

Eastmont Intermediate Schools Social Studies Challenge #2

Students, get ready to be challenged!

Teachers will be providing you with weekly challenges including an activity each day from each of your classes! All challenges will have 3 different level options. Start by choosing the level that you feel comfortable with and then continue to challenge yourself by going up to another level! When you are finished, feel free to share on your school's Facebook page, with your teacher on google classroom, or to family members and friends.



Challenge Option #1:

Watch the video and list the different jobs you see in Williamsburg. Then complete the video worksheet.

[Jobs in Williamsburg](#)

[Video Worksheet](#)

Explore trades (jobs) available. Click on the link. After exploring all 20 trades, do the worksheet.

[Historical Trades \(Jobs\)](#)

[Trade Worksheet](#)



Challenge Option #2 : Since we are stuck at home, it is a great time to plan a dream vacation. Use this resource to choose a location you would like to visit and then start to find out some information about your location.

Level 1: Use this resource to choose a location that is **not** in the United States. [Travel Guide](#)

| Country you chose | Capital City | Type of Government | Language or languages |
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Describe 2 attractions or landmarks you might visit on your vacation:

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Name 3 animals you might see on your vacation:

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Why did you pick this country?

Level 2: What kind of weather does this place have? <http://www.weatherbase.com>

| Continent or area of world | Country (same as above) | City (In your country) |
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| Average temp in April | Average temp in July | Average temp in November |
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| Average precipitation (rain) April | Average precipitation in July | Average precipitation in November |
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Level 3:

Make a claim about the weather and support it with evidence. You can use this sentence frame to create your claim.

The best time of year to go to the city I chose is _____ (month) because _____ (Use data from above).

Example: The best time of year to go to the city I chose is **July** because **the temp is 78 degrees and only 2" of rain during this month.**

Challenge Option #3

Please play the game, Oregon Trail. As you work through the game, please answer the following questions.

1. Did you survive?
2. Did your entire party (group) survive?
3. What did you learn about the Oregon Trail?
4. What was the key to your success?
5. Why do you think you failed?

Think about this experience. Are there any questions you want answered?

Good Luck!

[Oregon Trail Game](#)



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Helpful Hints

Option 1: Jobs (Trades) in Williamsburg

*Cooper is a person who makes barrels, buckets, tubs, etc. out of wood



*Wigmaker is a person who makes fake hair (wigs) for men or women



*Foundry is a workshop where things are made out of metal.



*Springlock is a lock with a spring loaded bolt that requires a key to open.



Option 2: Dream Vacation

*Attraction or Landmark is a place that people want to visit like Disneyland or the Space Needle.

*The Continents are large land masses that make up the world.

*Precipitation is when rain, snow, sleet, or hail falls from the sky.

