

## Chapter 4 Vocab.

- ▲ New World - The European name for lands in the Western Hemisphere, including North and South America.
- ▲ Age of Exploration - A time in history when people from Europe traveled to far away and unfamiliar places, such as Africa and the Americas, in order to learn about them and make maps of them.
- ▲ Explorers - people who travel to new and unfamiliar places in order to learn what these places are like and describe them with words, pictures, and maps.
- ▲ Archeologists - Scientists who study human artifacts to learn about past cultures.
- ▲ Sonar - technology that uses sound to locate sunken objects.

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▲ ore - rock or earth from which metal can be taken.

▲ tobacco - A plant whose leaves are dried and turned into material for smoking, sniffing or chewing.

▲ cash crop - a crop grown in large quantities for sale to other people

### European Motivation for Exploring

- gold and silver
- Bible
- Flag

### European Technology for exploring

- compass
- astrolabe
- maps

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### ☒ New World Product

- tobacco
- food

Artifact: Flag

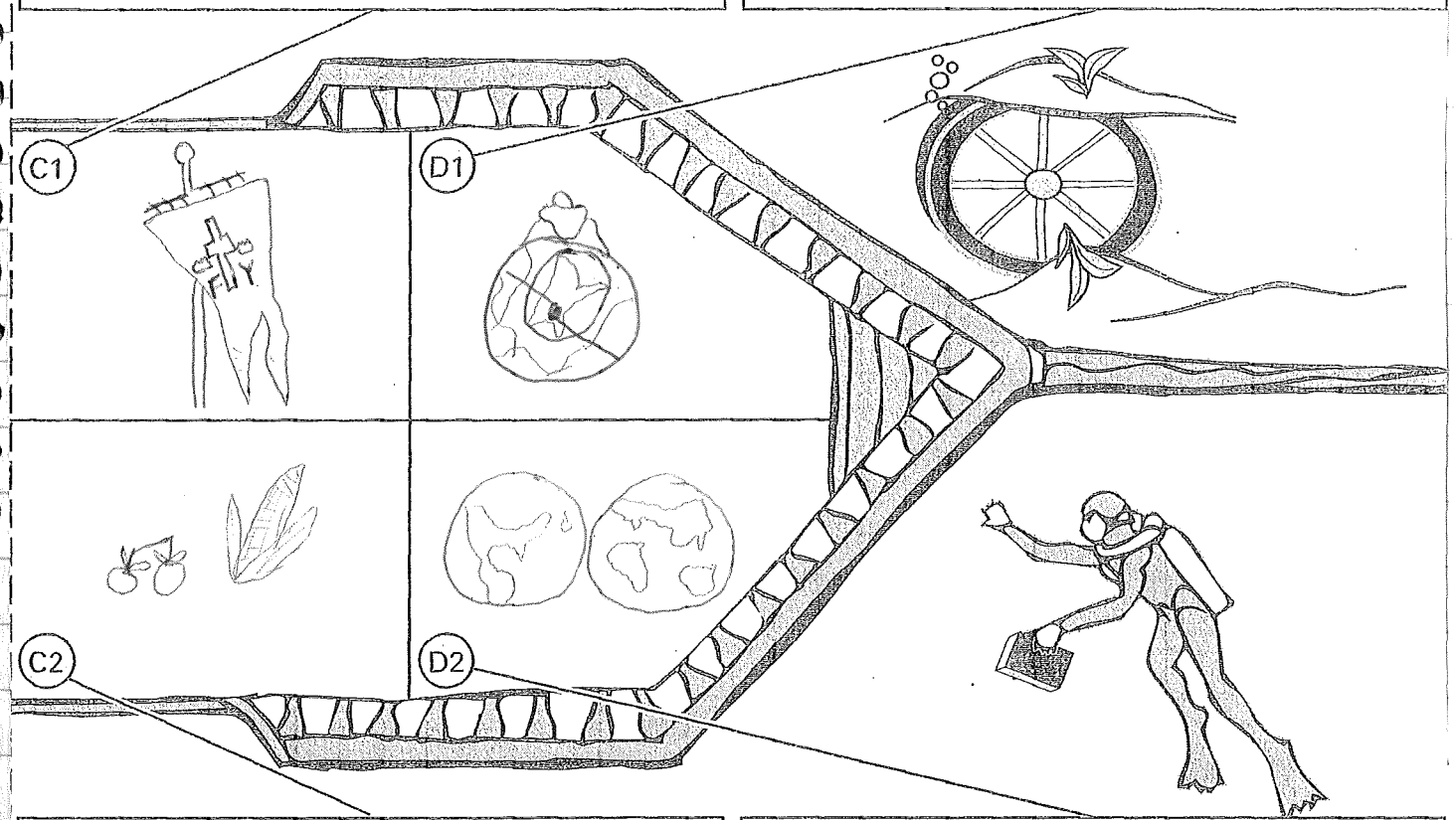
This was important to explorers because...

planting a flag means, "My country and my ruler own this land now."

