



Exploration & Colonization

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 5

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Write the missing word or number on each line.

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3. Many colonial towns were built near rivers for transportation and _____.
4. The House of _____ was the first elected assembly in the American colonies.

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