

Anchors Away Observation

Before the Presentation

1. How long does the Panama Route take? How long does the Cape Horn Route take?

1. What supplies do you think you need for the trip to be successful?

2. What are some problems that you might encounter on the journey?

After the Presentation

1. Was your guess about how long the journey would take correct?

2. What supplies were important to have for the journey?

3. What are some problems you may face on your own journey?

4. If you lived in the 1800's would you have made the journey to CA by sea? Why or Why not?

Map Activity



Draw the Cape Horn Route, Panama Route, and the Overland Trail Route on the map above. How long do you think each route takes?

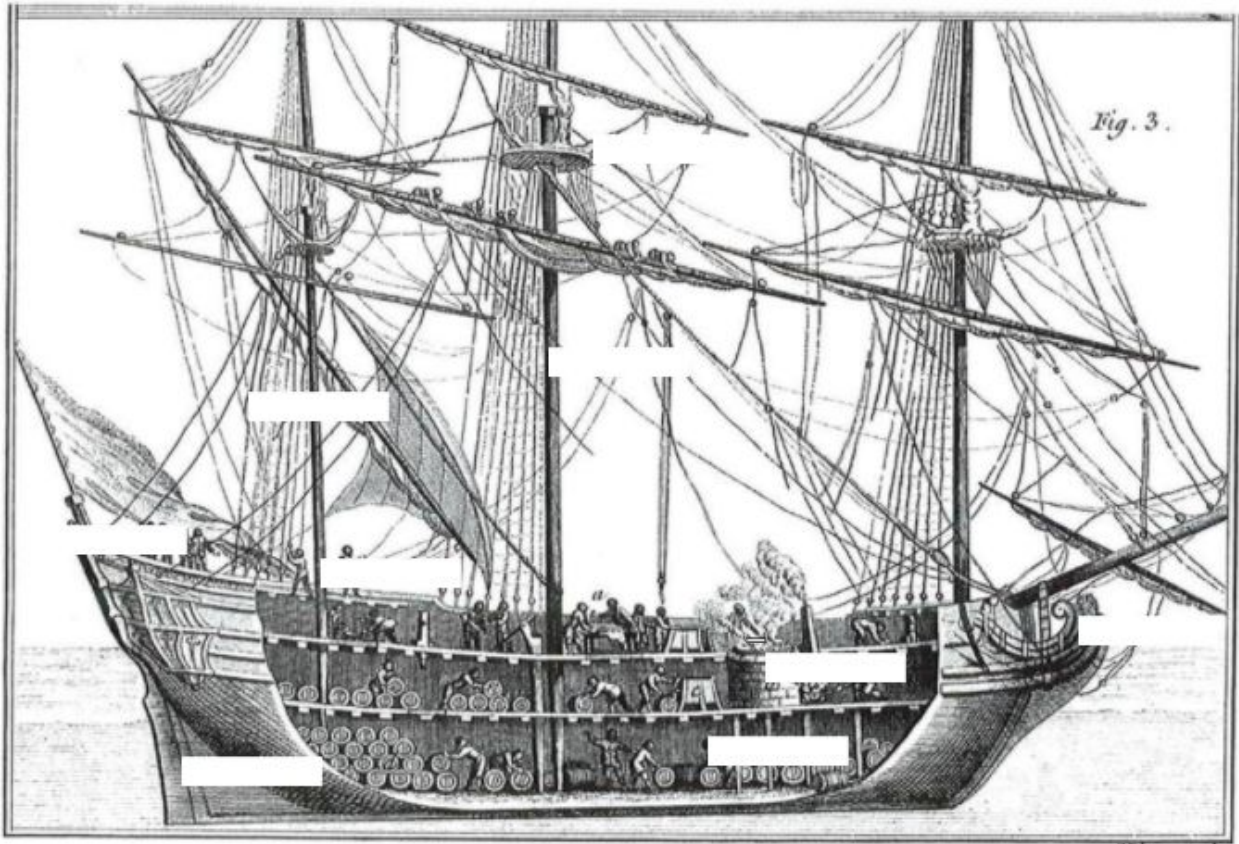
Cape Horn Route: _____

Panama Route: _____

Overland Trail Route: _____

What are some other sea routes if people were traveling from other parts of the world? If people traveled from Europe, Asia, Africa, or South America how did they get to California? Draw routes for people traveling around the world.

Ship Diagram Activity



Label the different areas of the ships on the diagram and define what these areas are:

Rudder: _____

Crow'snest: _____

Cargo Hold: _____

Deck: _____

Sail: _____

Mast: _____

Bow: _____

Stern: _____

Berth: _____