



Exploration & Colonization

Name: _____

Date: _____

Grade: Grade 5

Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The first permanent English settlement was _____ founded in 1607.
2. The Pilgrims arrived at Plymouth on a ship called the _____.
3. The Middle colonies were known as the _____ colonies because they grew wheat.
4. Southern plantations grew tobacco, rice, and _____ as cash crops.
5. The colony of _____ was founded by William Penn for religious freedom.
6. New England colonists made money from fishing, lumber, and _____.
7. The _____ Compact was the first document of self-government in America.
8. _____ was the last of the 13 colonies, founded in 1733.
9. The crop that saved the Jamestown colony from failure was _____.

Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

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New England colonies	→ _____	plantation farming
Middle colonies	→ _____	first English settlement
Southern colonies	→ _____	fishing and lumber
Jamestown	→ _____	wheat and trade

Part A: Fill in the Blank

Write the missing word or number on each line.

1. The first permanent English settlement was Jamestown founded in 1607.
2. The Pilgrims arrived at Plymouth on a ship called the Mayflower.
3. The Middle colonies were known as the breadbasket colonies because they grew wheat.
4. Southern plantations grew tobacco, rice, and indigo as cash crops.
5. The colony of Pennsylvania was founded by William Penn for religious freedom.
6. New England colonists made money from fishing, lumber, and shipbuilding.
7. The Mayflower Compact was the first document of self-government in America.
8. Georgia was the last of the 13 colonies, founded in 1733.
9. The crop that saved the Jamestown colony from failure was tobacco.

Part B: Matching

Match each item on the left to the correct answer on the right.

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New England colonies	→ <u>fishing and lumber</u>	plantation farming
Middle colonies	→ <u>wheat and trade</u>	first English settlement
Southern colonies	→ <u>plantation farming</u>	fishing and lumber
Jamestown	→ <u>first English settlement</u>	wheat and trade