

Name _____

Date _____

What Is Important to You?

You are going to travel through time. You don't know if you will be traveling in the past or in the future. Will you be in the Wild West traveling in a stagecoach; in Europe during the spread of the bubonic plague; or in your home state 100 years in the future, when natural resources like clean air and water are harder to find? You will not know where you will be traveling or what conditions you will be asked to live in. Finally, you don't know if you will be coming back to the present.

With these things in mind, think about what is important to you. You will be asked to take eight things with you. After you list eight things, give a reason for taking each one.

List what you would take with you:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

Oops! There is not enough room in the time machine. You are now told you can take only three items. Circle the three items you would take with you.