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

Ibapah Historical Monument

Pony Express Stations

Wendover Airbase

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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

Exceptions need prior teacher approval. Name_____ Score: Date_____ Period **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)

The activity cannot be duplicated- each of the 4 experiences should be unique.