



LESSON 1

Student Activity Sheet (pg.2)

Section 3

Look at the old maps of the North American continent available on PBS Online. Compare these old maps to a modern map of the United States.

- a. What are the main differences you notice between the old and the new maps?

- b. What parts of today's United States were the least known in the beginning of the 19th century?

- c. How do you think the Americans of the eastern United States got their information about the West before the expedition of Lewis and Clark?

Section 4

At PBS Online's Lewis and Clark Web site(<http://www.pbs.org/lewisandclark/>), look at the map of Lewis and Clark's route and compare the route to a modern map of the United States.

- a. What rivers did the party go down?

- b. What mountain ranges did they cross?

- c. What modern-day states did they go through?

- d. What modern-day towns did they go through (name five)?