## EXPLORER'S GUIDE

## **WORD LIST**

ANTHROPOLOGY the study of humans and their cultures

ARTIFACT human-made object, usually from the past

**CASTAWAY** person who has been stranded, for example someone who has swum to shore

or to an island after their boat has sunk

**CONSERVATION** looking after the Earth to protect the environment

**DEFORESTATION** when a large number of trees in a forest or area are cut down or destroyed

ETHNOGRAPHY study and recording of a particular culture or society

**FRONTIER** border of a country that separates it from other countries

**HERBARIUM** place where dried plants or herbs are kept to be studied

**INDIGENOUS PEOPLE** first people who lived in a place

MISSIONARY someone sent to convert the native people of a country to a particular religion

**NAVIGATION** method of figuring out the route to follow when traveling

**PILGRIMAGE** journey to a sacred place for religious reasons

**SCHOLAR** person who is an expert on a particular subject

**SLAVERY** when people are owned by another person and forced to work for them

TRADE ROUTE route sailed or traveled by merchants carrying goods from one place to another



