

READ AND CORRECT THE INFORMATION.

A Viking explorer

Erik the Red was a Viking. He was born in 950 in Norway. It was a violent time, and after Erik's father killed a man, the family left Norway and travelled to Iceland. In 982, Erik also killed a man. He sailed west and disappeared. After three years, he returned to Iceland and told people about a land with green fields. He convinced many to join him and travel to this beautiful land, which he named Greenland. The Vikings established two colonies. Erik had four children: a daughter and three sons. His famous son, Leif, was the first European to discover America. In 1002, a group of immigrants brought disease to the colonies and many people died, including Erik, in the winter of 1003.



1) Erik the Red was born in 840 in Norway.

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2) In 982, he saved a man.

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3) He discovered a beautiful land, which he named Erikland.

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4) The Vikings established three colonies in Greenland.

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5) Erik had four children: a son and three daughters.

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6) His son, Leif, was the first European to discover the Antarctica.

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7) In 1010, a group of immigrants brought disease to the colonies.

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8) Erik died in the summer of 1003.

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