

The Portuguese and Spanish in the Americas

Multiple-Choice Quiz

Directions: Select the best answer from the given options.

- Which of the following ships was not part of the fleet of Christopher Columbus in 1492?
a. Ana Lucia
b. Nina
c. Pinta
d. Santa Maria
- What was the capital city of the Aztec?
a. Chichen Itza
b. Guadalajara
c. Los Angeles
d. Tenochtitlan
- Modern Mexico, and a portion of modern Guatemala, were once known as _____.
a. Columbia
b. Los Lobos
c. New Spain
d. Nueva America
- What modern American state, located in the southeast, was settled by the Spanish in the 16th century?
a. Alabama
b. Florida
c. Georgia
d. South Carolina
- A person of mixed African and Spanish descent:
a. Americano
b. Indian
c. mestizo
d. mulatto
- Native Americans were forced to work for the Spanish under the _____ system.
a. encomienda
b. mercantilism
c. patron
d. socialist
- A person of mixed Native American and Spanish descent:
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b. Indian
c. mestizo
d. mulatto
- El Camino Real:
a. The Real Country
b. The Real Deal
c. The Royal Casino
d. The Royal Road
- What Aztec ruler was killed in 1520?
a. Montezuma
b. Sitting Bull
c. Tupac
d. Yo Pe
- What Spanish explorer traveled into what is now the southwestern United States between 1540 and 1542?
a. Cabrillo
b. Coronado
c. Ponce de Leon
d. Verrazzano