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SSWH10.a Explorers and Conquistadors

Standard: SSWH10 The student will analyze the impact of the age of discovery and expansion into the Americas, Africa, and Asia.

- a. Explain the roles of explorers and conquistadors; include Zheng He, Vasco da Gama, Christopher Columbus, Ferdinand Magellan, James Cook, and Samuel de Champlain.

Using the map below, chart out the routes of Zheng He, Vasco da Gama, Christopher Columbus, Ferdinand Magellan, James Cook, and Samuel de Champlain. Use a color code or label each route drawn on your map. Be sure to create a key or legend if you use different colors for each explorer.



| Explorer | Port of Origin | Dates of Travels | Route of Journey | Accomplishments/Discoveries |
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| Zheng He | | | | |
| Vasco da Gama | | | | |
| Christopher Columbus | | | | |
| Ferdinand Magellan | | | | |
| James Cook | | | | |
| Samuel de Champlain | | | | |