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Explorer Drawing Project

Due: October 14, 2014

1. Choose one Explorer that interests you. The options are:
 - a. John Cabot
 - b. Christopher Columbus
 - c. Vasco Nunez de Balboa
 - d. Amerigo Vespucci
 - e. Ferdinand Magellan
 - f. Juan Ponce de Leon
 - g. Hernando Cortes
 - h. Francisco Vasques de Coronado
 - i. Francisco Pizarro
 - j. Hernando de Soto

2. Draw facts about your explorer on a piece of computer paper. For example, maybe the country they went to, the items they found, the people they met, the boat they sailed on, or a portrait of the explorer. The drawing should be colorful and detailed. The drawing should have the explorers name on the paper and your name. Be creative!

3. Write twelve to fourteen sentences about your explorer. Where did they sail? What did they find? Where were they from? What was their name? And any other important facts you want to add.

4. Hand in rubric with your drawing and sentences.

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Explorer Drawing Project Grading Rubric

The following criteria is present:

- Name of the Explorer on sentences and drawing _____ (5)
- Neat handwriting _____ (5)
- At least 6-9 sentences about your explorer _____ (50)
- No more than five spelling mistakes _____ (10)
- Drawings on paper are creative and pertain to the explorer you selected. _____ (15)
- The drawing is colorful and meaningful. _____ (10)
- Rubric is handed in at the end. _____ (5)

Final Grade

_____ / 100