



## Making a Travel Folder

### Grade Level

Middle School

### Subject

Social Studies

### Length of Time

1 hour

### Description

In this lesson, students will select a place in the United States they would like to visit. Then, they need to do some research about the area. After that, they will write a travel folder about the place they selected.

### Goals

Students will learn:

- \* To research information on a particular topic
- \* Take notes
- \* Write a travel folder

### Materials Needed

- \* Social Studies book
- \* Encyclopedia or other reference books
- \* Note cards to jot down notes
- \* Notebook paper
- \* Pencils, Pens, Erasers, and Whiteouts
- \* Markers
- \* Paper for a cover



## Procedure

First, students will look up information on a topic of their choice. It has to be a place in the United States that they would like to visit.

Then, they need to take notes on their reading.

After that, they will write a travel folder.

In the travel folder, they need to write down the following information:

Name of the place

Location of the area

Directions on how to get there

Important facts about the place

When they have finished writing their their information, they can draw a cover for their travel folder. The cover needs to relate to a specific area in the folder.

## Grading

You can grade the students on the information they included in their travel folder and their creativity.