



# EXPLORERS DON'T "MISS THE BOAT"



??ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS??

- How did the explorers contribute to the development of **Europe**?
- What was the impact of exploration?

You will be able to answer these questions after our lesson!



PORTUGAL



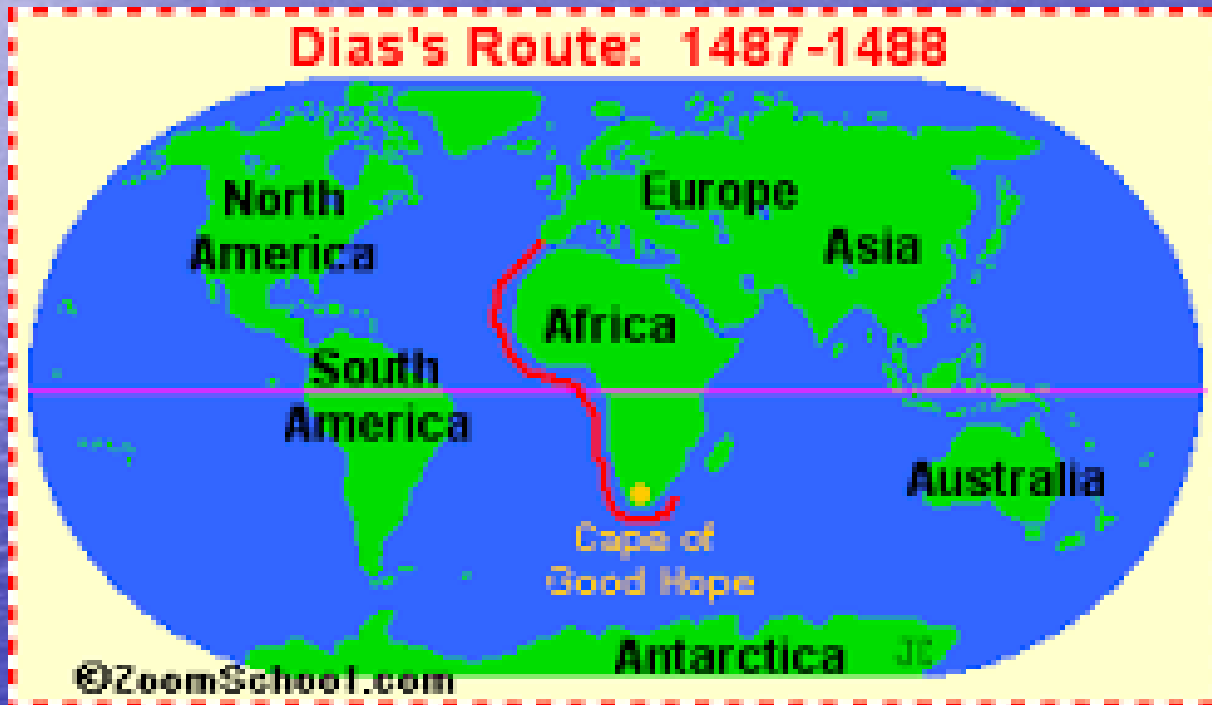
# PRINCE HENRY THE NAVIGATOR

- **WHO:** Portuguese Prince who funded the explorations of Bartolomeu Dias, and Vasco da Gama (HE WAS A PATRON)
- **WHAT:** He sent Vasco Da Gama to explore the West Coast of Africa. He was trying to find a quicker route to Asia. Da Gama did reach Asia (India)
- **WHEN:** Dias 1487-1488, da Gama 1497-1498
- **WHERE:** They sailed near Africa and South America
- **WHY:** Asia!!!! Wasn't that where everyone was going??

