

# If You Had Lived 100 Years Ago

## (An OK Trails “Old Time” Scavenger Hunt)

Lucky enough to live by a town? You might have shopped once a month.

### **Mercantile Window 1**

Find something in the window that was NOT a necessity to be able to live...

Why might you skip buying fruits, veggies or eggs when you came to town?

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### **Mercantile Wall**

Look at the signs. Each of these products were sold in early Oklahoma. Write the name of three of these brand names that are still around today

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Which item do you think was a  
Luxury? \_\_\_\_\_  
Necessity? \_\_\_\_\_  
Which sign do you like the most?

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Notice the Santa Fe sign at the top.  
Do you know what it means?

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### **Mercantile Window 2**

The white ceramic bowl was very important. It was a chamber pot. Do you know what it was used for?

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Why might a horse wear the neck harnesses (hanging at the top)

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Find something that you don't know what it is. Draw it:

### **Deer/Turkey Yard**

Find the deer's barn. What does it look like it is made out of? \_\_\_\_\_

Why does it look the way it does?

### **Wolf Yard**

Find the wooden wagon in the wolf yard.

What would be some problems with using a wagon to get around in?

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### **Bird Aviary**

100 years ago, there were few indoor places. Most work was done outside. How many big pieces of farm equipment are inside the aviary? \_\_\_\_\_

Find the “wood chopping” display. Why might wood be so important 100 years ago?

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### **Barn**

Each animal stall is filled with antiques. Find the large metal kettle/pot in the owl exhibit. How might a woman have used such a large pot?

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Most of the tools in the barn are made of metal or wood. Why not plastic?

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### **Theatre**

The pictures on this wall are all real ones from 100 years ago.

Find one picture on the wall that you like. What is it?

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Why do you like it? \_\_\_\_\_