



**Pioneers were the first people to settle in the frontiers of North America. Although many of the pioneers were farmers, others were doctors, shopkeepers, blacksmiths, missionaries, lawyers, and so on.**

**They came from many places in the United States to start their new lives. The majority of their ancestors came from European countries such as England, Germany, and Scotland.**

**Before leaving their homes they either saved money for the trip, sold their land and other possessions, or agreed to work for others on the trip.**

**During their journey to the ‘new land’ and when they arrived they had to improvise in their daily life with anything that came their way, such as rope and spars, for building homes and shelters, cooking and so forth.**

**Hence our PIONEERING projects, which are a reflection of the old days, and help us to survive in the wild, like they did, if need be.**