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The discovery of America

The reign of the Catholic Monarchs

1. Which Kingdom in Italy did the Catholic Monarchs gain?
 - a. Rome
 - b. Florence
 - c. Venice
 - d. Naples**
2. Who was Christopher Columbus?
 - a. A French painter
 - b. An Italian sailor and explorer**
 - c. A Spanish football player
 - d. A German philosopher

The discovery of America

3. In the **15th** century, many people thought the world was **flat**. Europeans only had information about **Europe**, **North America**, and part of **Asia**. Christopher Columbus was convinced that the world was **round**.
4. When did Columbus leave Huelva?
 - a. 1st June 1490
 - b. 2nd July 1491
 - c. 3rd August 1492**
 - d. 4th September 1493
5. Which continent did Columbus think he found?
 - a. Australia
 - b. Africa
 - c. America
 - d. Asia**

Consequences of the discovery of America

6. **T** / F Spain became the most powerful empire in Europe.
T / **F** World trade decreased.
T / F The Spanish brought potatoes, tomatoes, tobacco, and cocoa from America.
T / **F** The Europeans brought tea and footballs to America.

The conquest and colonization of America

Pre-Columbian cultures

7. Why were the people living in America known as **pre-Columbian** civilizations? They are known as pre-Columbian because they lived on the American continent before Columbus arrived there.
8. Where did the Aztecs live?
 - a. **The valley of Mexico**
 - b. Argentina
 - c. Ecuador
 - d. Honduras
9. Where did the Mayans live?
 - a. Brazil, Guyana, and Surinam
 - b. Bolivia, Argentina, and Paraguay
 - c. Chile, Argentina, and Peru
 - d. **Mexico, Guatemala, and Honduras**
10. Where did the Incas live?
 - a. Columbia, Venezuela, and Ecuador
 - b. **Peru, Ecuador, and part of Bolivia**
 - c. Costa Rica, Panama, and Nicaragua
 - d. Islands of the coast of Ecuador

The conquest of America

11. **Hernan Cortes** conquered the **Aztec Empire** and **Mayan** cities between 1519 and **1521**.
12. **Francisco Pizarro** conquered the **Inca Empire** in 1533.

Territorial organization

13. The Viceroyalty of New Spain was in the...
 - a. **North**
 - b. South
14. The Viceroyalty of Peru was in the...
 - a. North
 - b. **South**
15. The Spanish mined for **silver** and **gold**. This helped the economy.
16. The Spanish occupied **government** jobs and owned **large properties**.
17. The Mestizos were born from **Spanish fathers** and **native mothers**.
18. The native Americans were generally **treated badly**.
19. People were brought from **Africa** to work as **slaves**.