Colonial America Interactive Internet Scavenger Hunt

This interactive internet scavenger hunt can be used to teach or review information about Colonial America. Students will be completing the webquest to answer questions about Colonial America and view realistic representations of colonial times.

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Directions for numbers 1-5: Click on the links below. Then, use your mouse to click, hold, and drag the picture to see a panoramic view of the houses. Read the passage in the brown box to answer the questions below in complete sentences.

1. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/houses.html

   How could the simple and quickly built homes in this picture have been improved over time?

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2. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/storage.html

   List at least 5 items that were stored in the storage house.

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3. Click on the pictures below the word “Highlights”.

   Name one of the tools you learned about what the colonists used it for.

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4. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/ovens.html
What was the oven created around?

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5. Click on the pictures below the word “Highlights”.

What was one interesting thing you learned from the pictures and passages?

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6. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/dress_up_flash.html

Pick the correct clothing to dress the girl as if she were in Colonial America time period. In the box below, draw a picture of the girl with the correct clothing.

7. Click on the following link:

Follow the instructions online to complete the voyage. What is one thing you learned from this activity?
8. Click on the following link:
http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/voices/fast1.html

Listen to the two Native Americans tell their stories. Write down information about both in the boxes below.

| John Vorhees | Jeff Lin |

9. Click on the following link:
http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/voices/fast2.html

Listen to the man and woman as they tell their stories. Write down information about both in the boxes below.

| Amy Kristina | Don Heinz |
10. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/voices/fast3.html

   Listen to the indentured servants tell their stories. Write down information about both in the boxes on the next page.

   Jonathan Allen
   Julia Frise

11. Click on the following link:
   http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/history/voices/fast4.html

   Listen to the people tell their stories about labor. Write down information about both in the boxes below.

   Paul and Don
   Michelle Vorhees
12. Click on the following link:

http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/quiz_pop/index.html

Take the quiz to see if you would have survived in colonial America. What did it say that your life was like?

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13. Click on the following link:

http://www.pbs.org/wnet/colonialhouse/quiz_pop/myth.html

Take the “myth-conception” quiz. What did you score? ____________________
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