**The Task**

The project is two parts. First, each of you will write your own journal describing your journey west. You will decide your character, family, supplies brought on the trip, document your mileage and date each journal entry finally arriving in Salt Lake City.

Second, as a team, you'll be assigned a geographic area in Utah where your wagon train will settle and build a town. You will need to decide on streets, proximity to lakes, streams, mountains, etc. Then you and your team will build and present your town that you build in class. Your presentation can include recorded sound effects and "jargon" of the early pioneers.