The Indians of North America were scattered all over this vast continent. The Indians lived here for hundreds of years before the white settlers arrived.

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Define vast-

The first person to call Native Americans "Indians" was Christopher Columbus. He thought he had landed on one of the islands east of India called the Indies.





Christopher Columbus was a navigator, colonizer, and explorer who was instrumental in Spanish colonization of the Americas.

In 1838, the U.S. government forcibly removed more than 16,000 Cherokee Indian people from their homelands. This is known as the Trail of Tears.

Sample



Path of Trail of Tears

Define Forcibly-

What I love most about rivers is you can't step in the same river twice. The water's always changing, always flowing.

Pocahontas



Pocahontas was an Powhatan Indian princess. In 1607, she saw her first white man, Captain John Smith.

