

# *American Indian Homes in Kansas*

A standards-based field trip for first grade  
Kaw Mission State Historic Site • Council Grove

Kaw Mission in Council Grove is providing an opportunity for you to combine Kansas standards with a unique educational experience!

Learn how Kansas Indians built their homes using only the natural resources found on the prairie. Compare and contrast the shapes of the homes of the Kansa, Pawnee, Wichita, and Cheyenne. View a house provided by the U.S. government and compare this to a Kansa Indian bark lodge.

This tour fulfills grade specific standards and provides pre- and post-visit materials to help teachers meet those standards.

## **Information:**

Schedule tours at least two weeks in advance.

One-hour interactive experience

\$2 per student

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## **First Grade**

### **Kansas Standards**

#### **History**

- Benchmark 2, Indicator 4: The student compares types of shelter used by American Indians in Kansas over time.

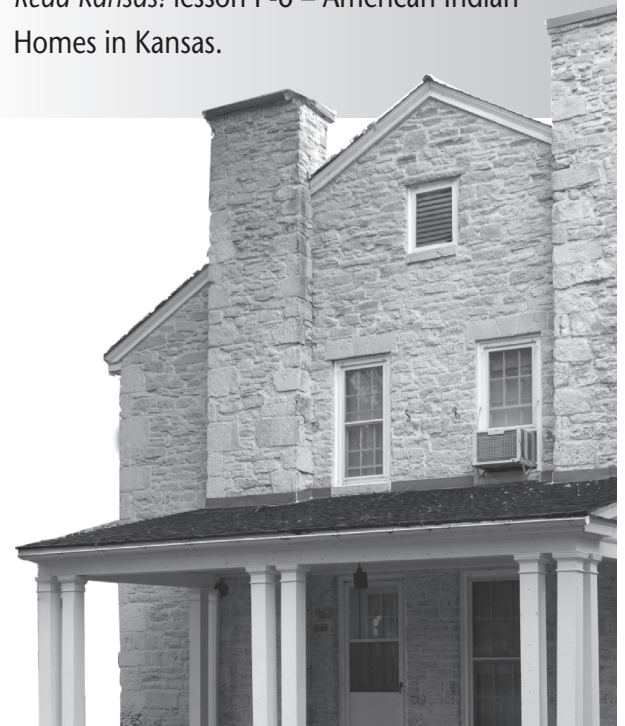
#### **Geography**

- Benchmark 5, Indicator 2: The student describes how the physical environment impacts humans.

#### **Reading**

- Benchmark 2, Indicator 4: The student uses knowledge of sentence structure to read fluently at instructional or independent reading levels.

This tour is designed to compliment the *Read Kansas!* lesson P-6 – American Indian Homes in Kansas.



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