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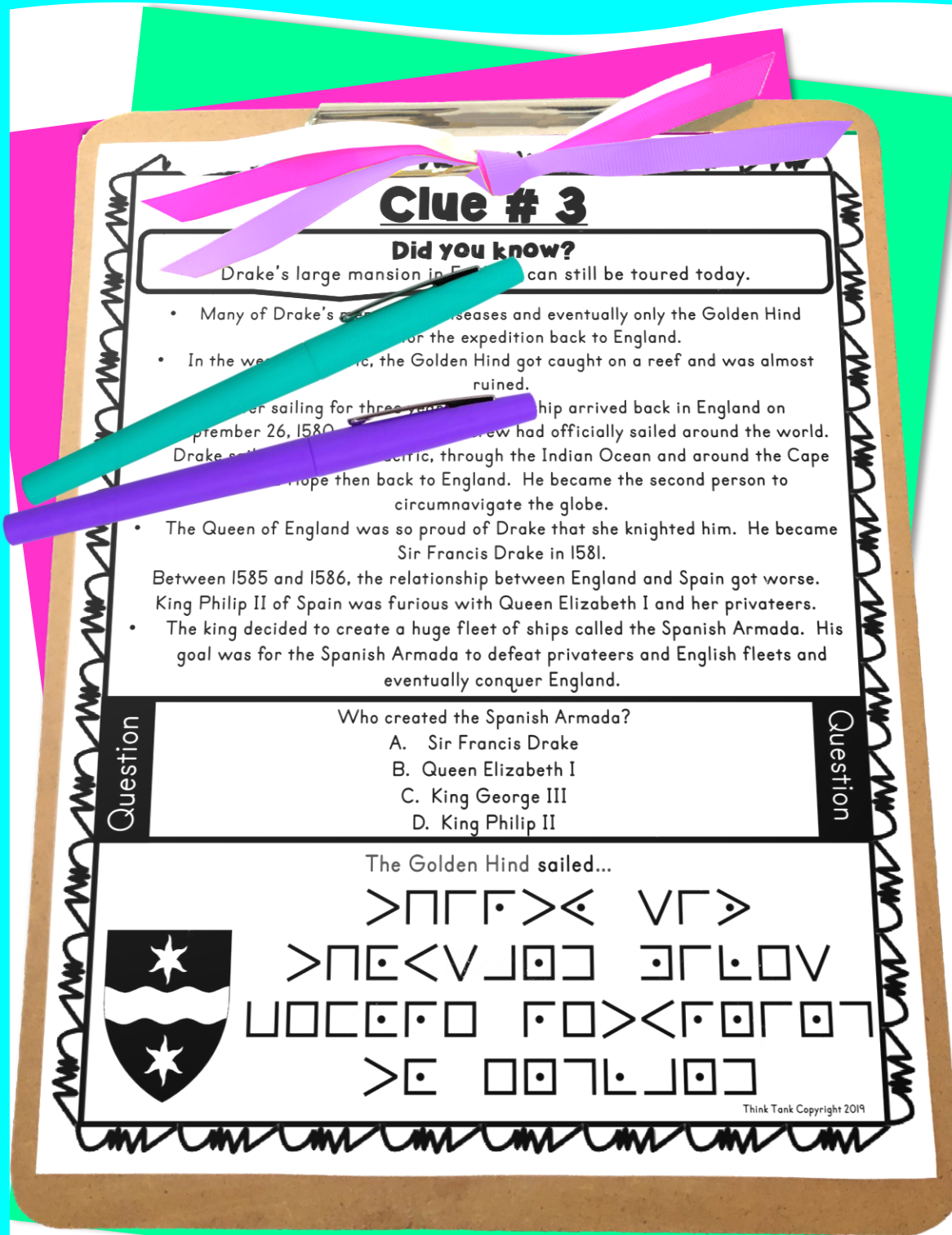
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ANSWER QUESTIONS

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DECODE PUZZLES



WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- ✓ 4 Half Page Passages
- ✓ 4 Puzzle Decoders
- ✓ Differentiated Version
- ✓ Completion Signs
- ✓ 10 Multiple Choice
- ✓ Teacher Answer Key
- ✓ Teacher Guide
- ✓ Puzzle Hints



Clue # 1
Did you know?

Clue # 2
Did you know?

Clue # 3
Did you know?

Clue # 4
Hint: ➡ then ⬇
Did you know?

