

A FAMILY VACATION

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You are going on a family vacation. It is a driving vacation and you will be gone for one week. You can drive to any destination in the continental United States. You have a budget of \$1500, but must plan the trip for a family of four.

We will use the Internet on _____ to research locations, costs and activities for the vacation. You will be given a map of the United States to calculate your mileage.

Your project is due on _____ and counts as a test grade . Be sure to fill out the attached worksheets and be as specific as possible. Be sure to show all your work, but spend no more than your budget. You will be deducted if you go over your budget of \$1500.

Your Travel Guide:

Destination:

1. Where are you going? (city and state) _____
2. How many total miles is this from Salt Lake City? _____
3. Write out the specific route that you are taking with the mileage for each section of the trip. _____

Car Expenses:

1. What is the year and model of your parents' car? _____
2. How many miles per gallon does this car get? _____
3. Find the amount of gas needed for this trip and show your calculations.

4. Using an estimate of \$2.97 a gallon for gasoline, how much money will

you spend on gas for this trip? Remember it is a two-way trip. Show all of your calculations. _____

Hotel Accommodations:

1. Where will you stay on vacation? _____

2. How much is a room per night? _____ For the week? _____

3. Will you need two rooms or will the family share one hotel room? 1 or 2 Do you need to pay extra to have everyone in one room? yes no How much if yes? _____

Food:

Plan a budget for each day. You need to state where your family will eat each meal and the estimated cost for each meal. Finally total the amount needed for food for the week for your family.

Extras:

You need to list five activities that your family will do or see on this vacation. List each activity and the cost for each. What is the total amount of money needed for extra activities?