

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

Columbus Day Web Hunt Answer Sheet

1. First Columbus Day celebration \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_ years after 1492

1. Holiday declared by President \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Day changed in 1971 to \_\_\_\_\_

2. Native Americans view October 12 as a \_\_\_\_\_

2. Columbus did not discover America because \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Columbus born \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

3. Family were \_\_\_\_\_

3. Columbus became a \_\_\_\_\_

3. Moved to Lisbon to \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_ paid for his voyages.

3. Columbus did/did not know the earth was round. He hoped to

reach the Far East by sailing \_\_\_\_\_ in order to bring back

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3. Two mistakes:

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

3. First voyage began \_\_\_\_\_. Had a crew of \_\_\_\_\_ and ships

were named \_\_\_\_\_

3. Voyage lasted \_\_\_\_\_ days. Landed in \_\_\_\_\_

3. Met tribes of \_\_\_\_\_

3. Thought he was in \_\_\_\_\_

3. Thought Cuba was \_\_\_\_\_

3. Returned to Spain \_\_\_\_\_

3. King and Queen thought voyage was/was not a success.

3. Total number of voyages \_\_\_\_\_

4. Columbus was/was not the first European to sail to the New World.

24. His voyages are important because \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Do you think Columbus was a hero, a villain, or a little of both?  
Why?

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