4 Digit Code
First number of the ID:

A =	N =
B =	O =
C = 17	P = 16



A	B	C	J	K	L
D	E	F	M	N	O
G	H	I	P	Q	R
S			W		
T	U		X	Y	Z

THE CASE
The morning of March 8th, Milly M...
teacher was preparing her for a r...
did not plan to do well. She felt n...
understand the...
home. Milly had an after-school snack...
math teacher gave her a 20-question stu...

TEACHER GUIDE
Print a 3 page packet for each student (pages 6-10).
Print the four "decoders" and hang them around...
students to gather around the decoder. Print in...
choose to print the labeled decoders to challenge...
labeled (pages 11-14) decoders to challenge each group. The lab...
groups, print out a set of decoders for each decoder to use for each of the...
specifically tell students which decoder to use for the case. d...
students they have _____ minutes to solve the case. d...
figure out the final 4 digit code. (Use your...
work alone or together as a partner...
with a partner to promote coll...
complete the decoder by order...
to the next decoder or clue. You...
to process the puzzle. You...
meant to challenge you!"

4 PASSAGES

Clue # 1

Did you know?

Drake's lead coffin, believed to be buried at sea near Panama, has never been found.

- Francis Drake was born in Tavistock, England. Historians believe he was born between 1540 and 1544. His father, Edmund Drake, was a farmer and a minister for the English navy. The Drake family lived near the sea where Francis worked with a merchant sailor who traded goods with France.
- In the 1560s, Drake set sail on his first expedition with his cousin John Hawkins. Drake was the captain of a ship named 'Judith'. In total, there were six ships on the voyage. They sailed to Africa to negotiate or steal from illegal slave traders. They would then sell the acquired slaves to New Spain. Drake was part of the first transatlantic slave trade until 1568. The slaves were sold at a Spanish Port until 1568. He would have been a slave trader while the ships attacked.

Clue # 3

Did you know?

Drake's large mansion in England can still be toured today.

- Many of Drake's men died of diseases and eventually only the Golden Hind remained for the expedition back to England.
- In the western Pacific, the Golden Hind got caught on a reef and was almost ruined.
- After sailing for three years, Drake's ship arrived back in England on September 26, 1580. Drake and his crew had officially sailed around the world.
- Drake sailed across the Pacific, through the Indian Ocean and around the Cape of Good Hope then back to England. He became the second person to circumnavigate the globe.
- The Queen of England was so proud of Drake that she knighted him. He became Sir Francis Drake in 1581.
- Between 1585 and 1586, the relationship between England and her privateers, King Philip II of Spain, worsened. The Spanish Armada was sent to defeat privateers and English fleets and eventually conquer England.

- The Golden Hind sailed...
- A. Queen Elizabeth I
 - B. Queen Elizabeth I
 - C. King George III
 - D. King Philip II

The Golden Hind sailed...

Clue # 2

Did you know?

Sir Francis Drake was also known as El Draque.

- For several years, Drake raided towns, destroyed settlements and took gold and silver from the settlers. Drake's actions were recognized by Queen Elizabeth I. Queen Elizabeth I ruled England for 44 years. She gave Francis Drake a set of ships for 'privateering'. Drake became a privateer, which means he was given permission by the Queen to raid enemy ships. Drake used the fleet to raid Spanish settlements in Panama and South America. He was also asked to destroy any property that belonged to King Philip II of Spain.
- In November of 1577, Drake and his five ships sailed from England. He was also asked to destroy the Pelican, which was a Spanish ship.

Clue # 4

Hint: → then ↓

Did you know?

Francis Drake was a distant relative of Sir Walter Raleigh.

- In response to the formation of the Spanish Armada, Queen Elizabeth I made Drake the vice admiral of the English Navy in 1588. Drake decided to wait for the Spanish Armada to arrive in his own territory. Eventually, over one hundred Spanish ships entered the English Channel.
- Drake set up a surprise attack. He set some of his own empty ships on fire and sent them towards the Spanish ships. He caused them to panic and flee the area.
- Once they navigated away, Drake's ships would destroy the ships. A severe storm also destroyed more than half of the Spanish Armada. England defeated the Spanish Armada and became known as the 'Invincible Armada'.
- In 1589, Queen Elizabeth I ordered Drake to destroy the Spanish Armada. The expedition suffered major losses of lives and ships of the Spanish Armada. Drake returned to England and became the mayor of Plymouth, England.
- Years later, Queen Elizabeth I once again sent Sir Francis Drake into battle. On his expedition to the New World, he became sick from dysentery and died in 1596.

