

Christopher Columbus Part 1

Skill level: Easy

The solutions for each statement are already listed. Find and circle them in the grid.

W M Z Q C G T P H A T N I P H L Y Q U
G G D N A N I D R E F T L J L G P W T
D D J E R C S Q P I U C E Q S C A S Q
S H J N S U H L Q S R S A I L O R J O
A K F O E O G I I M E N L Y S W Y S L
R D X Y M Z L P O R T U G A L K O A E
O X W T M N F A V S D L U R M A Q S R
G I U F K O R T P F D Q J H J G P J T
A S O I S A B E L L A N Q C E A G H S
H G A F R M P S L O K I D N I N I F E
T G T N I N B G K T M N O N I U U F R
Y Q H E T F N T K K C A G V R O E B E
P R G E Y A V T G I K D A Q G L A B P
M G I T T W M P M R W E Z U I L N U J
C L Y R G S Q A M A W S L P R U F P F
I K J U P R A H R L N N P T N O W O F
Q V M O T N X E O I L A G O G E I D E
V S G F H C U O Y T A C H I N A M C W
G S X C S K W L N A V I G A T I O N I

1. He was born in the Italian seaport of _____.

GENOA

2. What year was he born? (written)

FOURTEEN FIFTY ONE

3. His family worked in what industry.

WOOL WEAVING

4. As a young lad, he became an experienced _____.

SAILOR

5. The art of _____ was probably learned by him at this time.

NAVIGATION

6. By what man was Columbus influenced that the world may be round?

PYTHAGORAS

7. Columbus decided to go _____ instead of west to find a new route to _____.

EAST

CHINA

8. He married what woman in 1479.

FELIPPA

PERESTRELO

9. His first major voyage was to the Aegean island of _____.

CHIOS

10. He later moved to what country, a place where his brother Bartholomew was living.

PORTUGAL

11. His two sons names were _____ and Ferdinand.

DIEGO

12. Columbus obtained the support of the Spanish monarchs, _____ and _____, to go on his voyage across the Atlantic.

FERDINAND

ISABELLA

13. The names of the three ships that sailed in the voyage were.

NINA

PINTA

SANTA MARIA

14. The ships sailed from what town and country.

PALOS

SPAIN

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