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**The first two sections go with the reading online at Matzka.weebly.com**

Routes to Oregon: (reading)

1. Summarize the 3 ways you could travel to Oregon.

2. Which route would you take? Why?

Pros and Cons: (reading)

1. What was the Donation Land Act of 1850?

2. Oregon was the 1st state to do what?

3. Oregon is a free state but it had rules about slaves still. Explain them.

**Internet research: (use websites)**

<http://www.aphlblog.org/2012/02/the-diseases-of-the-oregon-trail/>

<http://www.pbs.org/weta/thewest/places/trails_ter/oregon.htm>

<http://www.historyglobe.com/ot/independence.htm>

<http://www.america101.us/trail/Sites.html>

<http://familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Oregon_Trail>

<http://www.tripline.net/trip/Oregon_Trail_Famous_Stops-5136313704521005AF07C504DFA7ACE4>

<http://www.oregontrailcenter.org/HistoricalTrails/OregonCaliforniaTrails.htm>

1. What 2 diseases did people catch/die from? (Look up 3 diseases and explain them.)

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2. Explain the conditions people faced during the journey:

3. Pick two landmarks/forts that people stopped at along the Oregon Trail and discuss them.

4. If your **REAL** family lived back in 1840, would they have picked up

and moved to Oregon? Explain.

**\*\*make sure you do the Oregon Trail packet as well\*\***

Added information about Stops along the Oregon Trail Handout:

-You may need to use the websites to find maps of the trail and landmarks in order to answer the questions.

- You need to label the stops from the handout onto the map handout.