Social Studies Community Experience

Each history student is assigned 1 community experience assignments each term. Each assignment is expected to be at least 2 hours long. These will consist of exploring our environment, the entities that make up our government, our history, and participating in service learning.

Some of the options:
Tour our local recycling facility
Geocaching
Attend a local community/city council meeting.
Visit one of the fascinating places in our county. Examples:

- Tooele Railroad Museum
- Utah Firefighters Museum
- Ajax Underground Store
- Library Pioneer Memorial
- Benson Grist Mill
- Ophir
- Oquirrh Mining Museum
- Bonneville Salt Flats
- Pioneer City Hall/Log Cabin
- Col. Steptoe Monument
- Danger Cave
- Daughters of Utah Pioneers
- Simpson Springs-

- CCC Camp/Pony Express
- Donner Crossing Stockton
- Donner-Reed Museum
- Grantsville Opera House
- Great Salt Lake Beaches
- Hilda Erickson Cabin
- Utah Fire Museum
- Wendover Airbase
- Ibapah Historical Monument
- Pony Express Stations
- Iosepa

Learning centers at Kennecott, Chemical Depot, Envirocare, Clean Harbors, etc.

Utah State Historical venues- Utah State Historical Society at the Rio Grande, the Governor's Mansion, The State Capitol Building, Camp Floyd State Park, Territorial Statehouse, etc.

Museums in Salt Lake such as Fort Douglas Museum, Museum of Natural History, Museum of Fine Arts, etc.

Volunteer for a service program. Clean a community venue, or volunteer with Senior Citizens, or through the Community Action Program. Help someone in their neighborhood. **Helping family does not count for this activity.**

**Religious services, babysitting, and school field trips are not allowed.**

If the student chooses- they may do a research paper instead of the off campus activity. See your teacher for information.
The activity cannot be duplicated- each of the 4 experiences should be unique. Exceptions need prior teacher approval.

Name___________________________________________
Date___________________________________________
Period_________________________  Score:

Community Experience Report Form

Date of activity ________________  Time: From ___________ to __________

Where I went:_____________________________________________________________________________________

What I did:________________________________________________________________________________________

Signature of Adult: ________________________________________________________________________________

Explain the activity and what you gained from your involvement (Fill all lines)
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