

<u>Gaspar Corte Real</u>	Portuguese	1450 - 1501	Exploration of Greenland and the coast of Newfoundland famous explorer
<u>John Cabot</u>	Italian / English	1450 - 1499	Exploring the coastline of Canada the subsequent colonization of Canada. Cabot was the second famous explorer to find North America (after Christopher Columbus)
<u>Sebastian Cabot</u>	Italian / English	1474 - 1557	Son of the famous explorer John Cabot. Searching for the Northwest passage across North America, attempting to circumnavigate the world and making expeditions to Russia
<u>Jacques Cartier</u>	French	1491 - 1557	Led three expeditions of exploration to Canada by this famous explorer
<u>Henry Hudson</u>	English	1565 - 1611	The discovery of the Hudson River by this famous explorer
<u>Jacques Marquette</u>	French	1637 - 1675	Discovering the Mississippi River with famous Canadian Louis Joliet
<u>Samuel de Champlain</u>	French	1567 - 1635	Famous explorer and founder of Quebec City. Known as the Father of Canada
<u>Pedro Alvares Cabral</u>	Portuguese	1467 - 1520	Famous Portuguese explorer was the first to see Brazil
<u>Cabeza de Vaca</u>	Spanish	1490 - 1557	The first European to explore Texas and Southwest America
<u>Estevanico</u>	North American	1520 - 1539	Exploring Texas and Southwest America and heralded as the first European to see North America.
<u>Panfilo de Narvaez</u>	Spanish	1528 - 1528	The first European to attempt to cross the Gulf of Mexico
<u>Fray Marcos de Niza</u>	Spanish	1539	First European to see the Grand Canyon
<u>Alonso Alvarez de Pineda</u>	Spanish	1519 - 1521	First European to map the Gulf of Mexico
<u>Juan de Onate</u>	Spanish	1540 - 1580	First European to settle in the American Southwest
<u>Luis Vazquez de Ayllon</u>	Spanish	1540 - 1541	First European to attempt to settle in North America
<u>Juan Rodriguez Cabrilho</u>	Portuguese	1500 - 1500	First European to see the Pacific Ocean
<u>Louis Joliet</u>	French	1645 - 1700	Exploring the Mississippi River with Jacques Marquette

We took risks, we knew we took them; things have come out against us, and therefore we have no cause for complaint, but how to the will of Providence, determined still to do our best to the last ... Had we lived, I should have had a tale to tell of the hardihood, endurance, and courage of my companions which would have stirred the heart of every Englishman. These rough notes and our dead bodies must tell the tale, but surely, surely, a great rich country like ours will see that those who are dependent on us are properly provided for. [83]