

Understanding the World

Where is Tanzania? Can you get a grownup to help you find it by doing an online search?

Check out the CBeebies, Go Jettters link in the box below.

One of the languages spoken in Tanzania is Swahili – why don't you have a go at counting to ten in Swahili? There is a counting sheet with this activity and you can also count along with the story while watching on the YouTube link.

Communication and Language

Listen carefully to the story – tell someone in your house all about it. What was your favourite bit? What was your favourite animal? Did you like the background music?

Mathematics

There are lots of opportunities to count in this story. Can you count groups of things in your house?

Groups of small things, groups of large things, Groups of things that match in some way – perhaps in colour or shape.



Expressive Art and Design

Can you draw or paint one of the animals spotted on safari from the story?

Decorate your drawing or painting with some wonderful patterns – there are some pattern sheets showing traditional Tanzanian and Kenyan patterns included with this activity pack

Physical Development

Lets go on a counting safari....

You won't see any lions (I hope) but you should see lots of birds, insects and perhaps the odd sheep, cow or dog?

Literacy

You Tube link to the story

https://youtu.be/F_9V653b2PE

Do you have any favourite counting books at home?

Use the African animals word mat to play a game of eye spy – sounding out the first letter of each animals name.

Useful Websites

Listen to We all Went on Safari here

https://youtu.be/F_9V653b2PE

Cbeebies, Go Jettters – find out about Africa

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p081tmh5>

Turn Taking

In the story each child takes a turn to count the animals that they see. Why do you think it is important to take turns? Can you think of any games where you might take turns?