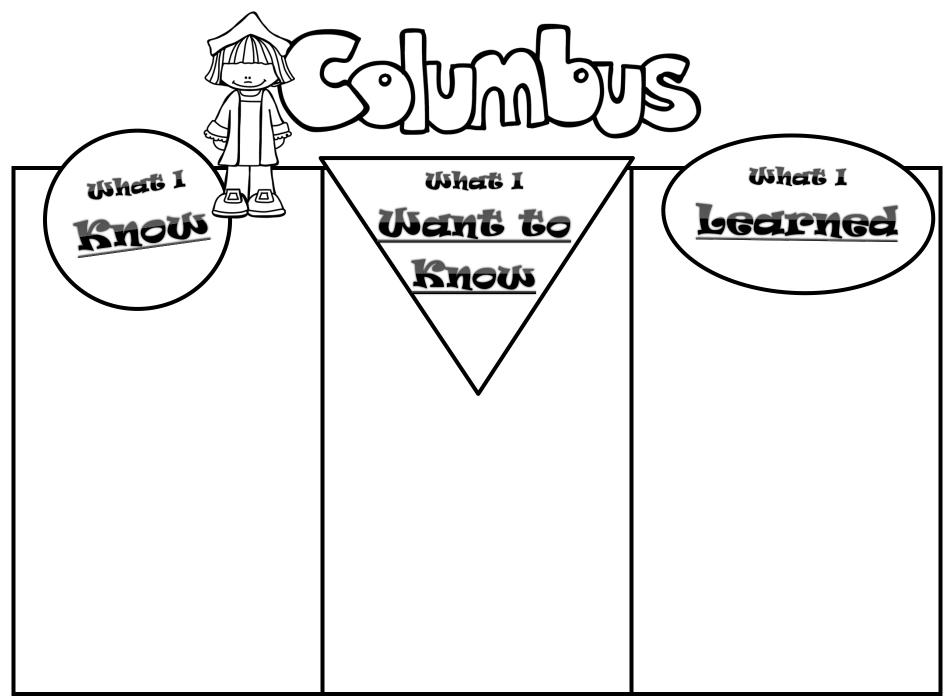


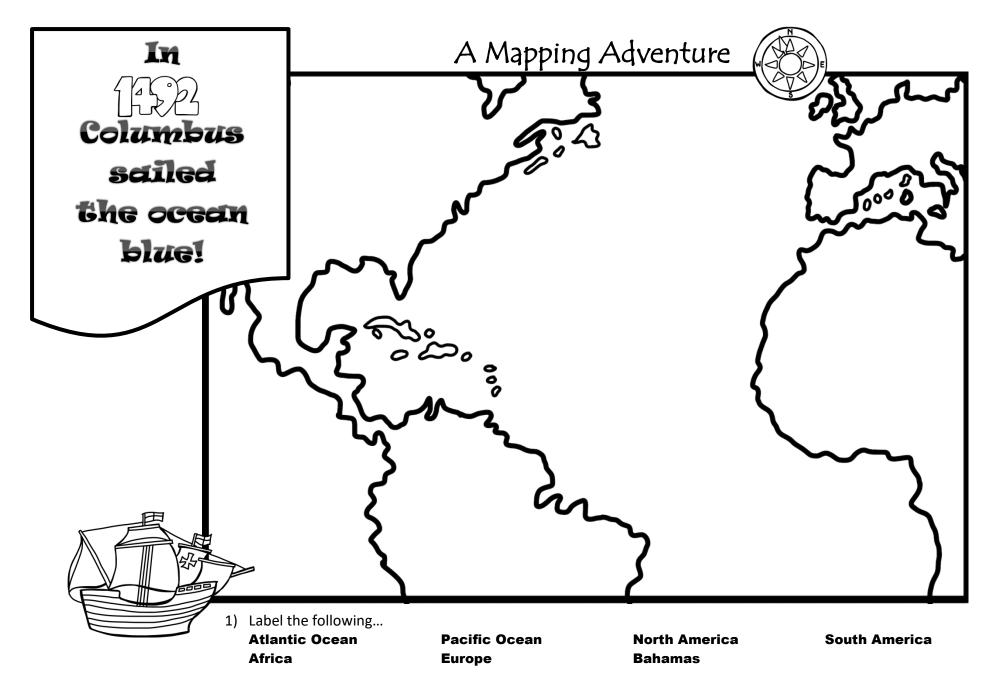
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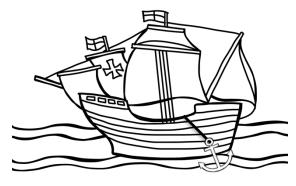




2) Draw the route that Columbus took to the New World.

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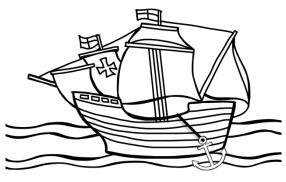
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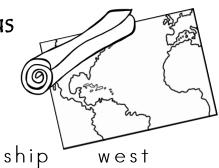
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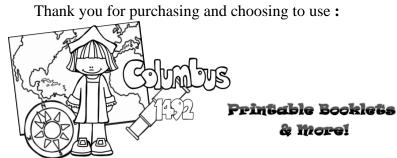
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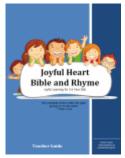
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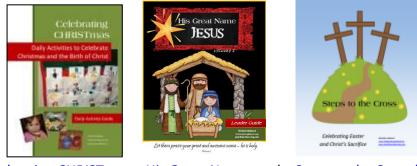
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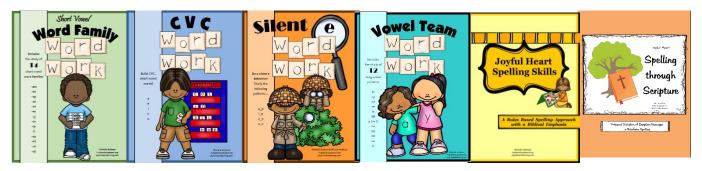
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