

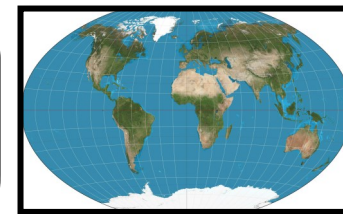
Did you know?

'You do not have to be a genius to go on an adventure. You simply have to go.'

Alastair Humphrey

Explorers

Year 1 Summer Term



Timeline

1325 - 14th Century	1492 - 15th Century	1893 - 19th Century	1934 - 20th Century	1953 - 20th Century	1963 - 20th Century	1969 - 20th Century	1992 - 20th Century
Ibn Battuta leaves his homeland for the Middle East.	Christopher Columbus lands in the West Indies.	Mary Kingsley sets out for Africa.	Freya visits Hadramaut deserts in today's Yemen.	Tenzing and Edmund leave their base camp to climb Mount Everest.	On 16th June Valentina takes off on the Vostok 6 spacecraft.	On 19th July Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin have landed on the Moon.	On 12th September Mae blasts off on the Space Shuttle.

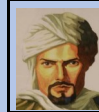
Key Vocabulary

explorer	A person who explores a new or unfamiliar area.
fact	A thing that is known or proved to be true.
event	A thing that happens or takes place, especially of importance.
voyage	A long journey involving travel by sea or in space.
journey	An act of travelling from one place to another.
expedition	A journey undertaken by a group of people with a particular purpose.
before	
after	

Did you know?

Until the end of his life, Christopher Columbus continued to believe he had gone to Asia and never knew he had reached the Americas!

Significant Explorers:



Ibn Battuta (14th C): A Moroccan traveler and judge who spent 30 years travelling through and exploring Asia, the Middle East and Africa.



Christopher Columbus (15th C): An Italian navigator and explorer famous for landing in the Americas while looking for a route to Asia.



Mary Kingsley (19th C): A British writer famous for exploring African wild-life. She brought back previously unknown species of fish and insects.



Freya Stark (19th C - 20th C): A British-Italian explorer and travel writer. Despite her sickly start to life, Freya travelled thousands of kilometres and lived to be more than 100 years old!



Edmund Hillary & Tenzing Norgay (20th-21st C): New Zealander and Nepalese explorers who were the first to make it to the top of Mount Everest - the highest mountain on Earth.



Valentina Tereshkova (20th C - present): A Russian engineer and cosmonaut who was the first woman to go to space.



Neil Armstrong (20th C - 21st): An American astronaut who was the first person to walk on the Moon.



Mae Jemison (20th C - present): The first African American woman to become an astronaut.

Label the continents our explorers went on expeditions to.



Significant People

Who else will inspire you in your great adventure?

Community

Do you know any explorers from our local area?

Equality & Justice

How were different groups of people treated during this time?

Environmental Responsibility

How the environment was treated during the period of the exploration?