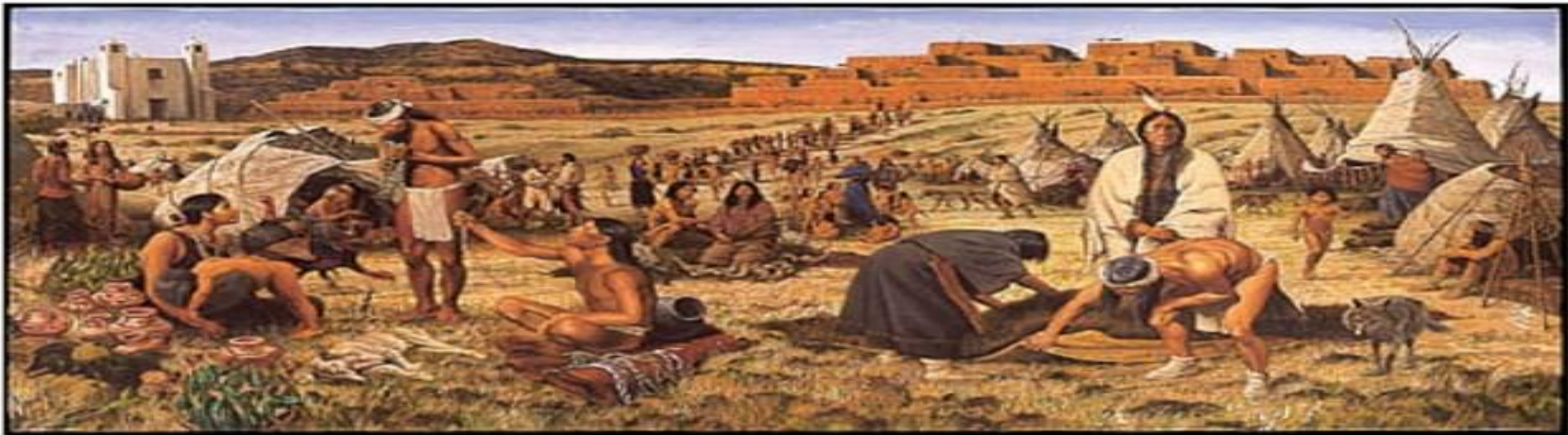


- Why do you think people went around the world exploring two hundred years ago?

The Britain, Europe, and America were exploring the world to find new land to live on and people to trade with. They wanted more power.



Families decided to leave their homes to start a new life in a strange land?

Some British explorers came to Aotearoa, the land of te iwi Māori. They went back to Britain and told the British Government that this country would be a good place for British people to live.



Why do you think the British Government wanted families to come and live in Aotearoa?

The British Government thought that Aotearoa would be a good base in the Pacific for Britain.



Imagine being an explorer who has just come across an island. How would you feel? What things would you be looking out for?

I would feel nervous anxious and scared I would look for food and water and house and people and other things.



Write or tell a story about 'How I felt when my family moved to a new country'. Your story could be set in the present day or in the past. It could be real or imagined. Explain what you expected and what it was like when you arrived.

I will feel nervous and scared because I will meet new people that we have never met before. Also like there would be new laws to follow and I would have to find a new job that I would like to do and I will need to find a new house.