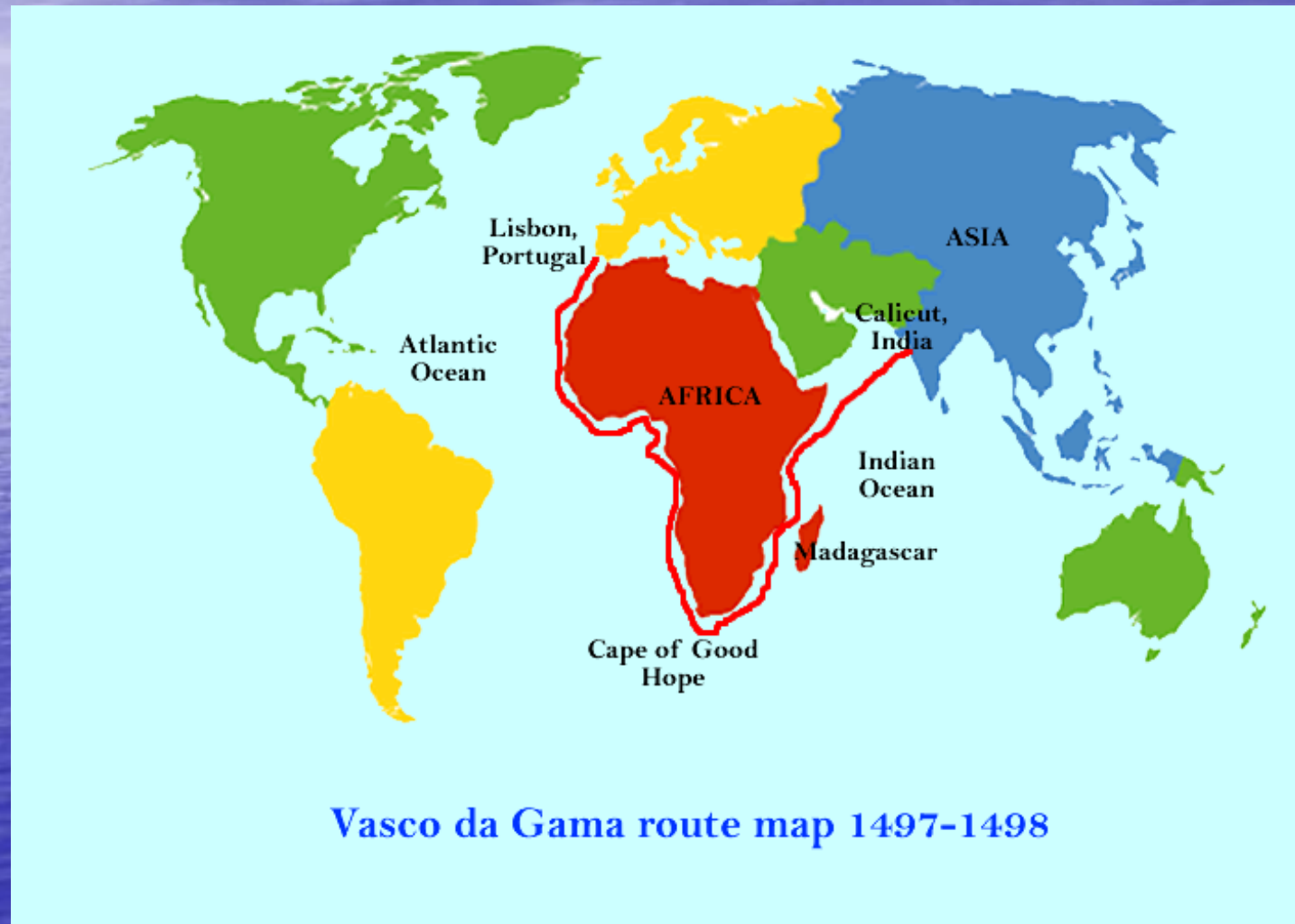
# Prince Henry



# Dias Route



# Vasco de Gama





SPAIN

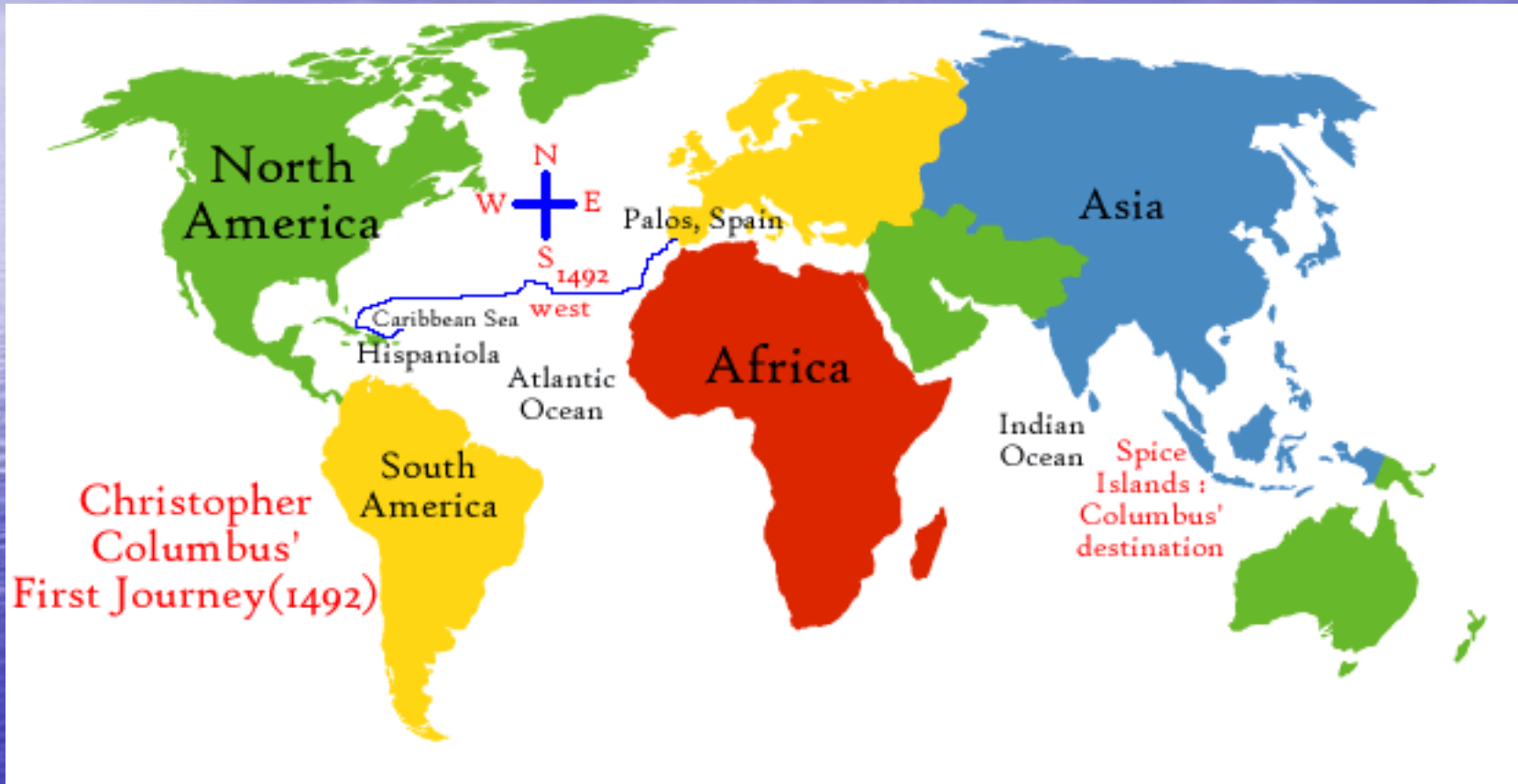


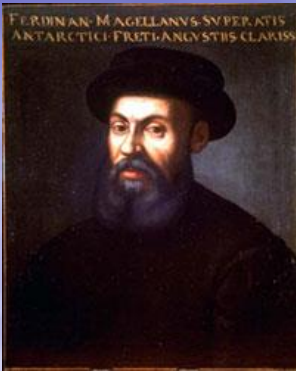
# CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS

- WHO: Italian who explored for Spain
- WHAT: Sailed to the West Indies  
Credited with discovering America
- WHEN: First voyage began in 1492, would go on a total of 4 voyages.
- WHERE: All of his voyages were to the Americas:  
Cuba, Central America, South America, Bahamas, and Hispaniola (today is Dominican Republic & Haiti)
- WHY: Was attempting to find a Northwest Passage to Asia



