

TULARE  
COUNTY  
MUSEUM  
SCAVENGER  
HUNT  
(9-12 Grade)

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**INSTRUCTIONS:** ANSWER THE QUESTIONS OR FILL IN THE BLANKS THAT FOLLOW AS YOU EXPLORE THE MUSEUM. READ POSTED SIGNS CAREFULLY AS ANSWERS ARE NOT ALWAYS OBVIOUS. HAVE FUN AND GOOD LUCK!

**GUN & SADDLE ROOM:**

1. When was Sequoia National Park formed and why? \_\_\_\_\_

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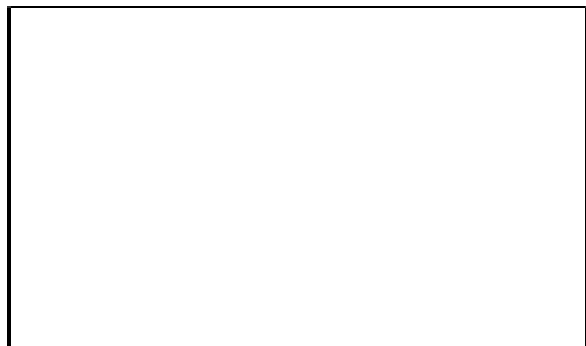
2. How did Juan Martarell perfect the Visalia Stock Saddle design? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Draw one branding symbol that you see on the wood wall. Then create and draw one of your own



**MIDDLE ROOM:**

4. What are two typical uses of a railway detonator? \_\_\_\_\_

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5. What was the wedding dress on display made from? Why was this used? \_\_\_\_\_

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6. What is the *USS Tulare's* motto and what does it mean? \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Who was Ben Maddox? \_\_\_\_\_

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**YOKUTS NATIVE AMERICAN ROOM:**

8. Name three plants or animals that lived around Tulare Lake. \_\_\_\_\_

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9. Explain how the Yokuts leached the fine acorn flour, and why: \_\_\_\_\_

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10. Unicorn Plant was also known as? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Draw and Identify two Indian basket designs:



**MAIN STREET:**

12. Why did a lot of dentists have hearing problems in the past? \_\_\_\_\_  
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13. What are some brands that you see on the grocery shelf that you can still find today? \_\_\_\_\_  
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14. How much is the Rate of Toll for a Buggy or Carriage drawn by one horse? \_\_\_\_\_

**OUTSIDE – PIONEER VILLAGE:**

15. When was the Emken House built and what is it made from? \_\_\_\_\_  
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16. Name three stones native to Tulare County on display inside the Surprise School \_\_\_\_\_  
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17. Where did the green and orange stagecoach inside the Wagon Barn carry passengers to, around the turn of the last century? \_\_\_\_\_  
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18. Between what cities did the Visalia Electric Railroad operate in 1920? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**MUSEUM OF FARM LABOR & AGRICULTURE:**

19. List four objects that are packed on the Dust Bowl Era truck. \_\_\_\_\_  
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20. Name some of the cultural groups that have contributed to agriculture in Tulare County? \_

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21. Who lived in the Linnell Camp originally? \_\_\_\_\_

22. Who built the first self-propelled combine? \_\_\_\_\_

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**AG EQUIPMENT BARN**

23. Why is cincturing on fruit and grape vines done? \_\_\_\_\_

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24. What company was created when Best Manufacturing merged with Holt Manufacturing?

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25. Besides spraying pesticides, what else could the 'Friend' Spray Truck be used for? \_\_\_\_\_

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