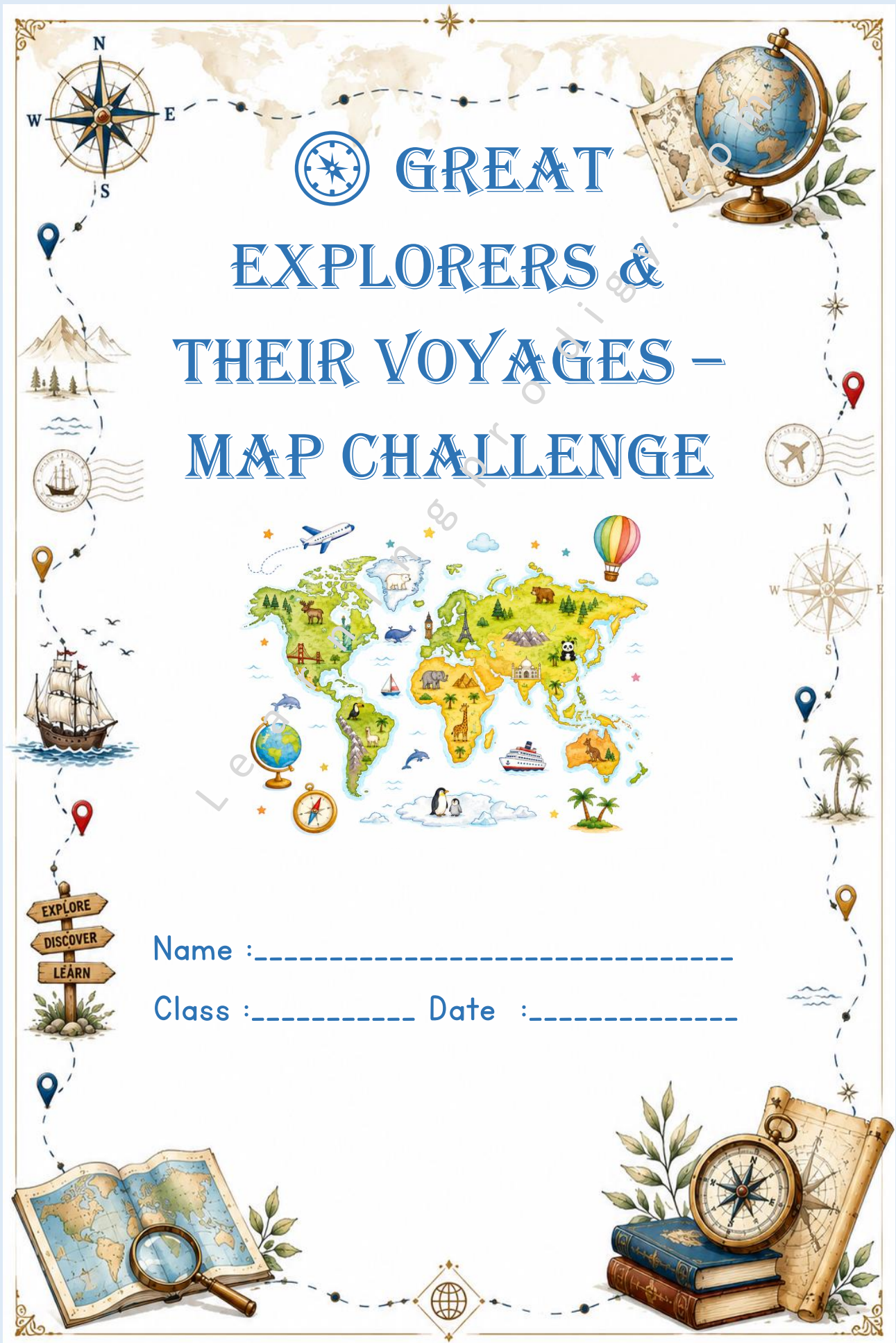




Name : _____

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Read each clue.

Identify the explorer.

Locate the starting point and destination on the world map. Draw the route using different colour.

