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**Manifest Destiny Scavenger Hunt**

***Overview:*** In the 1800’s, the American boarders were growing. The idea of Manifest Destiny was sweeping the nation, and Americans were emigrating west at an incredible rate. Overlanders are exploring Louisiana, Texas, California, and Oregon.

***Your Task:*** You are going to use the PBS website provided on Mr. Collison’s site to answer the questions below. This is a scavenger hunt. You may work with ONE other person, but you MUST each turn in your own sheet.

You can simply type the answers on this sheet below the question or in a separate Word document if you’d like. It may help to use different font and/or a different color.

EMAIL A COPY TO YOURSELF AND TO ME

**Mexican-American War:**

1. In 3-4 sentences summarize the “Prelude to the War”:
2. Under the “War: 1846-1848” section, pick THREE battles and tell me what happened at the battle:
3. Under the “Biographies” section – choose TWO American and TWO Mexican leader and list THREE facts about each person
4. Explore the “Timeline” tab. List two events from each of the following sections:
   1. Before the War
   2. War Years
   3. After the War
5. Read one of the links under “Aftermath” and summarize.