



# History Pocket ~ Westward Expansion

## Before Co-op Meeting:

1. Review History Overview (Handbook) to understand philosophy and ideas behind this week's lesson. :
2. Review *Moving West*, History Pocket and *Native Americans*, History Pocket.
3. Choose which Pocket and activities you want to do in co-op.
4. Gather and print materials needed for History Pocket: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Lesson Goals:

1. To learn about the lasting impact of the American Westward Expansion.
2. To analyze the impact of the pioneers on Native American culture.

## At Co-op Preparation:

- Gather all materials and place them neatly to the side.
- Have paper towels and cleaning spray ready for clean-up time.

## In Class:

1. Welcome the students!
2. Introduce the Unit Theme by summarizing the History Overview in the Handbook.
3. Pass out Pocket materials and help students start the activities.
4. At the end of class time, pass out all the remaining Pocket materials.
5. Instruct students to finish their Pocket activities during the home units.

## Clean-up:

- Place the students' crafts to the side to dry on a table. These can be picked up by students at the end of the day.
- Use paper towels and cleaning spray to clean the tables if needed.
- Use paper towels and cleaning spray to wash any glue from the tables.