

Welcome the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Your den will reenact the expedition of the Louisiana Territory that has just doubled the size of the United States. This includes the part we are in right now! You do not know what to expect and must prepare for your journey and its perils and unknowns.

Some believe there are Unicorns and Woolly Mammoths in the unexplored territory. What do you expect? There are 9 stations on this reenactment of the expedition. You must visit each station in order and follow the directions at each station. Have the adult guide initial the station on this paper and return to St Louis!

Good Luck and God Speed!

1. Spring 1803, Location Pittsburgh - Build Your Boat
Build your boat with your den for the expedition later today. You will need to carry a variety of supplies in your boat and must make provisions for Stowage of these supplies. There will be awards given for boat design.
2. Summer 1803, Location Camp Wood - Equip your Boat
Receive your supplies North of St Louis at the confluence of the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers.
3. 1804, Near Present Day Omaha - Meet the Native Americas
4. 1804, Present Day Pierre South Dakota – Negotiate a Toll with Native Americans
5. 1804, Fort Mandan – Build a Fort
Unload all supplies and build a Fort off Mud Bricks. Hire Toussaint Charbonneau, a French Canadian fur trader living among the Hidatsas, as an interpreter. His young Shoshone wife, Sacagawea will help navigate your way up River.
6. 1805, Continental Divide - Portage all your supplies and Boat up the Hill
Remove all supplies and carry the boat and each supply over the continental Divide
7. 1805, Pacific Ocean – You have reached Pacific Ocean
Unload all supplies and Make Camp. Fish for food and replenish your supplies for the return journey.
8. 1805, Great Falls Montana - Navigate the Water Fall
9. Sept 23, 1806, St Louis - Complete You Journey