# Christopher Columbus

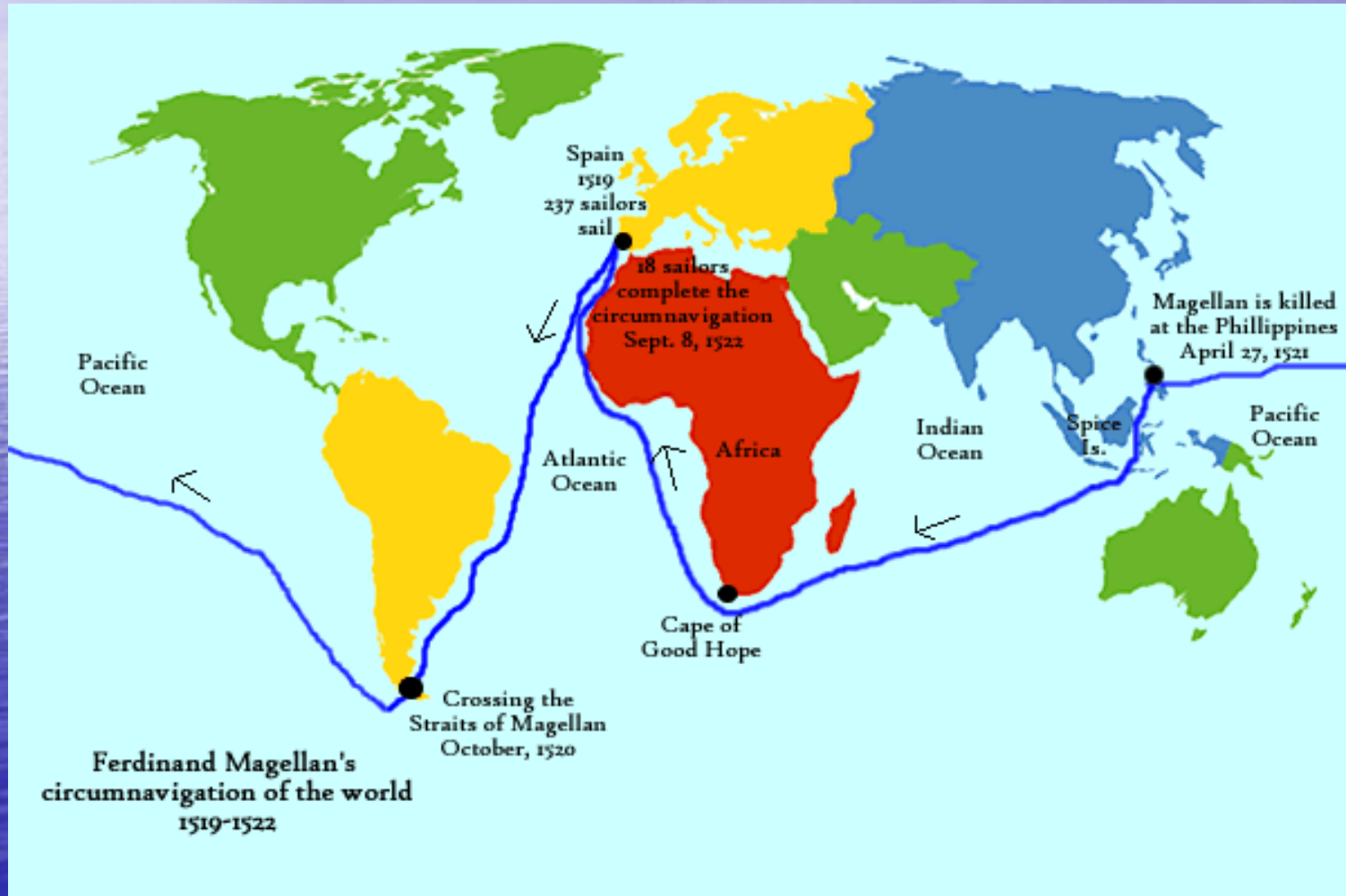




# FERDINAND MAGELLAN

- WHO: Sailed for Spain
- WHAT: Trying to find a quicker trade route to Asia
- WHEN: 1519
- WHERE: Sailed from Spain, around the tip of South America and is killed near the Philippines in 1521. His crew will return back to Spain around 1522.
- WHY: First explorer credited with a crew sailing around the world (even though he died during the trip). Named the Pacific Ocean

