

# SIR FRANCIS DRAKE

## SCAVENGER HUNT

To seek revenge on Spain, what did Drake become?

Q3 Drake sailed around the Cape of Good Hope.

Q4 The king of Spain created a fleet of ships called the Spanish Armada.

Q5 Queen Elizabeth I made Drake the first English circumnavigator.

Q6 A severe storm destroyed more than half of Spanish ships.

Q7 What English town was Drake born in?





















Q8 What did Drake rename his ship?

Q9 Drake was asked to find any property that belonged to King Philip II.

Q10 How many ships were involved in Drake's first expedition?

Record the letters for each answer to each question. Use the corresponding letter. If the answer to Question #1 was a word with just 3 letters, then use the first 3 letters.

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Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10

	=D		=L		=I
	=E		=M		=U
	=F		=N		=V
	=G		=O		=W
	=H		=P		=X
	=I		=Q		=Y
			=R		=Z



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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5

### CARD #3



Drake wanted to seek revenge on Spain, so he became a privateer. He would attack enemy ships and take their cargo. Most of the ships attacked were among Spanish fleets. The Spanish considered him a pirate, but the English considered him a hero.

**THINK TANK**

	<input type="text"/>
CARGO	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="text"/>
PRIVATEER	<input type="text"/>

### CARD #1

Francis Drake was born in Tavistock, England. Historians believe he was born between 1540 and 1544. His father, Edmund Drake, was a farmer and a minister for the English navy. The Drake family lived near the sea where Francis worked with a merchant sailor who traded goods with France.

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TAVISTOCK	<input type="text"/>
	<input type="text"/>
MINISTER	<input type="text"/>

# WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- ✓ 10 READING CARDS
- ✓ 10 QUESTIONS
- ✓ RECORDING SHEET
- ✓ ANSWER KEY
- ✓ STUDENT DIRECTIONS
- ✓ TEACHER DIRECTIONS
- ✓ EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

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## CARD #5

In 1577, Drake and his five ships left England. Drake was the captain of the Pelican, the largest ship in the fleet. He later named the 70-foot ship the Golden Hind. His fleet sailed the Atlantic Ocean and crossed the Strait of Magellan to reach Peru in the Pacific. Sailing around the southern tip of South America and into the Pacific Ocean had never been accomplished by an English vessel until Francis Drake. Drake and his men raided towns up and down the coast of Peru. They captured a Spanish ship full of gold and treasures, making Drake extremely wealthy. Drake eventually landed off the coast of California, claiming it for Queen Elizabeth.



PACIFIC OCEAN



PELICAN



GOLDEN HIND

## CARD #7

The Queen of England was so proud of Drake that she knighted him. He became Sir Francis Drake in 1581. Between 1585 and 1586, the relationship between England and Spain got worse. King Philip II of Spain was furious with Queen Elizabeth I and her privateers. The king decided to create a huge fleet of ships called the Spanish Armada. His goal was for the Armada to defeat privateers and English fleets and eventually conquer England.



SPAIN



ARMADA



KING PHILIP II

## CARD #9

Drake set up a surprise attack. He set his own empty ships on fire and sent the Spanish fleet causing them to panic. Once they navigated away, the Spanish fleet would destroy the ships. A severe storm destroyed more than half of the Spanish Armada. Drake defeated the Spanish Armada and established the most powerful navy in the world.



STORM

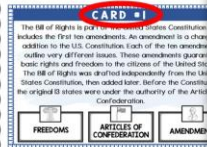
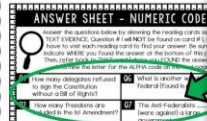


SURPRISE

## HOW IT WORKS

NUMERIC ANSWERS STUDENT ANSWERS ALPHABETIC INVOLVING FOUR CODES BEFORE REVIEW

All you need to read AND do is to state the student's choice. When what



## CARD #S AND QUESTIONS

Write the answer on the recording sheet in the box.

If you are answering a question, be sure you are writing the correct answer.

## VOCABULARY PRACTICE

Directions: Choose 5 words from the reading cards that are unfamiliar or new to you and fill in the chart below.

WORD PICTURE DEFINITION


Record the card number where you FOUND the answer to each question.

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8
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NUMERIC CODE

Eliminate the highest & lowest number used as your answer. All numbers are spelled with just one letter. The numbers that start with the letter F. Do not change the order of the numbers.

Record the card number where you FOUND the answer to each question.

=A	=S
=B	=T
=C	=U
=D	
=E	
=F	
=G	
=H	
=I	

## SUMMARY

TOPIC SENTENCE

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SUPPORTING DETAIL SUPPORTING DETAIL

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## ANSWER KEY

Q1 = A

Q2 = B

Q3 = C

Q4 = D

Q5 = E

Q6 = F

Q7 = G

Q8 = H

Q9 = I

## LETTERS

Q1 Q2 Q3 Q4

Eliminate the highest & lowest number used as your answer.

# 10 READING CARDS

**CARD #1**

Francis Drake was born in Torrey, England. Historians believe he was born between 1540 and 1544. His father, John Drake, was a farmer and a minister in the English navy. The Drake family lived on a farm in the sea where Francis worked with a sailor who traded goods with...

**DRAKE** **MINISTER**

**CARD #2**

In the 1560s, Drake set sail on his first voyage with his cousin John Hawkins. Drake was the captain of a ship named 'Judith'. In total, there were three voyages. They sailed to Africa to negotiate with the illegal slave traders. Drake was part of the voyage until 1568. The enslaved people...

