

# MRS. ORR'S FIFTH GRADE



October 2009

## AR PERSONAL READING GOAL

Each fifth grader and I have conferenced to select their first quarter AR personal reading goal. On Friday, October 16th a copy of your fifth graders AR tests taken and the scores along with their goal for the first quarter will be in their Friday folder. First quarter AR goals are to be completed by Thursday, October 22nd. Thank you for encouraging your fifth grader to meet or exceed their goal.



## FIELD TRIP

The class will be learning about the Mississippian Mound Builders culture in

Social Studies. We will be visiting the Dickson Mounds Museum in Lewistown, Illinois to culminate our unit on this unique culture present in Illinois when Columbus reached the Americas. The class will discuss and view artifacts, as well as , participate in a hands on lab experience to create their own artifact. The trip details will be sent in next weeks Friday folder

## HOMEWORK CLUB

The fifth grade Homework Club will begin meeting one afternoon each week after school. An informational letter and a sign up form are in this weeks Friday folder. A new sign up form will be in the Friday folder for each month. Please note the days and dates of these sessions.

## PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

The date and time of your Parent Teacher Conference is in the Friday folder. Please let me know as soon as possible if this day and time are now not possible. I am certain we can make any adjustments needed.

## UPCOMING EVENTS



10-12 Columbus Day

10-16 Read and Feed

10-22 Parent Teacher Conferences

10-23 Parent Teacher Conferences

10-30 Halloween Party