Native Nations and Their Lands

Grade 4 Social Studies Worksheet

Name _____ Date _____

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   routes through the mountains and rivers
   how to sail ships across the Atlantic
   where gold could be found in California

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   Clay walls floated above wetland water.
   Thick clay walls stayed cool in hot sun.
   Clay homes could be packed on horses.

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   They kept out deep winter snow.
   They held heat in during cold winters.
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5. The Hopi live on high mesas in Arizona, where little rain falls. Which crop did they grow there?
   cranberries in wet bogs rice in flooded fields oranges in warm groves
   corn suited to dry soil

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