**CARD #3**

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**HERO** **CARGO** **PRIVATEER**

**CARD #4**

For several years, Drake raided towns, destroyed settlements and took gold and silver from the settlers. Drake's actions were recognized by Queen Elizabeth I of England, who ruled England for 44 years. She gave Drake a set of ships for 'privateering'. Drake was given permission by the queen to raid enemy ships...

**CARD #5**

In 1577, Drake and his five ships left England. Drake was the captain of the Pelican, the largest ship in the fleet. He later named the 70-foot ship the Golden Hind. His fleet sailed the Atlantic Ocean and crossed the Strait of Magellan to reach Peru in the Pacific. Sailing around the southern tip of South America and into the Pacific Ocean had never been accomplished by an English vessel until Francis Drake. Drake and his men raided towns up and down the coast of Peru. They captured a Spanish ship full of gold and treasures, making Drake extremely wealthy. Drake eventually landed off the coast of California, claiming it for Queen Elizabeth.

**PACIFIC OCEAN** **PELICAN** **GOLDEN HIND**

**CARD #6**

Many of Drake's men died of diseases and eventually only the Golden Hind remained for the expedition back to England. In...

**CARD #7**

The Queen of England was so proud of Drake that she knighted him. He became Sir Francis Drake in 1581. Between 1585 and 1586, there was a war between England and Spain that got worse. The king of Spain was furious with Queen Elizabeth I and sent a fleet of privateers. The king decided to send a fleet of ships called the Spanish Armada to attack England. The Armada was supposed to defeat the English fleets and eventually...

**SPAIN**

**CARD #8**

After the formation of the English Channel, Queen Elizabeth I named Drake the first vice admiral of the English navy in 1588. Drake decided to lead the English fleet to attack the Spanish Armada to arrive in the English Channel. Eventually, over 30 Spanish ships entered the English Channel...

**CARD #9**

Drake set up a surprise attack. He set some of his own empty ships on fire and sent them toward the Spanish fleet causing them to panic and flee. Once they navigated away, the English ships attacked and destroyed the ships. A severe storm destroyed the rest of the Spanish Armada and the English became the most powerful navy in the world.

**STORM** **SURPRISE** **NAVY**

**CARD #10**

In 1589, Queen Elizabeth I ordered Drake to lead a fleet to destroy the remaining ships of the Armada. The expedition suffered major losses of lives and resources. Drake returned to England and became the mayor of Plymouth, England. Years later, Queen Elizabeth I once again sent Sir Francis Drake into battle. On his second expedition to the New World, he became sick from dysentery and died in 1596. Drake's lead coffin, believed to be buried at sea, has never been found.

**ENGLAND** **PLYMOUTH**

**ANSWER SHEET: ALPHA CODE**

Use the decoder to determine which LETTER your answer choice indicates (based on the questions on the other page). Refer back to the card WHERE you FOUND the answer to determine the letters.

	=A		=J		=S
	=B		=K		=T
	=C		=L		=U

**ANSWER SHEET: NUMERIC CODE**

Answer the questions below by skimming the reading cards seeking TEXT EVIDENCE. Question # I will NOT be found on card # I, you'll have to visit each reading card to find your answer. Be sure to indicate WHERE you found the answer at the bottom of this page. Then, refer back to THAT card (where you FOUND the answer) to determine the letter for the ALPHA code on the next page.

Q1	To seek revenge on Spain, what did Drake become?	Q6	What did Sir Francis Drake die from?
Q2	Drake sailed around the Cape of Good Hope.	Q7	What is the name of the English town that Drake was born in?
Q3	The king of Spain created a fleet of ships called the Spanish Armada.	Q8	What did Drake rename his ship?
Q4	Queen Elizabeth I made Drake the first vice admiral of the English Navy.	Q9	Drake was asked to _____ any property that belonged to King Philip II.
Q5	A Spanish ship _____ destroyed more than half of the Spanish Armada.	Q10	How many ships were involved in Drake's first expedition?

Refer to the card number where you FOUND the answer to each question.

Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
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# CITE EVIDENCE



**ANSWER SHEET: NUMERIC CODE**

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Find the card number where you FOUND the answer to each question.

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**NUMERIC CODE**

Eliminate the highest & lowest number used as one of YOUR answers.  
 Get rid of all numbers that are not used as one of YOUR answers.

**ALPHA CODE**

For each answer below, then use the decoder to grab the corresponding letter. If the answer to Question # 1 was a crown, the letter would be C.

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Eliminate the highest CONSONANT used as one of YOUR answers.  
 Eliminate the lowest CONSONANT used as one of YOUR answers.  
 Do not change the order.

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**STUDENTS MAY START AT ANY QUESTION AND VISIT THE CARDS SEVERAL TIMES SEEKING TEXT EVIDENCE.**

2

**STUDENTS WILL RECORD **WHERE** THEY FOUND THE ANSWER.**

3

**STUDENTS WILL USE THE CLUES TO DETERMINE A 4-DIGIT ALPHA CODE AND 4-DIGIT NUMERIC CODE.**

# COMBINATION




This scavenger hunt is a winning combination of:

- ✓ movement
- ✓ close reading
- ✓ comprehension skills
- ✓ secret codes
- ✓ citing evidence
- ✓ critical thinking

Everything a teacher dreams of wrapped up into one FUN and engaging activity!

# OPTIONS

THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX!

-  Anticipatory sets
-  Unit review
-  Early finishers
-  Stations
-  Sub plans
-  Partner work
-  Enrichment

-  Movement
-  Cross-curricular
-  Highly engaging

