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WHAT IS IN A MY WILD LIFE KIT?

Each kit contains: Teacher/Educator Pack & the My Wild Life Kit Box

Teacher/Educator Pack

- A natural themed A4 ring binder with value-themed inserts, a 5-page full colour introduction to the kits and the concept, delivery suggestions, lesson plans and an overview of the impact assessment tool (Web of Wellbeing) to measure progress.
- The initial specific themed kit instructions to guide the teacher/ educator through each step of delivering the kit.
- A guide to introducing the beautifully written themed story and the characters within the story.
- Top teacher tips to embed the theme and suggested questions and observations to deepen the learning.
- A web of wellbeing assessment tool, tailored to the kit theme, to assess where each student is in relation to different elements of the topic.
- A guide to assist encouraging children to journal and reflect on their activity.
- A sheet for each activity, detailing the resources required from the kit and suggested questions and extension activities. Also, a guide linking the theme to nature and explaining the objective of each activity in relation to the theme of the kit.
- Certificate and stickers to award to the child when the kit has been completed.
- Access to the educator's portal to download individual Webs of Wellbeing for each child, to measure impact. A suggested letter to parents to introduce the concept of My Wild Life and how it can help their child.
- Each half term the new theme specific guide insert is provided, together with the next terms certificates and sticker.

In the My Wild Life Kit Box

- A pupil handbook which introduces the theme of the kit, the activities the child will complete and a beautifully illustrated story that the child will read through with the educating adult.
- Combined journal for the child to draw, write or stick memorable moments from their activities.
- A 'Ready to Soar' tool for the child to reflect on their level of confidence after each activity.
- All of the resources required to complete 4 activities (just add natural materials gathered from your adventures outdoors).
- All materials are sustainably sourced and re-useable where possible.



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WHAT AGE RANGE IS THE PROGRAMME SUITABLE FOR?

As a guide we suggest KS1-KS1 or children aged from 4 -12 years. Although we understand that some children may be functioning at a lower academic age, so this is just a guide. If you are uncertain if a kit is suitable for a child you are working with, then please contact the Wild for Life Team who will be happy to assist in determining if the kit would be suitable.

CAN A CHILD COMPLETE THE ACTIVITIES IN THE KIT ALONE?

The activities are designed to be completed with adult guidance. The impact of the kits can be best achieved through observation and gentle questioning and supporting the child as they explore different aspects of the kit and venture outside to search for additional items. Kits are bespoke to meet the needs of individual children and so to get the best out of the activities, having an adult supporting the child is our recommendation.

DO YOU NEED TO BE A TEACHER TO DELIVER THE PROGRAMME?

No, any adult can deliver the programme. Our comprehensive teacher / educator guide provides all of the guidance to enable any adult to deliver the programme. TA's, parents, grandparents and carers will all enjoy supporting children through this programme.

WHAT ARE THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE KITS?

Each kit focuses on a different theme (Change, Respect, Strength, Confidence, Friendship, Hope) that relates back to key developmental targets for children in school and in life. They are also designed to link to the seasons within nature when collecting natural resources whilst completing the activities. Each kit has the same format but features different activities, different stories and different characters.

WHAT IS THE SEQUENCE OF THE KITS?

We recommend you follow our annual learning programme with the academic year. Term 1: the Big Kit of Change. Term 2: the Big Kit of Respect. Term 3: the Big Kit of Strength. Term 4: the Big Kit of Confidence. Term 5: the Big Kit of Friendship. Term 6: the Big Kit of Hope. However, this is only our recommendation, and any kit can be done at any time, according to the needs of the child you are working with.

HOW LONG DOES EACH KIT LAST FOR?

We have designed the programme to fit into 6 x 45 min lessons in a school environment, over a half term. However, there are lots of extension activities and some individual activities could last at least 2-3 hours depending on the time spent outdoors. So, there is the potential for kits to last for much longer, according to the needs of the child you are working with.



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WHAT ELSE DO I NEED TO COMPLETE THE ACTIVITIES?

The kits are packed full of high-quality, sustainable resources. They are beautifully presented so each child feels a sense of excitement when they open them. We include a generous craft kit in each box, which has a range of unusual but natural items to accommodate those with high sensory needs and complement the activities. Some activities may require the addition of water or a small cup or bowl for mixing in. The items children will make during the activities are made to last and to be taken home or displayed in school. We encourage children and adults to explore outside for items to personalise and enhance their activities. Leaves, twigs, interesting stones, moss, flowers or feathers all make great additions and can be found in hedgerows, parks, gardens or green spaces. It's amazing what you can find when you really look around!

WHAT IF WE DON'T HAVE ANY OUTDOOR SPACE?

Kits don't require extensive or exotic items to be collected from outside, but the advantages of exploring outdoors are one of the key transferable elements of the kits. Taking notice of trees, leaves, hedgerows and collecting even the most basic items can help to connect children with the benefits of being outdoors and connecting that with the theme of their kit to aid their overall wellbeing and mental health. Taking time to explore any hedgerows, parks, gardens or green spaces around you will contribute to the impact of the kits on children.

HOW IS THIS DIFFERENT TO FOREST SCHOOL?

