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# Famous Explorers

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| 1. Who sailed the ocean in 1492  | A. Bartolomeu de Las Casas |
| 2. Who was the first European to reach India by sea  | B. James Cook              |
| 3. In 1497, he discovered parts of North America   | C. Ferdinand Magellan      |
| 4. Who made the first European contact with the Eastern Coast of Australia   | D. Amerigo Vespucci        |
| 5. Who conquered Mexico  | E. Christopher Columbus    |
| 6. Mapped much of the Southern half of the modern United States  | F. Pedro de Peralta        |
| 7. Who conquered Peru  | G. John Cabot              |
| 8. First European to describe and map the Gulf of Saint Lawrence and the Shores of Saitn Lawrence shore  | H. Sieur da La Salle       |
| 9. Organized the Castilian expedition to the East Indies   | I. Henry Hudson            |
| 10. Best known for crossing the Isthmus of Panama to the pacific Ocean in 1513   | J. Vasco de Balboa         |
| 11. First demonstrates that Brazil and the West Indies did not represent Asias Easten outskirts as initially connectured from Columbus voyages | K. Samuel de Champlain     |
| 12. Sailed around the southernmost tip of Africa in 1488   | L. Hernando de Soto        |
| 13. Found the city of Santa Fe and New Mexico in 1610  | M. Pedro Alvares Cabral    |
| 14. Explored the Great Lakes region of the United States, Canada, Mississippi River, and Gulf of Mexico  | N. Jacque Cartier          |
| 15. Claimed South America for Portugal   | O. Bartolomeu Dias         |
| 16. Founded New France and Quebec City on July 3, 1608   | P. Giovanni da Verrazzano  |
| 17. First governor of Puerto Rico by appointment of by the Spanish crown   | Q. Juan Ponce de Leon      |
| 18. Italian explorer of North America in service of King Francis I of France   | R. Hernando Cortes         |
| 19. First resident Bishop of Chiapas   | S. Vasco de Gama           |
| 20. English sea explorer and navigator in the early 17th century   | T. Francisco Pizarro       |