At Junior Certificate level I can:

Demonstrate an understanding of the Age of Explorations

Learning Targets I can...

1. Outline the importance of gaining control of the spice trade
2. Explain the reasons why rulers were willing to support the voyages of discovery
3. Explain the commonly held beliefs of Europeans about the world before the period of the explorations
4. Explain the significance of the new model of ship, the caravel
5. Draw and label 3 of the instruments that were invented that helped with navigation
6. Describe what life was like at sea during this period
7. Name a Portuguese and Spanish explorer
8. Explain the reasons for their voyages
9. Write a report on the voyage of a named explorer
10. Identify the main discoveries made on the voyage

Refer also to: English, Geography, Art, RE, Science