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Lewis and Clark Expedition Timeline Worksheet

Instructions - Fill in the timeline below with important events from the Lewis and Clark expedition. Use your textbook, notes, or reliable online sources to find the dates and details for each event.



Event - Departure from St. Louis, Missouri

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Encounter with the Mandan and Hidatsa tribes

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Winter at Fort Mandan

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Hiring of Sacagawea and her husband Toussaint Charbonneau

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Crossing the Continental Divide

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Reaching the Pacific Ocean

Date: _____

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Event - Building Fort Clatsop

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Begin the return journey

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Death of Sergeant Charles Floyd

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Encounter with the Nez Perce tribe

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Arrival back in St. Louis, Missouri

Date: _____

Details: _____

Event - Publication of the Lewis and Clark journals

Date: _____

Details: _____

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Reflection Questions

1. Which event do you think was the most challenging for Lewis and Clark? Why?
2. How did the encounters with Native American tribes shape the outcome of the expedition?
3. What impact did the Lewis and Clark expedition have on the exploration and expansion of the United States?
4. Why do you think it was important for Lewis and Clark to keep detailed journals during their expedition?
5. How has the legacy of the Lewis and Clark expedition influenced American history and culture?