



Explorers and Activists



Key Vocabulary	
discover	To see or find something before anyone else
Monument	A structure built to remember a person or event
	
protest	An event where people come together to show that they are unhappy about something.
significant	Something that is important
activist	a person who feels strongly about helping people, other living things or the planet. They protest to make changes happen
explorer	a person who travels to places to find out what is there.



Neil Armstrong was the first person to walk on the Moon.



Rosa Parks wanted black people to have the same rights as white people.



Christopher Columbus was the first European person to discover the Americas.



Marco Polo explored Asia



Emmeline Pankhurst stood up for women's rights.

A **year** is 365 days.
A **decade** is 10 years.
A **century** is 100 years.



Elon Musk is trying to make a rocket to go to Mars.



Malala Yousafzai campaigns for girls to have the right to go to school.

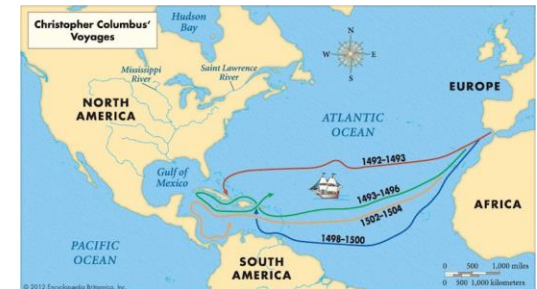


Greta Thunberg campaigns to stop climate change.

Dawson's Model

A person is historically significant if their actions match most of these statements:

- They made big changes in their lifetime.
- They made a lot of people's lives better or worse.
- They changed the way people think.
- Their ideas are still used today.
- They were a very good or very bad role model.



Significant people are still making big changes in the world today.