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1. Bartolomeu dias	Portuguese explorer who in 1488 led the first expedition to sail around the southern tip of Africa from the Atlantic and sight the Indian Ocean.
2. Colony	A group of people in one place who are ruled by a parent country elsewhere.
3. Conquest	Capture or taking of something by force
4. Epidemic	A widespread outbreak of an infectious disease.
5. Global	Actions or processes that involve the entire world and result in making something worldwide in scope.
6. Henry Hudson	Discovered what today is known as the Hudson River. Sailed for the Dutch even though he was originally from England. He was looking for a northwest passage through North America.
7. Impact	an effect or result
8. Imperalism	when a stronger nation takes over a weaker nation
9. Interdependence	A relationship between countries in which they rely on one another for resources, goods, or services
10. Jacques Cartier	sponsored by King Francis to find a shorter water route to China
11. James Cook	A navigator and ship captain who explored and claimed land in Australia for England
12. Missionary	A person who spreads his or her religious beliefs to others
13. Pandemic	an epidemic that is geographically widespread
14. Racism	Belief that one race is superior to another
15. Route	A defined plan for travel
16. Sir Francis Drake	1st Englishmen to circumnavigate the globe
17. Vasco Nunez de Balboa	Spanish explorer who discovered the Pacific Ocean (1475-1519)
18. Vitus Bering	Danish explorer who explored the northern Pacific Ocean for the Russians and discovered the Bering Strait (1681-1741)