

Introduction: Europe's Age of Exploration (p.216)

VOCABULARY: to colonize, imperialism

Word	Definition	Drawing

1. What was the purpose of the new explorations?
2. In what part of the world (which continent) is San Salvador?
3. a. What did many European explorers hope to find in North America?
b. Why did they hope to find this?
4. How did France benefit from its explorations?
5. What were France's two new colonies called? _____ & _____



The Vikings (pp.216-218)

VOCABULARY: sagas

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1. What evidence indicates that the Vikings sailed to North America?
2. What might have discouraged the Vikings from setting up a permanent settlement in North America? Give two ideas.
IDEA ONE:

IDEA TWO:
3. What point is the text trying to make about historical events by the comments related to the picture on page 218? Look carefully at the picture and read the captions.

Who were the Vikings? (history.com)

1. Where from?
2. Lived by what?
3. How'd they dress (clothes, weapons)?
4. Travelled by?
5. Warriors, settlers, farmers, and _____.
6. Quest for opportunity, _____ and control...

Life of a Viking (history.com)

1. Life of _____!
2. Population is _____ & need for farmland is _____.
3. _____ in short supply. Had to seek _____ elsewhere.
4. Barn-makers switched to _____ - _____ made Viking longships!
5. This tech. allowed them to change history & launch _____ against others.

