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An escape room activity for Henry Hudson. It includes a decoder chart, reading comprehension questions, and a timeline. The activity is titled "HENRY HUDSON" in large letters at the top. A "THINK TANK" logo is in the bottom left corner. The main sections are: "DECODER #1", "READING #2", "QUESTIONS", and "CLUE #2".

An escape room activity for Francisco Pizarro. The main title 'FRANCISCO PIZARRO' is at the top in large, bold letters. Below it is a 'READING #2' box containing historical text about Pizarro's second expedition. To the left is a 'DECODER #2' box with a grid of black and white squares. To the right is a 'QUESTIONS' box with a true/false question about the first Spanish settlement. Below these is a 'CLUE #2' box with a riddle about Pizarro's men. A 'THINK TANK' logo is in the bottom left corner. The bottom features large, bold letters spelling 'ESCAPE ROOM'.

An escape room activity for Hernan Cortes. It includes a decoder chart, reading comprehension text, and question cards.



This image shows a worksheet for an escape room activity about Vasco da Gama. It features a large title 'VASCO DA GAMA' at the top, followed by a reading section with a decoder chart, a questions section with a true/false quiz, and a final clue section. The bottom half contains a large 'ESCAPE ROOM' title.

An escape room activity sheet for James Cook. It features a large title 'JAMES COOK' at the top, followed by a 'READING #1' section with a decoding grid, a 'QUESTIONS' section with a history question, a 'CLUE #1' section with a riddle, and a final 'ESCAPE ROOM' title at the bottom.

READING #3

In 1502, Vespucci wrote a letter to the powerful Medici family stating that he discovered a new continent, not an island.

It is believed that the New World discovered by Christopher Columbus was not the first part of Asia.

The letter was titled Mundus Novus which means "New World" in Latin.

Vespucci wanted to continue more but the Spanish government did not welcome him due to explore the Indian Ocean (to Ceylon or Sri Lanka). Vespucci's trip was eventually paid for by Portugal.

In 1503, Vespucci sailed under the Portuguese flag. He recorded new wildlife and native people but no new discoveries of land were made. The return route remains a mystery.

To some, this was Vespucci's last voyage. However, some historians believe that Amerigo made a fifth and sixth voyage.

QUESTIONS

FILL IN THE BLANK

6. Some historians believe that Amerigo made a fifth and sixth _____.

7. In _____, Vespucci wrote a letter to the powerful Medici family.

8. Vespucci's trip was eventually paid for by _____.

CLUE #3

Amerigo Vespucci was about when he was...

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READING #4

In 1508, Vespucci was honored by King Ferdinand II of Aragon for his discoveries.

Martin Waldseemüller, a German cartographer suggested the name America to honor Vespucci's discoveries. He created a world map where he named the new continent "America" based on the information from Columbus and Vespucci's travels. The name comes from Amerigo which is Amerigo's name in Latin.

For the remainder of his life, Vespucci ran a school for navigators. Vespucci was chosen to be the Pilot-Major of Spain. He was also in charge of managing a collection of maps for the king and queen.

A letter known as "Lettera al Soderini" was published claiming that Vespucci made four voyages to the Americas between 1497 and 1504. It is important to mention that although we say Amerigo made many new discoveries, native peoples were already living in the areas when he arrived.

QUESTIONS

9. What is Amerigo's name in Latin?
A. Amore
B. Americana
C. Americus
D. None of the above

10. Which king honored Vespucci for his discoveries?
A. King Ferdinand II
B. King George III
C. King James I
D. King Edward VII

CLUE #4

Italy built a ship for Amerigo Vespucci in...

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Puzzle #2.

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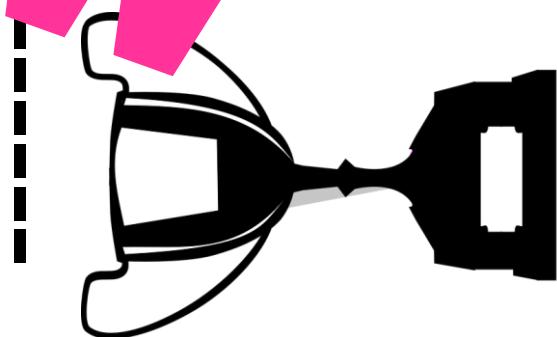
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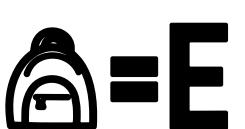
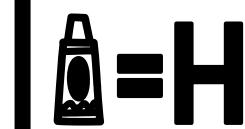
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AND THINKING
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PREVIEW

DECODER #1



PREVIEW



DECODER #2

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