

Important Objects in the Fur Trade

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Your group's task is to select the Ten Most Important Objects in the Fur Trade. Make your decisions based on how each item helped fur traders live and carry out their work, given the conditions of the natural environment. Your conclusions should be based on research and sound reasoning.

Object	Ranking	Reason
paddle		
moccasins		
snowshoes		
pemmican		
rivers		
fiddle		
songs/music		
portages		
canoe		
trading posts		
lakes		
map		
trading companies		
compass		
kettle		
knife		
musket		
trap		
York Boat		
peace pipe		
Hudson's Bay point blanket		
sash (ceinture fléchée)		
buffalo hide		
fort		

