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## Defining and Using Vocabulary

**Directions:** Define each vocabulary word. Then, use each in a sentence in the context of the content of the chapter.

1. immigrant \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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2. buffer zone \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. annex \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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4. station \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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5. caravan \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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6. transcontinental railroad \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

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7. contract \_\_\_\_\_

Sentence: \_\_\_\_\_

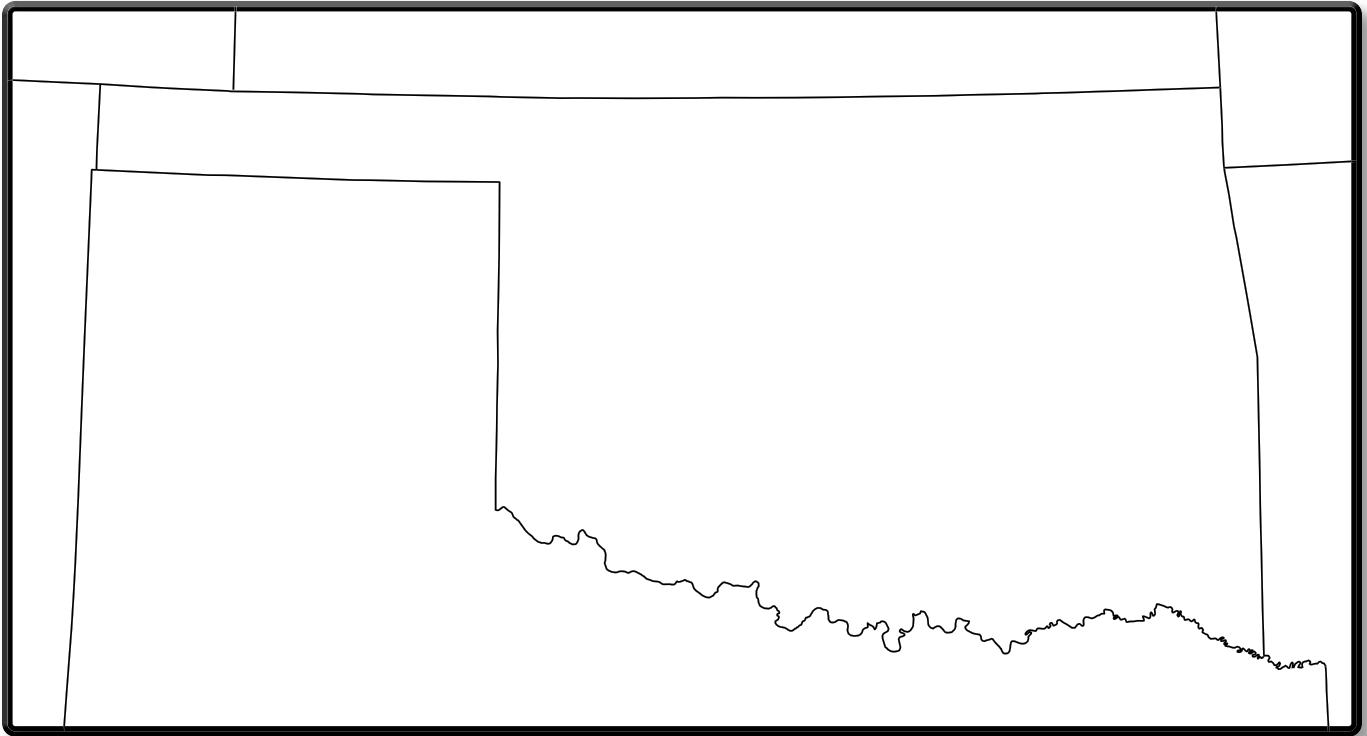
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## Map It! Locating Sites from Your Reading

**Directions:** Using your textbook, an Oklahoma road map, and/or the Internet, find the sites listed below, and mark them on the map below, using a star and the name of the site beside it.



Boise City  
Fort Gibson  
Vinita  
Fort Towson  
Fort Washita

Webber Falls  
Davis  
Chickasha  
Cimarron County  
McAlester

Great Salt Plains  
Greer County  
Red River  
Lake Eufala



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### Internet Activity—The Texas Road

**Directions:** Find the web site of the Historical Marker Database, <https://www.hmdb.org/>. In the Search Bar type in “Texas Road” that is located in Wagoner County. Read the information and answer the following questions:

1. When, by whom, and why was the marker erected? Explain what you learned. \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Explain what you learned about the Texas Road from the information on the marker. \_\_\_\_\_

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### Internet Activity—The Santa Fe Trail

**Directions:** Go to <http://www.santafetrail.org> and look under “The Trail” to find an interactive map of the Santa Fe Trail. The Santa Fe Trail went through five states—Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado, and New Mexico. The map will allow you to click on the name of a particular location in each state and find information about that site. Use the map to access two locations in each of the five states. Then, use the chart to record information about the locations you selected. Be sure to identify each location before writing the description.

Missouri	Kansas	Oklahoma	Colorado	New Mexico
Name of Site	Name of Site	Name of Site	Name of Site	Name of Site
Description	Description	Description	Description	Description
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### Internet Activity—The Oregon Trail, page 1

**Directions:** Go to the site of the Cherokee Trail, [cherokeetrail.org](http://cherokeetrail.org), and click on “Virtual Trail.” You will find information about the various sites along the trail by clicking on the yellow dots. Click on the four places listed below and record the information you find for each site.

Verdigris River Crossing: \_\_\_\_\_

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Goessel Monument: \_\_\_\_\_

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Black Pool: \_\_\_\_\_

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Bent’s Old Fort: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Internet Activity—The Oregon Trail, page 2

**Directions:** Go to the web site for the Oregon-California Trails Association, <https://octa-trails.org/>. Under “Educational Resources,” click on “Trail Facts.” There you will find a list of questions, some of which are found on this page. Click on the questions on this page to find the answers. Record the answers in the spaces provided.

1. a. How many emigrants followed the trails between 1812-1848? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- b. In 1851? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What was the length of the trail? \_\_\_\_\_
3. How long did the trek take? \_\_\_\_\_
4. When did travel on the Oregon-California Trail begin? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. Which types of draft animals were most frequently used? \_\_\_\_\_
6. What kinds of accidents and injuries occurred most often? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. a. What kinds of health problems were there? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- b. How many emigrants died? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. Were Indian attacks a problem? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
9. How many bison were there before people began settling? \_\_\_\_\_  
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10. How effective were buffalo chips as fuel? \_\_\_\_\_  
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11. What load did a wagon carry? \_\_\_\_\_  
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