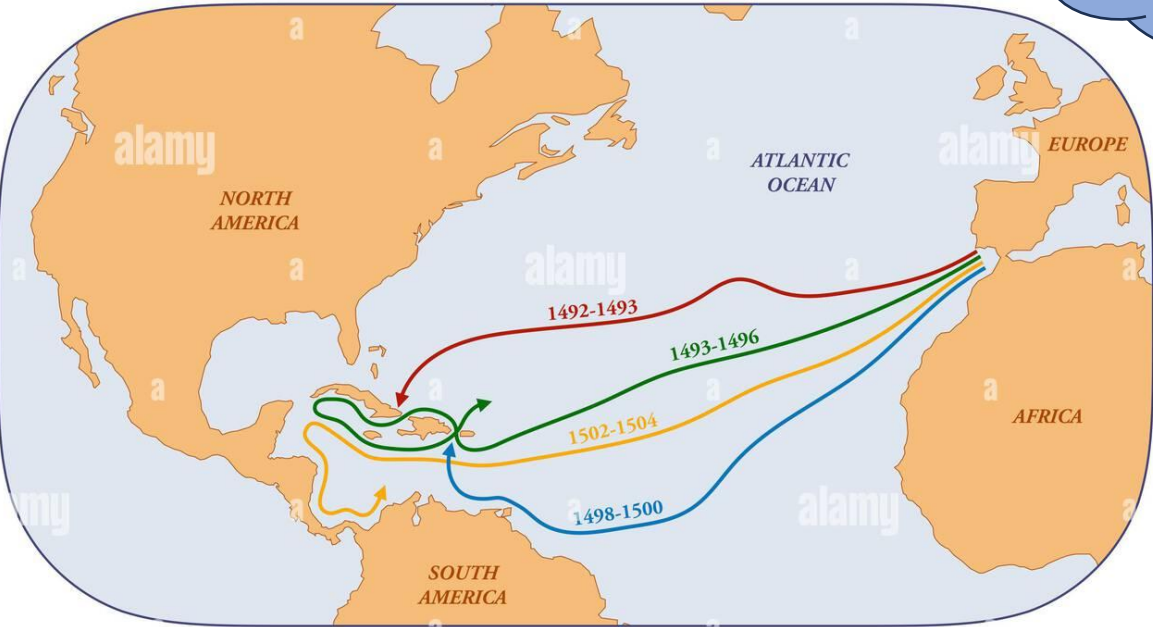


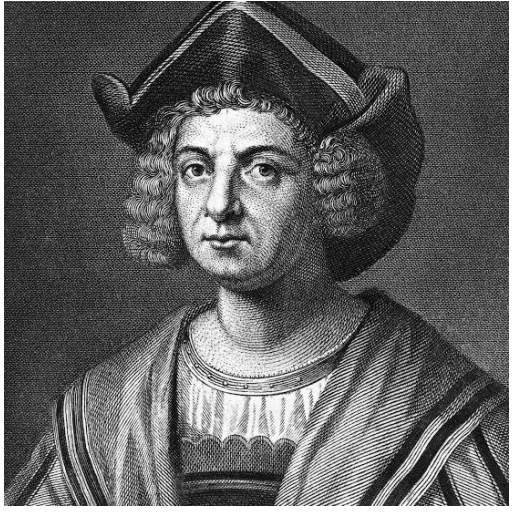
Key vocab	Meaning
famous	Someone who is known by many people
explorer	A person who explores a new or unfamiliar area
voyage	A long journey involving travel by sea
equator	An imaginary line around the middle of the earth
continent	A large area of land that may be made up of several countries
compass	An item used to show direction
merchant	A person who buy and sells goods
Santa Maria	This was the largest of the ships used by Columbus in her first voyage
Navigator	A person in a vehicle who decided the direction in which the vehicle travels

Christopher Columbus

Enquiry question:
 Why were Christopher Columbus and Amelia Earhart so brave?



Christopher Columbus was an Italian navigator who completed four voyages across the Atlantic Ocean. While searching for a route to the Far East, he discovered a sailing route to America. He was determined to find a direct water route from Europe to Asia, unfortunately he never did.



1451	1492	1493-1496	1498-1500	1502-1504	1506
Christopher Columbus was born in Genoa, Italy.	He lands on a Caribbean island.	Second voyage he sailed with seventeen ships and about 1200 men, arriving in Hispaniola in late November to find the fort of La Navidad destroyed with no survivors	Third Voyage Columbus sailed to the south of what had already been discovered. He stopped at the island of Trinidad before exploring some of the northeastern shore of South America and the Leeward Islands.	Final voyage He explored the Central American coast but lost all four of his ships. He had to be rescued.	Columbus sadly died

Key vocab	Meaning
Aviation	The action of flying or operating an aircraft
Explore	To travel in order to learn more about a place
route	The direction of travel
expedition	Describes a journey or a trip of people or a person
altitude	The measurement of the distance above the sea or ground
solo	To do something on your own.

Amelia Earhart

Earhart's family did not want her to be a pilot, but she learned anyway. She wanted to get more women involved in aviation. She also wanted to make flying more popular as a way to travel. Amelia Earhart first became interested in flying while living in Toronto. She talked with many pilots who were treated at the soldiers' hospital. She also spent time watching planes at a nearby military airfield.



Amelia Earhart was a female pilot who broke many aviation records. She was the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean and the first person to fly solo across the Pacific Ocean. She disappeared on a flight across the Pacific Ocean 2 years later and was never heard from again.

1897	1920	1930	1932	1935	1937
Amelia Earhart was born on the 24 th July in Kansas, America	With pilot Frank Hawk, she takes her first ride in an airplane. "by the time I got two or three hundred feet off the ground, I knew I had to fly" she later said	Amelia set the women's world flying speed record of 181.18 miles per hour	She became the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean	She became the only person to fly solo over the Pacific ocean	Amelia and Fred Noonan lose radio contact with the coast guard on a flight together. They disappear over the Pacific Ocean

