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Major European countries were in competition to extend their power into North America and claim the land as their own.

Areas of conflict between Europeans and American Indians (First Americans)

Control of land

Competition for trade

Differences in cultures

Disease

Differences in language

Areas of cooperation between Europeans and American Indians (First Americans)

Technologies (transportation of weapons and farm tools)

Trade

Crops

The student will demonstrate knowledge of European exploration in North America and West Africa by
a) describing the motivations, obstacles, and accomplishments of the Spanish, French, Portuguese, and English explorations.