

Oregon Trail Story Evaluation

Self Evaluation:	Peer Evaluation:
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Required Information:

- Title page
- Dedication page
- Reason for going to Oregon
- Length of the trip and how many month on the trail, dates of travel
- Your family (where you were from, jobs, ages, how you feel leaving)
- Wagon description, weight, wagon train, how many wagons
- Animals you are bringing
- Food you are bringing & how much
- Supplies, clothing, furniture, tools
- Your guide – describe him & why your family chose him
- Problems on the trail - tell common problems
- Weather description
- Illnesses – list typical illnesses
- Meals – breakfast, lunch, dinner
- Jobs people had on the trail
- Recreation for kids & adults
- Indian tribes along the trail
- Building your new home & feelings
- "About the Author" page
- Trail map

Landmarks to Be Included:

- Independence, Missouri
- Kansas, Big Blue, Little Blue Rivers
- Platte River
- Chimney Rock
- Fort Laramie
- Independence Rock
- Devil's Gate & Sweetwater River
- South Pass
- Pacific Creek
- Fort Bridger (if you went there)
- Fort Hall
- Snake River Plain
- Three Island Crossing
- Fort Boise
- Farewell Bend
- Blue Mountains
- Columbia River or Barlow Trail
- Fort Vancouver

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Teacher Evaluation:

Story:

Illustrations:

Book Cover:

