

The Crossing

Keeping a Navigators Log

As you cross the Atlantic, you will steer a course like that of the *Susan Constant*, *Discovery*, and *Godspeed*. Accurate records were most important. A Captain had to record the position of the ship, and any other factors that might affect a later voyage.

As carefully trace the route of the Journey to Jamestown in *The Crossing*, record the critical information on this log. Some of it has been completed for you.

Date	Location	Heading	Latitude	Notes
<i>Dec. 20, 1606</i>	<i>Blackwell, Eng.</i>	<i>SWW</i>	<i>50° North</i>	<i>Set sail from England</i>
<i>Jan. 5, 1607</i>	<i>The Downes</i>		<i>48° North</i>	
<i>Mid-January</i>	<i>At Sea</i>		<i>47° North</i>	
<i>Late January</i>	<i>At Sea</i>			<i>Changing course</i>
<i>Feb. 6</i>		<i>SSE</i>		
<i>Feb. 12</i>				
<i>Mar. 1</i>	<i>Canary Islands</i>			
<i>Mar. 5</i>		<i>SW</i>		<i>Departed Canary Islands</i>
<i>Mar. 10</i>				<i>Crossed Tropic of Cancer</i>
<i>Mar. 15</i>	<i>At Sea</i>	<i>W</i>		<i>Balmy seas</i>
<i>Mar. 20</i>				
<i>Mar. 24</i>	<i>Guadelupe</i>			
<i>Mar 27</i>	<i>Nevis</i>			
<i>April 5</i>				<i>Departed Nevis</i>
<i>April 18</i>	<i>Somewhere in West Indies</i>			<i>Fierce winds ~ terrible storm</i>
<i>April 26</i>	<i>Virginia</i>			