

As you read, consider the extent to which Columbus and his travels fit each of the SPICE themes. Overall, should Columbus be viewed as a hero or villain of world history? Online discussion in class; there's nothing you need to submit.

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Criteria	Grading Scale			
Comments	<p>4 Student appropriately contributes a significant amount of thoughtful, relevant answers that integrate specific examples from the reading with personal experience or opinion. Demonstrates clear connections between material and course content/themes.</p>	<p>3 Student appropriately contributes relevant answers that integrate examples from the reading with personal experience or opinion.</p>	<p>2 Student contributes in a somewhat appropriate manner, but responses do not demonstrate understanding of the reading or are completely personal experience/opinion.</p>	<p>1 Student does not contribute to the discussion OR contributes in an inappropriate manner.</p>
Questions	<p>4 Student appropriately contributes questions that demonstrate thoughtful understanding of the reading and elicit such responses from classmates.</p>	<p>3 Student appropriately contributes relevant questions that elicit responses from classmates.</p>	<p>2 Student contributes questions that are questionable in relevance, are yes/no questions, or do not elicit responses.</p>	<p>1 Student does not ask questions OR asks questions in an inappropriate manner.</p>
Active Listening	<p>4 Student's responses appropriately build on classmates' questions or comments, respectfully integrating and building off of other ideas.</p>	<p>3 Student's responses acknowledge and extend classmates' questions or comments.</p>	<p>2 Student's responses demonstrate that he/she has been listening to classmates' comments, but do not build on them.</p>	<p>1 Student does not acknowledge classmates' responses OR acknowledges responses in an inappropriate manner.</p>

Total pts: 12