The Age of Exploration and Colonization Formative Assessment

Answer the following questions in complete sentences.

1. List the 3 main reasons that Christopher Columbus and other explorers set out to explore.

2. How did the Columbian Exchange benefit the native Americans? How did it affect the African?

3. How did the horse change Native's Americans ' lives for the better?

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4. Explain why in South America, both Spanish and Portuguese are spoken?

5. Why were Africans used as slaves by the Europeans?

6. Describe the encomienda, and how it changed the lives of the Native Americans?

7. What was the problem with Jamestown Colony? What were 2 factors that were important in the survival of Jamestown?

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8. Describe why the Pilgrims and Puritans came to America. What was the main difference between these 2 groups of people?

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