

Road Trip Project

Items needed for the project: pencil, scissors, colored pencils, blank paper, and construction paper (*optional*).

You are going on a road trip! You can choose anywhere to go on your trip, be creative, have fun and think carefully!

Where are you going on your road trip? (write the location at the top of your paper)

Who will come with you on your road trip? (write the names of the people in order on your paper. *Optional: draw a picture of each person with their name*)

Planning:

Optional: With the help of a guardian research the location of your trip on the computer. Write down 3 facts you learn and draw a picture of what you might see when you get there! Be creative!

Before your trip you must plan! Solve the following problems to be sure you are ready for your trip. Show your work on your paper.

- 1) You will drive 25 miles a day. After driving for 3 days, how many miles will you have driven so far?
- 2) The car you are driving holds 34 gallons of gas. If you use up 13 gallons of gas, how much gas do you have left?
- 3) Each day you will eat 3 meals. After 5 days how many meals will you have eaten? (*Hint: try drawing a picture and noticing a pattern!*)

During the trip:

- 1) If you leave for your trip at 6:34 am and drive for two hours before stopping for breakfast what time will it be when you stop? (List the time on your paper).
 - 2) Create your own menu for the breakfast place. Your menu should have 5 items each with a price. What is the total of all 5 items on your menu?
 - 3) In your wallet you have a \$20 bill. The breakfast costs \$13 dollars. How much money will you have left?
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- 1) On the trip you stop at a museum. Draw a picture of what you might see at the museum (it can be sports, animals, art, anything that interests you!)
 - 2) It costs \$12 to get into the museum. How much money will it cost for 4 people to get in?
 - 3) At the gift store there is a cute stuffed animal you have to buy! You have \$34 in your pocket, and the stuffed animal costs \$16. How much money will you get in change?

Arriving at your Destination:

- 1) Create a postcard from your location by drawing a picture on a sheet of paper. (*If you choose, write a letter to your teacher explaining all the amazing things you are seeing on your trip!*)
- 2) At your location there is a pool that is 34 feet long. If you swim 3 laps, how many feet will you have swam in all?

3) The hotel room you are staying in is beautiful! Draw a picture of your room and include lots of details.

Your room should have:

- a) A square desk
- b) A rectangular bed
- c) A circular table
- d) A triangular rug
- e) And any other fun details!

Criteria for Success

Math:

- _____ Make sure to write an equation for each math problem you are going to solve
- _____ Show all of your math steps and strategies
- _____ Put a circle around your answer so your teacher can find it quickly
- _____ Make sure your work is organized on your papers

Art:

- _____ Be creative!
- _____ Try to be as detailed as possible with your pictures
- _____ Write a caption (sentence) explaining what is seen in your picture
- _____ Label different parts of your picture