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## What really happened?



This half dollar tells the story of the Lost Colony. On the obverse (front) of the coin, we can see Sir Walter Raleigh, who returned from a voyage for supplies only to find a deserted colony. On the reverse (back) of the coin, we see the image of a mother and child by the sea, representing two of the people who mysteriously disappeared from Roanoke Island.

Mysteries are fun to think about! See if you can use your imagination to create a solution to this mystery. What do you think really happened to the Lost Colony on Roanoke Island? Write a story explaining exactly what happened to the settlers and why Sir Walter Raleigh never found them.

Good Job! Now that you are finished, draw a new half dollar design that represents how the mystery was solved in your story. Be creative!

## OBVERSE

## REVERSE