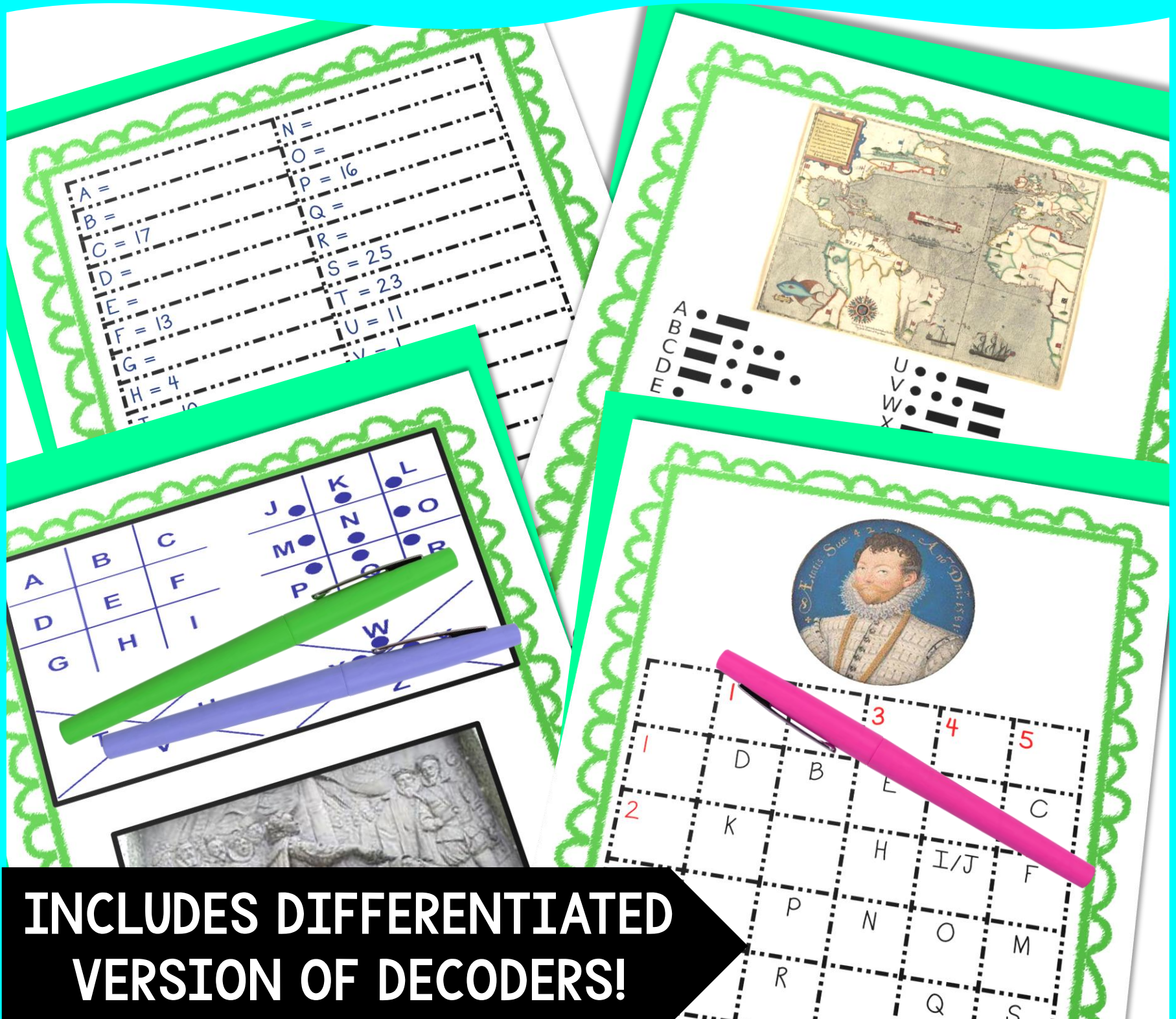
Where was Drake a mayor?

- A. Lisbon, Portugal
- B. London, England
- C. Plymouth, Massachusetts
- D. Plymouth, England

Sir Francis Drake...

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4 DECODERS



**INCLUDES DIFFERENTIATED
VERSION OF DECODERS!**

YOU MAY ALSO LIKE

SIR FRANCIS DRAKE

Interactive Presentation

Drake eventually landed off the coast of California, claiming it for Queen _____

- A. Mary
- B. Victoria
- C. Elizabeth

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TRUE

FALSE

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