

Problem: How were early colonists able to successfully inhabit the new land?

- Location (Landing Site)
- Relationship with Indians
- Structure to build (Shelter)
- Who will work
- Search for??
- Planting??

Consult with....

Food
Health
Wealth
Morale

Location	Relationships	Shelter	Workers	Search	Crops	Results
						Food: Health: Wealth: Morale:

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Story (Teacher): With the defeat of the Spanish Armada in 1588, England knew it had the capability to expand its empire and look west to the open seas in order to step onto the world stage and colonize other lands. Colonies meant wealth, and wealth came in many forms. Earlier Spanish land acquisitions in South America brought great wealth in the form of gold. For England, colonization in the New World meant the same opportunity. Colonization was no easy task due to the difficult journey across the Atlantic and the rugged land they'd be forced to inhabit.

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Independent Work: Consider all of the things colonists will need to survive in Jamestown. Brainstorm and record your ideas.

Activity: (pairs) Play Jamestown Adventure Game, discuss together and record your choices for best possible decisions colonists could make in relation to successfully inhabiting the new land.

Teacher circulates and evaluates student responses.

Student Product: What did you choose and why? Explain your thinking on black board.

Teacher shares actual historical events on black board.