# Ferdinand Magellan





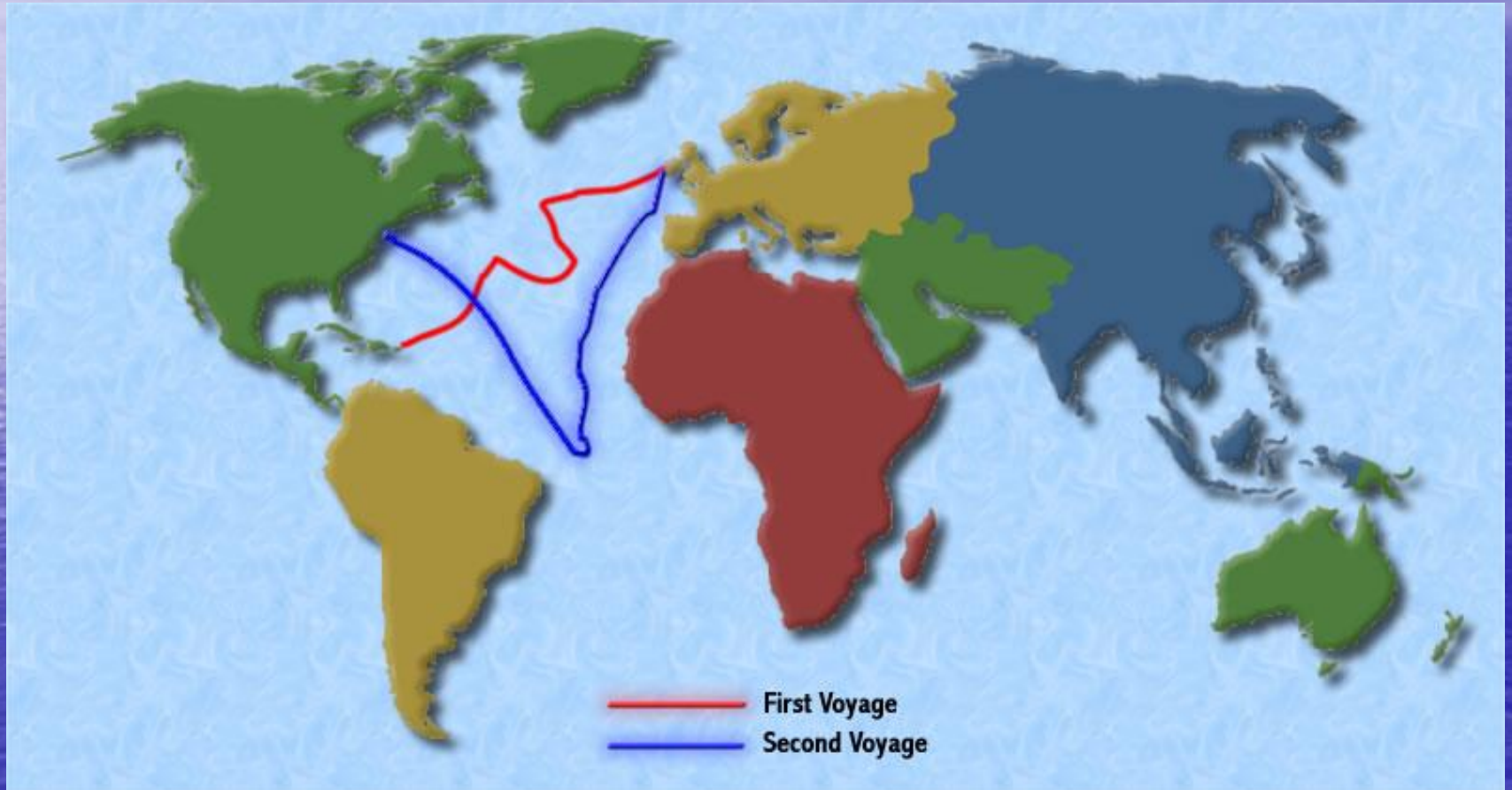
ENGLAND



# JOHN CABOT

- WHO: English explorer
- WHAT: The first European encounter with the continent of North America since the Norse Vikings.
- WHEN: 1496 and 1497
- WHERE: First expedition he got lost and returned home. On his second voyage, he landed in Newfoundland, which is in present day Canada.
- WHY: His explorations helped to establish a strong British hold in North America.

