**Chapter 2**

**STEP 3**

**MOVE BEYOND THE BASICS**

To demonstrate a more advanced understanding, consider the similarities and differences in the exploration and conquest of two explorers for Spain — Christopher Columbus and Hernán Cortés. What were the motivations behind each man’s expeditions? How did these expeditions affect the peoples each encountered?

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| Exploration 1492 - 1600 | Motives for exploration and settlement | Conquests and discoveries | Impact in New World | Impact in Europe |
| Portugal |  |  |  |  |
| Spain |  |  |  |  |
| France |  |  |  |  |
| England |  |  |  |  |