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World Explorers Video Note Sheet

As you watch the video, fill in the graphic organizer below:

Eric the Red (950-1003)

Reasons for exploring Greenland, Year of settlement, Length of settlements	What caused the settlements to be abandoned?
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Banished from Iceland for 3 years after a bloody land dispute• Sailed to Greenland and founded a settlement. Another settlement developed (East + West Settlement)• Lasted about 500 years	Clashes with Inuit people

Leif Ericson (970-1020)

Reasons for exploring North America, Approximate time of discovery, How long did the settlements last?	What caused the settlements to be abandoned or disappear?
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leif sailed from Norway to Greenland but storms pushed him westward to N. America• Eventually landed in present-day Newfoundland - called it Vinland• Leif only stayed for winter but others from Greenland built a settlement around 1000• Vinland settlement didn't last long	Clashes between settlers and native people forced settlers to leave.