



List of Tudor sailing 'Do's and Don'ts'

Do's and Don'ts lists explain the two most important things about a subject. They point out something that would be a good idea and something that would be a very bad idea. Create a Do's and Don'ts list for sailing and settling in the Tudor era.

Some examples of Tudor sailing, Do's and Don'ts might read...

When at sea...

Do look out for Spanish ships. Don't wave to them, they're not friendly.
Do load your cannons with gunpowder then an iron cannon ball. Don't do this the other way around.
Do set fire to spare ships and send them at your enemy. Don't forget to check which way the wind is blowing.

When starting a settlement in America...

Do bring supplies to help you cross the Atlantic Ocean. Don't forget to keep some seeds for planting.
Do build a stockade to hide out in. Don't just stay inside it, you need to trade for food or you will get hungry.
Do search for oysters in the sea, they're good to eat. Don't drink the dirty water, you can get very sick.

Helpful spellings...

Words and Phrases: When at sea... When starting a settlement... During a sea battle... ...avoid... ...try to... ...never... ...always
have a... ...look out for... climb, load, fire, dodge, build, drink, ...catch and eat...

Aboard Ship: Cannon, scrap iron for cannonballs, broadside, muskets, fireships, gun deck, grappling irons. Places: North Sea, Atlantic Ocean, English Channel, Calais, Spanish, hurricane, mast, rigging.

Settlements: settlers America, Virginia, Roanoke, supplies, sandbanks, port, chains, colony, clubs, knives, stockade, musket, natives, savages, dirty water, bloody flux, swelling, seed for planting, supplies, oysters, crabs, fish.

My Tudor sailing, 'Do's and Don'ts'
