

Warmup

Roanoke: Take One

- Sir Walter Raleigh given a charter by Queen Elizabeth of England
 - 7 years to establish successful colony
- Two attempts to settle Roanoke Island
- First attempt led to conflict with Croatoan natives
 - Francis Drake stopped while returning to Europe from raiding Spanish ships in Caribbean
 - Drake took colonists back to England because they had no supplies



Roanoke: Take Two

- 115 colonists led by John White
- Arrived at abandoned Roanoke fort and settled
- Some Croatoans still held grudge against English
- White convinced to return to England to retrieve supplies
- White's granddaughter was first English born in Americas
 - Virginia Dare

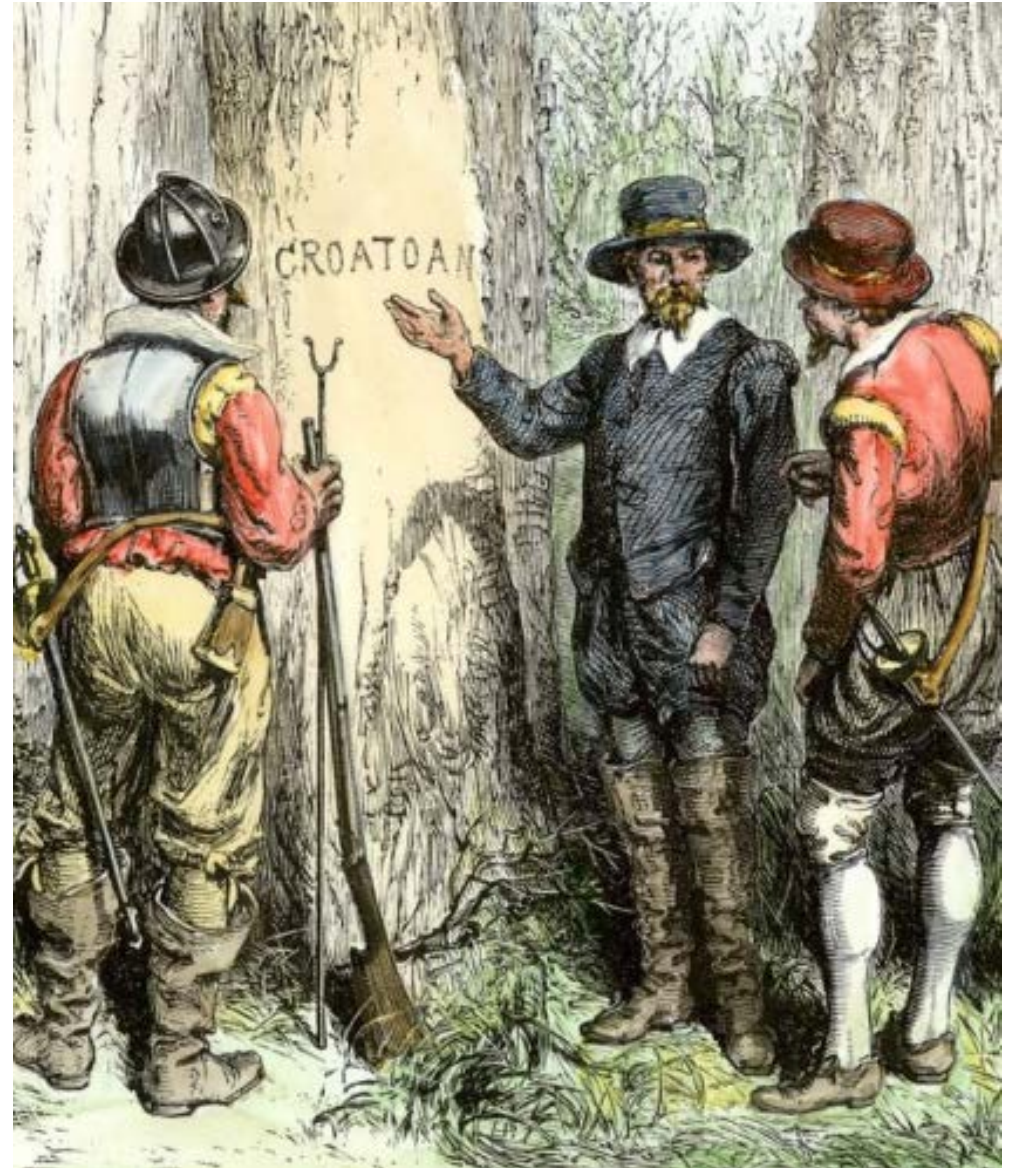


Roanoke Island

Roanoke: Take Two

- While White was in England, War with Spain took place
 - Return to Americas delayed by three years
- Upon return, found fort abandoned
 - Found single word carved into post

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The Lost Colony

- White and ship left Roanoke before fate of colonists could be determined due to storm
- Raleigh sent second expedition to determine fate of colonists, but it returned without reaching Roanoke (Raleigh later arrested for treason)
- Most popular theory is colonists integrated into Croatoan tribe to survive



Activity

- We will do what the English forgot to do when starting their colonies
- On your own, list everything you think you would need to have a successful colony
- Then we will break you into your community to discuss new ideas