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Study the vocabulary words and definitions below.

colonize	to establish a settlement in a new land and maintain political control
courage	strength of mind or spirit to face danger with bravery
creoles	persons born in Latin America or the West Indies whose ancestors came from Europe
hemisphere	one-half of Earth
mestizos	persons in Latin America who were of European and Native American ancestry
mulattos	persons in Latin America who were of European and African ancestry
native	an original inhabitant of a place or country
peninsulares	persons in Latin American who were born in Spain or Portugal
plantation	a large estate or farm
society	a group of people bound by common laws and culture