The kits are totally different from forest school, other than the fact they both aim to connect children with nature and the outdoors. My Wild Life is a far more structured programme, guiding children towards linking their feelings and emotions to nature and the outdoors and developing strategies through the activities to support their ongoing mental and physical health. My Wild life follows a progressive curriculum with demonstratable outcomes that can be delivered in a bespoke way to influence future behaviour and health of the child.

HOW ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY ARE THE KITS?

The kits are of a high quality, are sustainably sourced where possible, and are reusable. We are constantly working to improve our environmental credentials.

WHO USES THIS PROGRAMME?

It can be used by ANYONE! We have designed the programme to be delivered in school because we know that there is a high need in schools, and we want to impact and support as many children as possible. Teachers, SENCOs, Teaching Assistants or parent helpers can all deliver the programme on a 1-1 basis or in small groups. Parents, grandparents, other family members or carers can also deliver the programme for children who are out of school or struggling to maintain a school placement, as the kits can also be a transition tool between home and school. Tutors working 1-1 use the kits and we also have charities, children's centres and alternative providers who use the programme to support individual children.



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DO KITS HAVE a SHELF LiFe?

The Kit of Respect and the Kit of Strength have live plants, so we do not recommend they are stored in the boxes without water for extended periods of time. The Kit of Change has a bread making mixture which has a shelf life of a minimum of 2 months from shipment.

are THE KiTS vEgAN FriENdLY?

We use vegan-friendly, natural items in our kits wherever possible. However, in order to ensure we offer a range of natural sensory resources, some kits contain sheep's fleece and natural feathers and therefore are not vegan friendly.

WHAT IS THE NORMAl DELiVeRY TiME?

Kits are usually delivered at the start of the new school term, if a whole year's subscription is being supplied. For 1 off kits, we can usually despatch these within 24 hours with a 3–5-day delivery time as standard. Please enquire for larger quantities. We can deliver overnight for an additional charge.

ORDERING AND PAYMENT

HOW DOES a SUBSCRiPTION WORK?

If you subscribe to a full academic year of kits, then you will be supplied with the new themed kits and the next teacher guide at the start of each half term. If you order an Minimum Order Quantity of four kits per half term then there is a 5% discount applicable. The full cost is invoiced at the start of the programme.

HOW MUCH DOES THE PROGRAMME COST?

Kits are from less than £8 per child per lesson when purchased as part of a subscription service for a full 12 months. The price for a subscription with a Minimum Order Quantity of four kits is £47.50 per kit per half term. The Teacher Pack and subsequent guide are provided free of charge in this event.

When purchasing a one-off kit then the price is £50.00 per kit, plus a one-off starter cost of £25 for the teacher guide. The subsequent inserts to support the next kit will be provided free of charge.

For large volume orders or to learn about concessions please get in touch.

All prices are subject to VAT at standard rate. There will also be a P&P charge (see postage and shipping below).

can i Buy JUST ONE KiT?

You can purchase just one kit (£50), but you will need to purchase the teacher guide at an additional initial cost (£25).





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HOW DO I ORDER?

You can email or call us or place your order on our online order form. We will despatch the kits according to your requested delivery date and issue an invoice at the same time, which is payable within 30 days.

HOW DO I PAY?

We will issue an invoice or, if you are a private individual, you can pay via PayPal.

ARE THERE DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE?

We can offer a slight additional discount for orders of large quantities or for anyone who is a Wild for Life Ambassador. Please contact us to discuss further.

COLLABORATIONS AND DONATIONS

DO YOU DESIGN BESPOKE PROGRAMMES FOR CHARITIES OR CORPORATIONS?

Yes, we will design bespoke themed kits for charities or corporate clients. Please contact our Wild for Life Team to enquire further.

CAN I PURCHASE KITS AS A GIFT FOR A SCHOOL OR CHILD?

We are in the process of setting up a corporate sponsorship package for companies wishing to support children with additional needs through their education. If you are interested in learning more about this then please do get in touch with our Wild for Life Team.

POSTAGE AND SHIPPING

WHERE DO YOU SHIP TO?

We currently only ship to UK mainland. Please enquire about shipping costs to send kits further afield.

WHEN WILL WE RECEIVE OUR KITS?

Our standard delivery is 3-5 days.

WHY HAVEN'T MY KITS ARRIVED?


If your kits do not arrive, we will make an enquiry with the courier company. If they cannot be traced, we will issue a full refund or replacement.

WHAT IF MY KITS ARRIVE DAMAGED?

If your parcel has signs of damage when it arrives then please take some photos and contact us straight away for a replacement.

CAN I DELAY SHIPPING?

If you love the activities so much that you find they are taking longer for you to complete then that's great! Just contact us and let us know when you want the next kit shipped out.





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returns AND cancellations

can we cancel our subscription at any time?

We are sure that you will be 100% delighted with the My Wild Life Programme and the kits, but in the unlikely event that you are not 100% satisfied, you can cancel your subscription and you will receive a refund for any kits that have not been despatched. If you have unopened kits that you want to return, then we will also re-imburse the full cost (minus postage) if they are in resaleable condition.

WHAT IS YOUR RETURN POLICY?

We accept the return of unopened and undamaged kits within 28 days of shipment and will offer a replacement or full refund in this event.

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