



Ms. Tooley | SS 8 | Sea Dogs

## Instagram Assignment



For this assignment, you will be creating an Instagram post from the perspective of one of the explorers we have looked at this chapter. We looked at the following people...

- ★ Henry the Navigator
- ★ Bartholomeu Dias
- ★ Vasco da Gama
- ★ Christopher Columbus
- ★ Ferdinand Magellan
- ★ Queen Isabella
- ★ Amerigo Vespucci
- ★ Conquistadors
- ★ Hernan Cortez
- ★ Francis Drake
- ★ If there is an explorer that you would like to do that has not been named above, please ask me first.

Here is the criteria for the assignment...

- ★ Name - which explorer have you chosen
- ★ Profile picture
- ★ Post - picture of where your going, what you saw, what you did, etc.
- ★ Comment - explain the post, perhaps you could get creative with hashtags or emojis

You can also add fun details such as likes, icons, how many people follow you, comments from others on your post, etc. This shows you have gone above and beyond the criteria.

**The purpose of this assignment is to put yourself in the shoes of one of these explorers. Like you were on their ships and you are recounting what you saw, found or discovered. Please keep it appropriate and professional. Have fun and get creative!**

You will have one class to work on this assignment. This assignment will be worth **20 marks**. This is an individual assignment. You may use the cue cards and/or template provided or create your own.

This assignment is due \_\_\_\_\_.

See the rubric on the next page. Please read carefully before creating your assignment as this is what you will be evaluated on!

Instagram Marking Rubric

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Block: \_\_\_\_\_

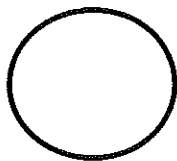
/20 marks

	Developing 1-2	Proficient 3-4	Extending 4-5
<b>Explorer &amp; profile picture</b>	No explorer has been identified and no profile picture has been included.	An explorer has been chosen from the list and a profile picture has been created.	An explorer has been chosen from the list and a profile picture has been created. There may be extras added such as a short bio, interests, etc.
<b>Post</b>	The images are somewhat appropriate for the explorer. There is not a good balance between hand-drawn, internet and magazine images. The post is disorganized and missing information for full understanding.	The images are appropriate for the explorer. There is a balance between hand-drawn, internet and magazine images. The post is visually appealing.	The images are extremely appropriate for the explorer. There is a great balance between hand-drawn, internet and magazine images. The post is very bright, colourful and visually appealing. Extra details have been added.
<b>Comments</b>	There is no event identified or is confusing. The overall comment is not personable or into character.	An event has been identified. The comments are somewhat personable and into character.	A specific event has been identified and drawn. The comments are personable and in character. Extra details have been added.
<b>Overall assignment</b>	The assignment is minimally meeting expectations. The assignment was not handed in on time. The student could have made better use of classroom time. All tasks are somewhat complete. The assignment is disorganized and could use some more detail and information.	The assignment is meeting expectations. The assignment was handed in on time. All tasks are completed. The assignment is organized and detailed. The student made good use of classroom time.	The assignment is above and beyond expectations. The student made excellent use of classroom time. The assignment was handed in on time. All tasks are done with exceptional detail. The assignment is very organized and thorough.

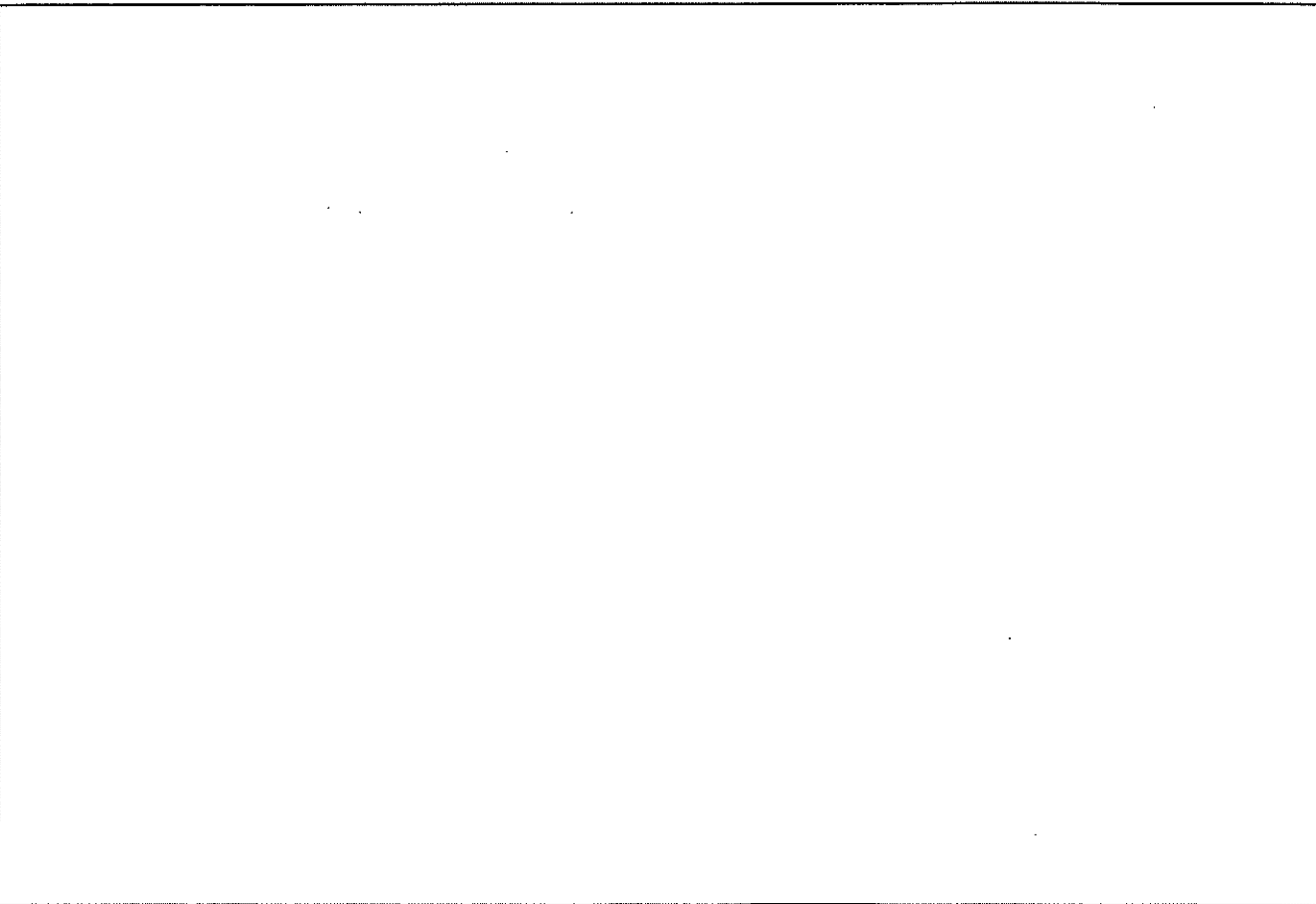
Additional comments...



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