1. **Complete the definitions with the words in the box.**

Culture- Society- Politics - Navigation

- Monarchs gained more power by expanding their territories_____
- The invention of the astrolabe, the compass and the portolan charts_____
- Divided into classes, where the nobility and clergy maintained their privileges_____
- The invention of the printing press_____

2. Which sentence does not describe the reign of the Catholic Monarchs?

A. They completed the *Reconquista* in 1492.
B. They were defenders of Islam.
C. They formed a powerful authoritarian monarchy.
D. They formed an efficient government.

4. Read and complete the text with the words in the box.

Castilla, *Reconquista*, Africa, European, Canary, Mediterranean

- Castilla completed the ..... by taking control of Granada.
- The Kingdom of Navarra became part of the Crown of
- Castilla conquered territories in the North of ....., such as Melilla, Oran and Algiers.
- Isabel and Fernando married their children into other monarchies.
- Castilla conquered the ..... Islands and reached America.
- Aragón expanded along the .....

5. **Label the pictures with the words in the box.**

Conquistador, Pre-Columbian, Columbus

..... 's ship

..... culture

6. **Write True (T) or False (F).**

- Christopher Columbus knew the Earth was flat. ☐
- On the 12th September 1592 Columbus reached dry land. ☐
- He thought he was in Asia. ☐
- In America there were three great civilisations: Mayans, Aztecs and Incas. ☐
- Hernan Cortés and Francisco de Pizarro are best remembered as the leaders of pre-Columbian cultures. ☐