**This House, Your House**

Some items in the Lohr’s kitchen are the same ones that you have in yours, but some are different! List what you have in your kitchen that you don’t see in the Lohr’s kitchen.

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**Pioneer Life on the Homestead**

When George McIntosh claimed his homestead in 1868, he had to build his log cabin here. Imagine building your own log cabin and draw it here. Don’t forget to include the plants, animals, and environment too!

**Look to the Sky**

Different types of clouds match up with different types of weather. If you saw dark clouds moving towards you, you would know it is about to rain. What is the weather like right now?

Find a nice spot to sit or lie down and look up at the sky. Do you see any clouds above you or moving towards you? Describe how they look (including color, sizes, and shapes).
Two kinds of animals live on a farm: domestic and wild. Domestic animals work and provide food for humans. These animals include cows, horses, pigs, chickens, dogs and more. Wild animals do not belong to the farmer. These animals include birds, coyotes, rabbits, and prairie dogs.

As you walk around the farm, list each animal you see and guess if it is wild or domestic.

**Mystery Guide**

Take this Mystery Guide and a pen or pencil with you as you explore. To complete your Nature Detective training at this park, complete at least 3 of the 6 activities.

Inside you will find a map of the park, which will serve as a guide. Some activities correspond to locations on the map, and some activities can be done anywhere.

Feel free to get help from grown-ups, but remember, these activities are for you! Write or draw anywhere in this mystery guide. The more thoughtful and artistic, the better!

**Your Case: THE AHC**

As you explore, imagine George McIntosh walking here with a covered wagon to start a new home. In the late 1800s, the McIntosh family grew most of the food they and their animals ate. They grew crops such as hay, wheat, sugar beets, apples, alfalfa, corn, and oats. Some of these crops are still grown by farmers in the area today!