



## Elmonica Elementary

**2011-2012**

**Introduction to Trait Writing Through a Community Study:  
\$1,000**

This project integrates and provides exploratory platform from which second grade students will demonstrate content knowledge through their understanding of the writing process. The second grade classes will visit a rural community to tour the post office, fire station and wheat farm/pumpkin patch. In the six weeks leading up to the trip students will be introduced to the 6 + 1 traits of writing, as well as the writing process. The trip will culminate in a 5-week writing project in which students will compose a narrative of their experience.

**2005-2006**

**Journaling with Lewis and Clark: \$682.55**

Students will investigate how journals were used on the Lewis and Clark expedition for collecting data and personal memoirs. Students will create their own journals as they gather information about stream restoration, invasive species, water quality, plant identification and animal habits.