



# Big Ideas (Guided Reading)

## Chapter 1.1 Textbook Pages 4 – 8

How did geography influence the American Indians' way of life? (P4/5)

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Why did Europeans seek a sea route to Asia? (P6)

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How did European explorations affect life in the Americas, Africa, and Europe? (P8)

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### Terms and People

Directions: Use the textbook to describe the following terms and people.

Term/Person	Description
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Middle Passage	
Christopher Columbus	
Conquistador	
Columbian Exchange	