

First English Colonies Matching Quiz

Write the word that best matches each definition or clue.

1. _____ He developed a high-grade tobacco that the colonists learned to grow.
2. _____ England began establishing colonies after the they defeated this fleet in 1588.
3. _____ This colony was named after Queen Elizabeth I.
4. _____ Many colonists at Jamestown futilely spent their days looking for this. They didn't find any.
5. _____ A piece of ownership of a company.
6. _____ Leader of a group of landless frontier settlers who opposed Governor William Berkeley.
7. _____ These were backed by investors who put money into a project to earn profits.
8. _____ A written contract issued by a government giving the holder the right to establish a colony.
9. _____ He said, "He that will not work shall not eat."
10. _____ This made many colonists at Jamestown sick with fever.
11. _____ He granted charters to the Virginia Company of Plymouth and the Virginia Company of London.
12. _____ This Virginia crop quickly became very popular in England.
13. _____ John Rolfe married her in 1614.
14. _____ The first permanent English settlement.
15. _____ In 1607 the Plymouth Company sponsored this colony in Maine.
16. _____ The Governor of Virginia during Bacon's Rebellion.
17. _____ The colony of Virginia began here.
18. _____ These men and women sold their labor to the person who paid their passage.
19. _____ He financed the colony of Roanoke.
20. _____ An English geographer who urged England to start a colony in the Americas.
21. _____ In this economic system, the state controls trade and attempts to transfer wealth from colonies to the parent country.
22. _____ When the colonists ate rats, mice, snakes, cats, dogs, and horses in order to survive.
23. _____ A Native American tribe that the colonists in Jamestown traded with. They also fought with them.
24. _____ In 1619 it became the first representative assembly in the American colonies.

Sagadahoc

John Rolfe

King James I

Powhatan

starving time

tobacco

malaria

Roanoke Island

Nathaniel Bacon

Pocahontas

gold

John Smith

Sir Walter Raleigh

Virginia

indentured servants

William Berkeley

Spanish Armada

Jamestown

Richard Hakluyt

stock

charter

House of Burgesses

joint stock companies

mercantilism