Artifact: Astrolabe

This was important to explorers because...

in order to cross an open ocean and arrive where they wanted, sailors needed a way to stay on course and find their location



Artifact: Food

This was important to explorers because...

many New World plants such as corn, tomatoes, and pineapple provided new foods for Europe

Artifact: maps

This was important to explorers because...

ocean maps include features like rocky shores and safe ports. Maps for navigation show where winds blow and ocean currents flow

Artifact: gold and silver

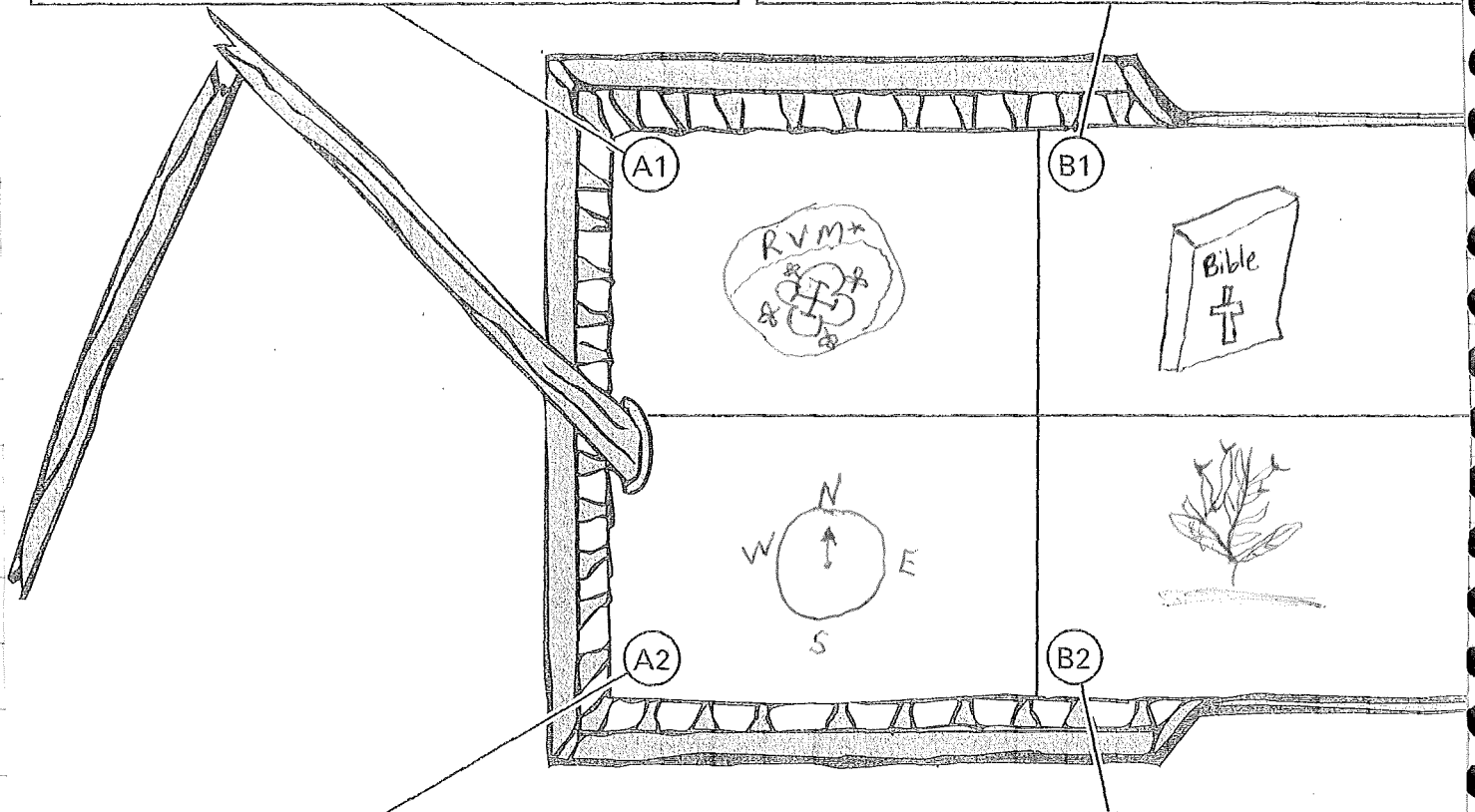
This was important to explorers because...

Europeans such as Spaniards wanted to use gold and silver to build up their country's treasury

Artifact: Bible

This was important to explorers because...

they took the Bible wherever they went to help them spread Christianity.



Artifact: Compass

This was important to explorers because...

it showed which direction a ship was heading even when it sailed through fog or total darkness

Artifact: tobacco

This was important to explorers because...

it became an enormous cash crop for colonies in the New world