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**Directions:** As you know, Sal and her grandparents traveled across the country from Euclid, Ohio to Lewiston, Idaho. Along the way, they stop to see many of our country’s amazing and beautiful places. Today you will take a virtual trip that mirrors the Hiddles...without Gramps’ crazy driving!

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**Go to the National Park Service website.** [**http://www.nps.gov/index.htm**](http://www.nps.gov/index.htm)

**Search by state on the right. When you’re done, click on “Find A Park” at the top.**

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**1. Minnesota: Pipestone National Monument** [**http://www.nps.gov/pipe/index.htm**](http://www.nps.gov/pipe/index.htm) **Click on “Learn About the Park.” Click on “History & Culture.” Click on “People.”**

**\*Vocab\*: quarry:** a place, typically a large, deep pit, from which stone or other materials are or have been extracted

 Read the first paragraph. Why was this location important to tribes?

What activities marked “*ceremonial smoking*” for the Plains people?

Which tribes were “*master effigy carvers*”?

1. **Missouri: Missouri River-** [**http://www.nps.gov/mnrr/index.htm**](http://www.nps.gov/mnrr/index.htm)

**Click on “Learn About the Park,” “Nature,” and then “Animals.”**

Make notes about some of the animals in and around the Missouri River where “a snake had a snack” of poor Gram!

**Photos & Multimedia. Click to Fly Over the Missouri National Recreational River OR look the Photo Gallery.**

Comment on one thing you learned from watching the video and/or looking the images.

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**3. South Dakota: Badlands-** [**http://www.nps.gov/badl/index.htm**](http://www.nps.gov/badl/index.htm)

Sal describes the Badlands as having “jagged peaks,” “steep gorges,” and “treacherous ravines.” Look at the photo on the homepage to see for yourself.

**On the left, click on “Learn About the Park,” “For Kids,” and then “Park Fun.” Scroll down and click on “Badlands Mythology.”**

Summarize the myth of the Lakota people.

What Native American story did Sal think of at the Badlands?

1. **South Dakota: Black Hills- Mount Rushmore** [**http://www.blackhillsbadlands.com/**](http://www.blackhillsbadlands.com/)

Read the following quotation. ***“Man has a right to be free and to be happy.”*** Explain what you think this means.

**Scroll down and click on “Mount Rushmore.” Watch the video.**

**OR** [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vz3axgltLn8**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vz3axgltLn8)

Who did the architect, Gutzon Borglum, originally want to carve in the Pines area on the spires?

Why did he change his mind? Who did he decide to carve instead?

Why were these the four presidents chosen?

How is the park ranger’s interpretation of Mount Rushmore different from Sal’s, Gram’s and Gramps’?

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**5. Wyoming (Montana and Idaho): Yellowstone- Old Faithful** [**http://www.nps.gov/yell/index.htm**](http://www.nps.gov/yell/index.htm)

**Click on the left- “Learn About the Park.” Click on “Photos and Multimedia” and then “Webcam.” On the right click on “Old Faithful Geyser Live!” and see what it looks like right now!**

**Click on “Multimedia Presentations.” Scroll down to “Interactive Features.” Click on “Old Faithful Virtual Visitor Center.”**

Click on the right “Why Geysers Erupt.” Watch the video. What do you need to make a geyser?

Click on the link to “underlying geology.” What is under Yellowstone?

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1. **6. Idaho: Coeur d’Alene, Idaho**
2. **Go to Google or** [**http://coeurdalene.org/**](http://coeurdalene.org/)
3. **Click on “Discover CDA” and “Area Information.”**
4.
5. Where does the name of the city come from and what is the weather like
6. there?

**Under “Discover CDA,” click on the “Photo Gallery.”** Gram describes this city as a “bountiful blue lake.” Check out the images of the city and attractions. Comment or question on the images you see.