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Going for the Gold!

If there had been an Olympic competition for exploration and acquisition of new lands during the Age of Discovery, Spain and Portugal would surely have been the two front-runners. Who would have won the gold and who would have won the silver? Read p. 446-450 to find out which nation completed each task below. When you've found them all add up the points and find the gold medalist then answer the two questions below.

Event or Explorer	Points	Spain/ Spanish	Portugal/ Portugese
Home of Prince Henry the Navigator	25		
Discovery of the New World at in the West Indies	25		
Discovered South America	10		
Conquered the Inca in South America	10		
Conquered the Aztecs in Mexico	10		
Home of Vasco da Gama	10		
The first circumnavigation of the world (careful, this one is tricky!)	25		
Sponsoring nation of Christopher Columbus	20		
Home of Bartolemeu Dias	10		
Invented the advanced sailing ship known as a caravel	25		
First nation to sail around Africa	5		
Home nation of Ferdinand Magellan	5		
TOTAL:			

Answer the following questions in at least two complete sentences each.

1. Which country was more important to the start of the Age of Exploration? Explain.

2. Look over the reasons to explore on p. 446. Which country was more successful at meeting those goals? Explain.

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SPANISH EXPLORER:	No fear, we go, y'all just stay,	77
Check it, it's the 15th Century,	Haters gonna hate, and say the world's flat,	
And we are the	We hit the seas, and don't look	-
PORTUGESE EXPLORER:	,	
And we are the Portuguese,	SPANISH SAILOR:	
Ships cost money, you know what's priceless?	Life on a ship? It's no cruise co	ousin,
If we sailed to Asia and traded with them for their,	Get up at the crack, no	button.
	Rise with the sun, get up early	!
SPANISH:		
And their silver. And their gold.	PORTUGESE SAILOR:	
	I think I'm losing my teeth!	
PORTUGESE:		
Now we could go by land, but that's dangerous and slow.	SPANISH:	
We're better off building that float.	You probably got	
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SPANISH:	PORTUGESE:	
That's the best kind of ship!	If you're caught slacking off,	
	You'll get or flogged	d by the captain for acting
PORTUGESE:	soft.	
Yea, I know!	Yeah, the open ocean's like a h	ighway,
So Prince Henry is exploring,	If you're only going 6 knots, g	et your ship out of my way!
Up and down the west coast, it's so spectacular.	Celestial is a must,	
He leads us Portuguese, and we hit the seas like seaweed,	You see we pay attention to sta	ars like US Weekly.
And seek what we need.	After Columbus, trading gets i	nsane,
We reach the Ocean by 1488.	An Old World / New World	Exchange:
·	Europe gets tobacco, tomatoes	,
SPANISH:	Chocolate, potatoes.	
And we the Spanish wanted a piece of the cake.	America gets horses running the	hrough the area,
So Isabella funded,	Plus smallpox, oh yeah, and _	·
To sail around the globe, a journey that was wondrous.		
1492 he sailed the ocean blue,	We make waves, get out the wa	ıy,
He didn't find India, "But hey, what am I supposed to do?"	No fear, we go, y'all just stay,	
In America, it started all this drama.	Haters gonna hate, and say the	e world's flat,
	We hit the seas, and don't look	back. (x3)
PORTUGESE:		
A few years later,,		
Sailed 'round, reached India,		
Finally, opened the trade routes that we really loved.		
And we didn't want to share that with Spain.		
SPANISH:		ī
We don't want to share with you either; you guys are lame.		1
A treaty was signed as they're mapping the planet.		
Portuguese claimed the east and left the to the Spanish,		
Then Magellan the globe,	0000	
And other countries found new places to go.		2
The French, the English and later the Dutch		_
Explored to find land few people had touched.		

Hoist the sails! Let's do it for our nation,

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