



PACK YOUR BAGS!

Imagine you are a kid in Utah in 1905. You will take the new train with your family to move to Las Vegas! It is still a small and dusty town! You can pack 5 things in this suitcase. What would you pack? Draw pictures if you like.

THINK ABOUT IT.

Do you think kids 100 years ago would have packed the same things? Why or why not?

What do you think kids did when they moved here 100 years ago?

What did they play with?

What did they do for school?

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Read: *Steam, Smoke, and Steel: Back in Time with Trains* by Patrick O'Brien

The Last Train by Gordon M. Titcomb

Visit: The Springs Preserve and the Nevada State Museum to learn more about local history. See a re-creation of the famous 1905 land auction and ride a train at the Preserve! (springspreserve.org)