



Jamestown Meets 21st Century Lingo

Pretend you are John Smith, the leader of Jamestown in its early years. You have returned to England following your severe leg injury, and have decided to write a book about your experiences in America's first permanent English colony. You have solicited an editor to help write the book and he has asked you to first write a brief summary of those experiences. If you can pretend you are John Smith, you can also pretend that he is familiar with today's trendy expressions and symbols (like "sus" or "#") and uses them frequently in his summary. Use your knowledge of John Smith's role at Jamestown and your knowledge of modern expressions to write the summary. Brainstorm at least ten expressions to use in your summary and list them below. Then, write the summary on the next page. A few examples are provided.

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@
bro
DM
SMH


