

Student Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

## Travelers on the Hudson River

Captain & Sloop Hand: What was your sloop's name? \_\_\_\_\_

Passenger: What was your name? \_\_\_\_\_

Everyone:

What was the most interesting thing that happened to you on your trip - either up or down river?

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In the 1700s many passengers who traveled on the river kept a journal describing their trip. Why are these travelers' descriptions so valuable to us today?

*Hint: If we read a journal or diary from the past, what will we learn?*

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On the back or on a separate piece of paper, draw a picture or write a journal entry about the most interesting thing that happened on your journey.

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**\*\*How Was Your Voyage? \*\***

Check (✓) below if you had Good Luck or Bad Luck:

Good Luck

Bad Luck

\_\_\_ had mostly excellent weather

OR

\_\_\_ had a lot of bad weather

\_\_\_ avoided the sandbar

OR

\_\_\_ got stuck on a sandbar

\_\_\_ lost none of your cargo

OR

\_\_\_ lost some cargo

\_\_\_ had a fast trip with no delays

OR

\_\_\_ had a slow trip & many delays

\_\_\_ made a profit (made money)

OR

\_\_\_ lost money or broke even

On the back or on a separate sheet, draw a picture showing what happened during your sloop's travel on the Hudson River OR write a letter/diary entry that describes your trip.