Do Now: Define- Monarchy, Finance (v.), Printing Press

Questions for Video: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7FItlStGMY4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7FItlStGMY4-)

1. Why would monarchs be hesitant to finance expeditions of explorers? Why did Isabella of Spain agree to do so?

2. Describe the crew of Columbus’s 3 ships, the Nina, Pinta and Santa Maria. Why did these men sign up for the voyage?

3. Where does Columbus think he lands? Where does he actually land?

4. Who does Columbus found the land “in the name of”.

5. Evaluate the statement, “Columbus reaching the New World is the most important event in human history” Be detailed and specific!