



HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
**FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY**

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# Wild Kingdom



**Year 5/6**  
**Spring term 2011**

# **Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Wild Kingdom**

**They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:**

- **Creating a corridor habitat**
- **Making papier mache masks**
- **Finding fabulous food chains**
- **Choreographing “Wild” Dances**
- **Dispersing seeds and growing plants**
- **Looking at life cycles**
- **Adapting to a wild environment**

**Your child needs your help and involvement!**

**Please get involved by:**

- **Taking your child to the library to research their chosen habitat**
- **Watch any wildlife documentaries on TV**
- **Look in papers and magazines for photos and articles relating to the topic.**

**What does your child know about Wild Kingdom?**

**Before the Topic...**

**After the Topic...**

**Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.**

# What else is happening?

## Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be learning about Islam.

## SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of Good to be me.

## Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a *daily* basis.

	Homework	Due in
MONDAY	Spellings*	Friday
TUESDAY		
WEDNESDAY	Maths*	Friday
THURSDAY		
FRIDAY	Topic*	Monday

\* Please note, homework subject and day may change

## Clubs

Every Morning	Breakfast Club
Mondays 3.15 – 5.00pm	Skills 7 Football
Mondays 3.15 – 4.15pm	Girls Football Training
Tuesdays 3.50 – 4.15pm	Boys Football Training
Wednesdays 3.30 – 4.30pm	Street soccer

## Forthcoming Events

Parent Consultations	Monday 7th March : 5.30-8.00pm
Parent Consultations	Wednesday 9th March : 3.30-6.00pm
Science Week	Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> March
Parent Forum	Thursday, 17 <sup>th</sup> March : 9.00-10.00am
Red Nose Day	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> March
KS2 Topic Book Shared Reading	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April
Easter Disco	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> April
End of Term	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> April : 2.15pm