Music of the Westward Expansion Slideshow Checklist

Names: _____

Y or N	CONTENT
	We used a storyboard to organize our thoughts.
	We have a title slide that clearly states our topic.
	We used a template to organize our thoughts.
	Our information is correct.
	All of our sources are cited.
	We listened to suggestions from a teacher or a friend.
	Our presentation effectively summarizes important information.

Y or N	BACKGROUND OF MUSIC
	We included background information about the song.
	Each group character told when he or she first heard the song.
	Each group character told how the song makes him or her feel.
	Each group character created artwork that expresses the song and how it makes him or her feel.

Y or N	LAYOUT DESIGN
	The words are easy to read.
	The graphics enhance the presentation and are easy to see.
	Animation effects enhance the presentation.
	All transitions work properly.
	There is enough time to read and see everything on the slides.

Y or N	MECHANICS AND SPELLING
	Words are spelled correctly, and sentences are grammatically correct.
	We have proofread the slides and asked two other people to check them.

Y or N	RESOURCES
	We used books, magazines, or the computer to find information.

Y or N	TECHNOLOGY
	We took turns navigating on the computer (such as using the mouse, typing, and inserting graphics and photos).
	We completed research on the Internet using the online encyclopedia and visiting recommended Web sites.
	We remembered to save our work to the desktop folder.