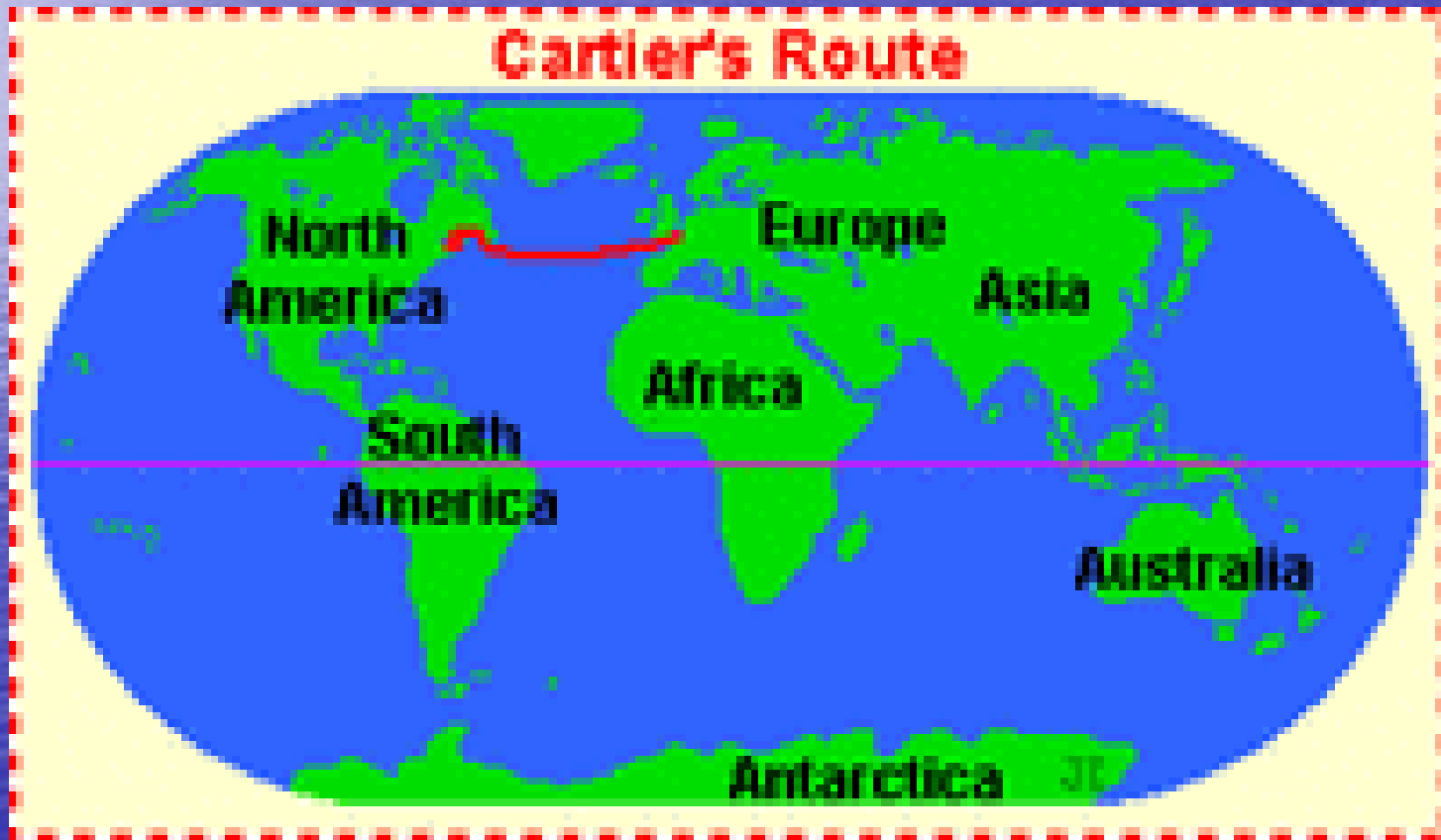
# John Cabot





FRANCE

# Cartier's Route





# Ticket Out the Door

- **3 – List three countries from Europe that sent out explorations.**
- **2 – List 2 explorers that explored.**
- **1 – List one reason why explorers went to foreign lands.**