

Pack a Wagon

Pretend you are a pioneer planning your long journey to the frontier. Make a list of what you would take in your covered wagon, keeping in mind that the wagon will carry only **1,000 pounds** before the weight becomes too much.

Food	Weight in Pounds
flour	150
tea	10
salt	50
sugar	50
coffee	100
bacon	40
dried fruit	100
dried beans	100
cornmeal	10
split peas	100
oatmeal	8
vinegar	25
pickles	50
dried beef	25
salt pork	5
assorted spices	5
barrel of water	350
vegetables	5
candy	5

Tools	Weight in Pounds
ax	15
shovel	12
hatchet	9
hammer	7
anvil	150
grinding stone	75
animal trap	15
rope	4
hunting knife	1
rifle	10
pistol	7

Personal Items	Weight in Pounds
doll	2
jump rope	1
marbles	1
family Bible	2
books	2
bag of clothes	40
fiddle	2
snowshoes	8
first aid kit	3

Household Goods	Weight in Pounds
coffee grinder	5
rug	40
bedding	20
mirror	40
dutch oven	70
butter churn	40
table & chairs	200
piano	900
organ	2000
baby cradle	75
wooden bucket	10
butter mold	1
rocking chair	50
pitcher & bowl	5
cooking stove	700
utensils	2
stool	10
spinning wheel	80
lantern	4
10 candles	1
set of dishes	40



Item	Pounds