

John Cabot

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Find the answers for each blank in the grid.

_____ (Cabots _____ name) was born in _____ (place), probably around _____ (date). When he was a _____ or possibly a young man, he moved to _____. One of his first ventures, possibly inspired by _____, was to find a _____ to the west to find _____ in Asia.

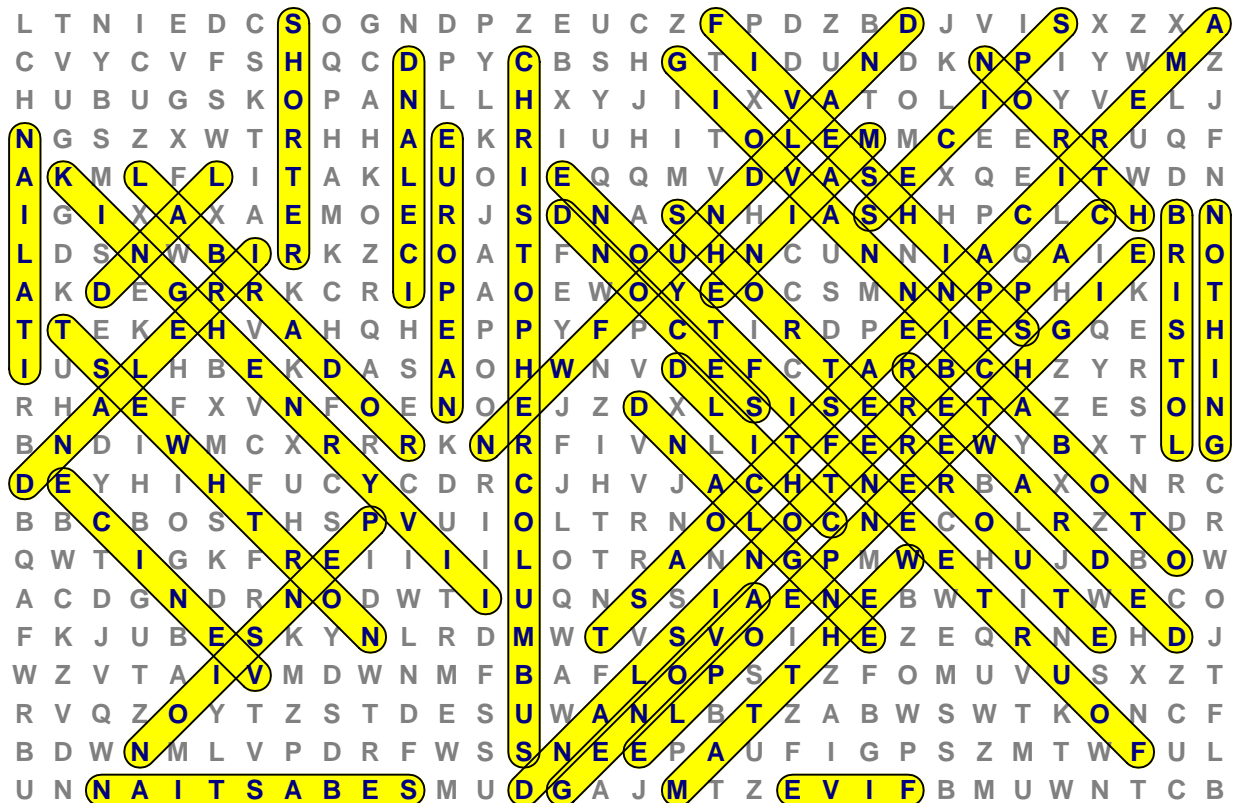
_____ gave him a grant to sail from _____ with _____. He chose England because Cabot felt the voyage from western Europe to eastern Asia would be _____ on higher latitudes. Cabot went to _____ to make the preparations for his voyage. It was then was the _____-largest seaport of England, and during the past years (from 1480 onwards) several voyages had been sent out to look for other _____. It is believed that _____ may have been found on one of these voyages.

Cabot had also made a voyage in 1496, but got no further than _____. He later made another voyage with only one vessel, the _____. It was a small ship (50 tuns), but fast and able. The crew consisted of only _____. He departed on 20 May, 1497 and he sailed to Dursey Head, _____, from where he sailed due west to Asia - or so he thought. He landed on the _____ at 24 June, 1497. He went ashore to take possession of the land, and explored the coast for some time. Cabot's landfall is still unknown, because of lack of evidence. Many experts think it's on _____, but others look for it in Newfoundland, _____ or _____. When heading home his sailors thought they were going too far _____, so Cabot sailed a more southerly course, reaching Brittany instead of England. On 6 August he arrived back in Bristol.

Back in England, Cabot got well _____ (a _____ of 20 pounds a year), and a patent was written for a new voyage. Cabot became the second _____ to discover North America. The next year, 1498, he departed again, with _____ ships this time. Except for one of the ships, that soon after depart made for an Irish port because of distress, _____ was heard of the expedition, or of John Cabot, ever since.

John's son _____ later made a voyage to North America, looking for the _____ passage (1508), and one to repeat Magellan's voyage around the world, which ended up looking for silver along the River Plate (1525-8).

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- *GIOVANNI CABOTO
- *ITALIAN
- *GENOVA
- *FOURTEEN FIFTY ONE
- *CHILD
- *VENICE
- *CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS
- *SHORTER ROUTE
- *SPICES
- *KING HENRY VII
- *ENGLAND
- *FIVE SHIPS
- *SHORTER
- *BRISTOL
- *SECOND
- *LAND
- *NEWFOUNDLAND
- *ICELAND
- *MATTHEW
- *EIGHTEEN PEOPLE
- *IRELAND
- *AMERICAN EASTCOAST
- *CAPE BRETON ISLAND
- *LABRADOR
- *MAINE
- *NORTH
- *REWARDED
- *PENSION
- *EUROPEAN
- *FIVE
- *NOTHING
- *SEBASTIAN
- *NORTHWEST