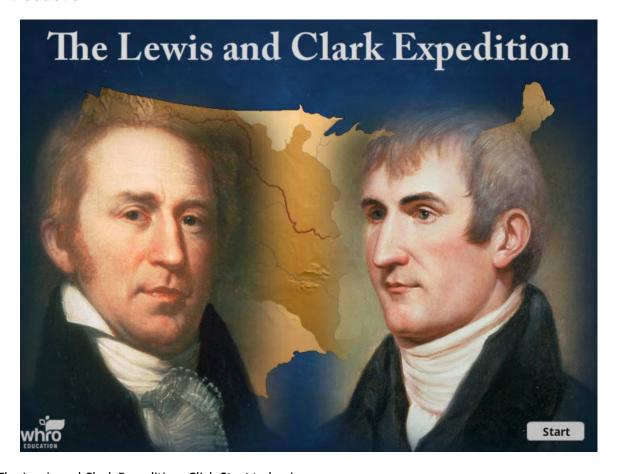
#### Introduction



The Lewis and Clark Expedition. Click *Start* to begin.



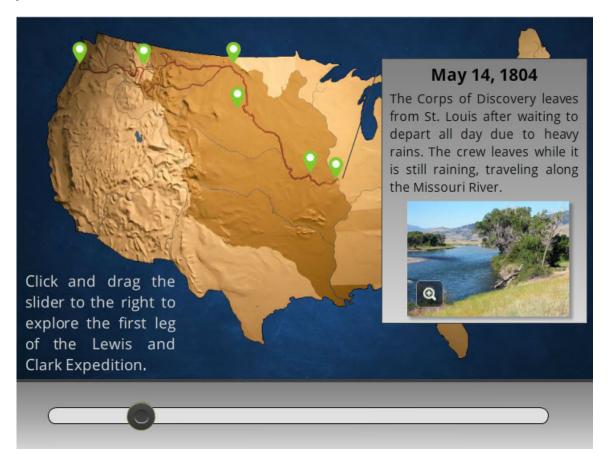
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Click and drag the slider to the right to explore the first leg of the Lewis and Clark Expedition.



May 14, 1804



The Corps of Discovery leaves from St. Louis after waiting to depart all day due to heavy rains. The crew leaves while it is still raining, traveling along the Missouri River.



#### August 20, 1804



Sergeant Charles Floyd dies of natural causes near Sioux City, Iowa. He is the only fatality in the expedition.



#### **September 25, 1804**



The Corps has a tense encounter with the Sioux. Luckily, any conflict is averted.



### **November 4, 1804**



The expedition hires French-Canadian Toussaint Charbonneau and his Shoshone wife, Sacajawea. Their job is to act as interpreters.



#### Late July, 1805



The expedition arrives at the Three Forks of the Missouri River. On February 11, 1805, Sacagawea's son was born. The Corps was amazed by the abundance of wild game.



### November 24, 1805



The Corps of Discovery arrives at the Pacific Ocean. The crew makes a camp that later becomes known as Fort Clatsop, preparing for the winter and the return journey.



#### Instructions - Second Leg



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March 23, 1806



The Corps of Discovery gives the Clatsop Indians Fort Clatsop and begins the journey home.



July 3, 1806



The Lewis and Clark Expedition split up to explore more land. Lewis explored the Great Falls and Marias River and Clark travels along the Yellowstone River.



#### **September 23, 1806**



The expedition reaches St. Louis and the journey ends. The entire expedition took two years, four months, and ten days. The Corps of Discovery traveled just over 8,000 miles. During their travels, Lewis and Clark discovered 122 new animals and 178 types of plants.

