

The Columbian Exchange

You will select one of the following crops, animals, or diseases that was exchanged between Europe and the New World during the Columbian Exchange. See me for approval for your topic.

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SSWH10 Analyze the causes and effects of exploration and expansion into the Americas, Africa, and Asia.

b. Analyze the global, economic, and cultural impact of the Columbian Exchange.

If you are assigned a crop:

- Research the origins of the assigned crop.
- Where is it grown now? (give as many locations as possible).
- Find a map of the region where your crop originated.
- Find the recipes for at least three dishes that use your crop. Make sure one recipe is from the part of the world where the crop originated, and one recipe is from a different part of the world.

If you are assigned an animal:

- Research the origins of your assigned animal.
- Find a map of the region of origin of your animal.
- Research and explain how the introduction of this animal changed culture (farming, eating, hunting, etc...).

If you are assigned a disease:

- Research the origins of your assigned disease.
- Find a map of the region where your disease originated.
- What are the symptoms of this disease?
- Research and explain how the introduction of this disease changed culture (death, art, music, religion, hygiene).

Resources:

Food that Changed the World

<http://www.accessexcellence.org/RC/Ethnobotany/page5.php>

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<http://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/tserve/nattrans/ntecoindian/essays/columbian.htm>

The Food Timeline:

<http://www.foodtimeline.org/>

Crops:

Corn
Potato
Sweet Potato
Tomato
Chilies
Peanuts
Chocolate
Vanilla
Strawberries
Grapes
Bananas
Peaches
Apples
Wheat
Rice
Olives
Onions

Pineapples

Animals:

Turkeys
Cattle
Sheep
Pigs
Horses

Diseases:

Smallpox
Influenza
Typhus
Measles
Malaria
Diphtheria
Whooping Cough
Syphilis