1 I sailed west across the Atlantic Ocean in 1492.
I reached islands in the Caribbean.
Explorer: _____

2 I discovered the sea route from Europe to India by sailing around Africa.
Explorer: _____

3 Although I died during the journey, my expedition completed the first voyage around the world.
Explorer: _____

4 I explored the east coast of Australia and claimed it for Britain.
Explorer: _____



5 I explored the Pacific Ocean and reached Hawaii.

Explorer: _____

6 I explored the Canadian Arctic in search of the Northwest Passage.

Explorer: _____

7 I reached the southern tip of Africa in 1488.

Explorer: _____

8 I was a Chinese admiral who led great treasure fleets across the Indian Ocean.

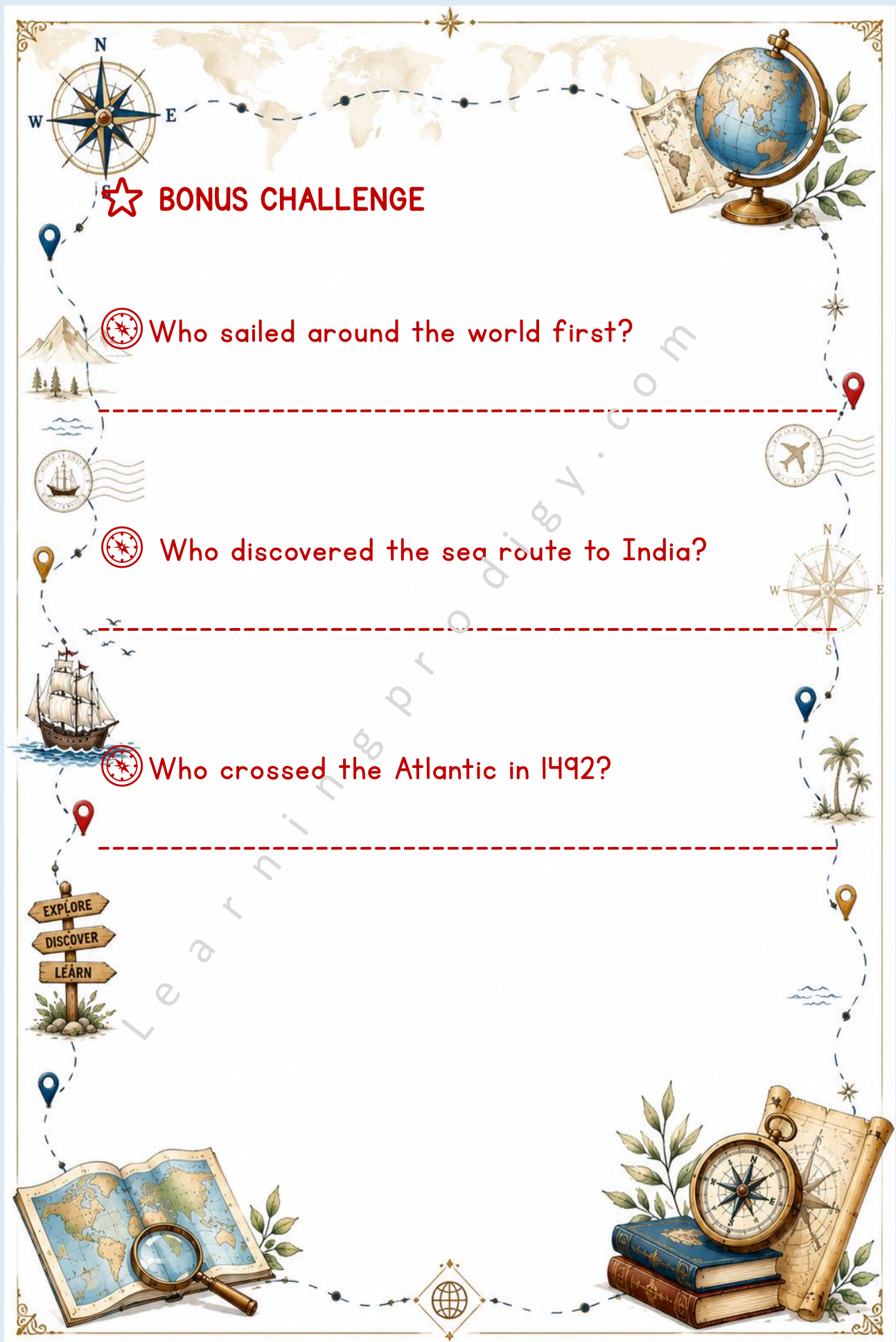
Explorer: _____

9 I explored the Amazon River and parts of South America.

Explorer: _____

10 I crossed North America with the Corps of Discovery.

Explorer: _____



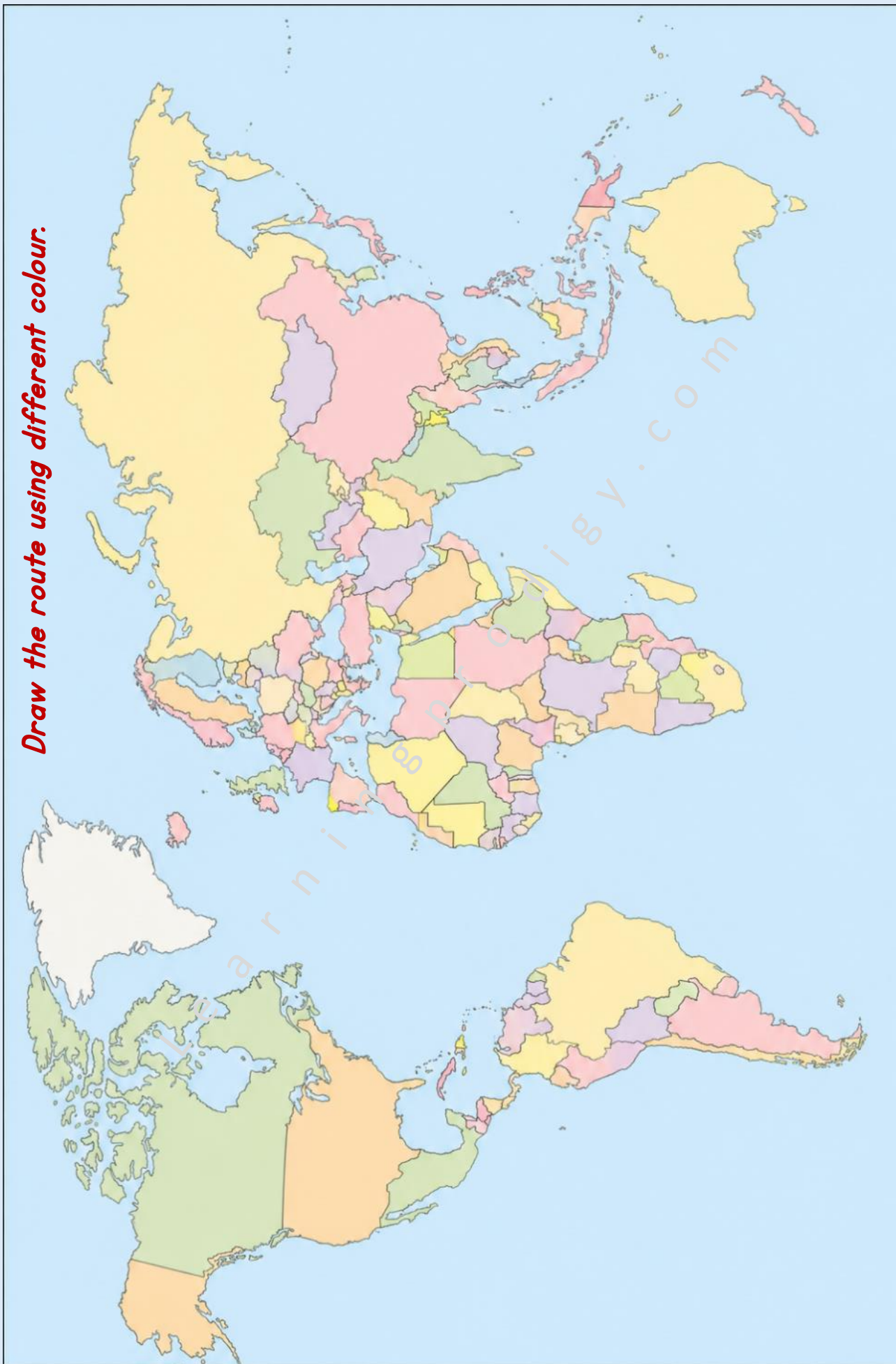
★ BONUS CHALLENGE

⊗ Who sailed around the world first?

⊗ Who discovered the sea route to India?

⊗ Who crossed the Atlantic in 1492?

Draw the route using different colour.



No.	Explorer	Start	Destination	Ocean Crossed
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
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Teacher Answer Key

No.	Explorer	Route
1	Christopher Columbus	Spain → Caribbean
2	Vasco da Gama	Portugal → Around Africa → India
3	Ferdinand Magellan	Spain → South America → Pacific → Philippines <i>(Expedition completed by Juan Sebastián Elcano)</i>
4	James Cook	Britain → Australia
5	James Cook	Pacific Ocean → Hawaii
6	John Franklin	Canadian Arctic
7	Bartolomeu Dias	Portugal → Cape of Good Hope
8	Zheng He	China → Southeast Asia → India → Arabia → East Africa
9	Francisco de Orellana	Andes Mountains → Amazon River → Atlantic Ocean
10	Lewis & Clark	Eastern USA → Pacific Northwest

★ Bonus Challenge – Answer Key

✓ Who sailed around the world first?
The Magellan–Elcano Expedition

✓ Who discovered the sea route to India?
Vasco da Gama

✓ Who crossed the Atlantic in 1492?
Christopher Columbus