



Reedley Primary School
Year 2 Knowledge Organiser: Explorers

Vocabulary		Timeline Christopher Columbus		Travel
past	having happened or gone by at an earlier time; former	born	31 October 1451 Italy	Santa Maria Pinta Nina 
present	existing at this time; current	Voyage	Discovered the West Indies 12 October 1492	
timeline	a graphic presentation of a chronology of events and their dates	died	20 May 1506 Spain	
discover	to find or see before anyone else	Equipment	Compass, astrolabe, sandglass, maps	
before	at an earlier time; in the past	<u>Items brought back to Europe:</u> corn, potato, tomato, chocolate, pineapple, peanuts, tobacco, native people		
travel	to journey from place to place	Timeline Neil Armstrong		
ocean	Atlantic, Pacific, Indian, and Arctic are the names of the four oceans	born	August 5, 1930 America	Saturn V Apollo 11 Eagle 
continent	One of the earth's seven major areas of land. The continents are Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australia, Europe, North America, and South America. Brazil is on the continent of South America.	mission	July 20th 1969 first person to walk on the moon	
compass	An instrument for showing direction. A typical compass has a moving magnetic needle that points north	died	August 25, 2012 America	
sandglass	An hourglass measuring a fixed amount of time (not necessarily one hour).	Equipment	Camera, space suit, boots, helmet,	
space	The area that contains the entire universe beyond the earth; outer space.	<u>Items brought back to Earth:</u> Moon rocks and soil		