

Example Nursery Itinerary

Animals of Aigas

Aim: To learn about the wild animals of Scotland.

Session	Timings	Content
Arrival & Introductions	10.00 – 10.15	Arrive at the Magnus house, meet the Education Team and explore the taxidermy on display. There will be time for a snack if required.
Animal Safari	10.15 – 11.00	Take a guided walk through the forest to look for the wild animals that live here. Children will hunt for clues about the animals we are looking to find, they will also get to see and feel some skulls and taxidermy animals.
Bug Hunt	11.00 – 11.30	Search for painted stone bugs that have been hidden, counting how many we find. Then hunt for real minibeasts on the forest floor, looking at how many legs they each have. We will use the animals we observe as inspiration for environmental art.
Creative Crafts	11.30 – 11.55	Get the creative juices flowing and build a colourful feeder for butterflies or a home for bugs.
Finish	11.55 – 12.00	Finish up and say our goodbyes.
Lunch	12.00 – 13.00	Groups are welcome to stay for lunch in the Magnus House, under parental supervision. The cost for this is £1 per child.

Curriculum for Excellence Experiences and Outcomes

SCN 0.01a - I have observed living things in the environment over time and am becoming aware of how they depend on each other.

HWB 0-16a - I am learning to assess and manage risk, to protect myself and others, and to reduce the potential for harm when possible.

HWB 0-19a - In everyday activity and play, I explore and make choices to develop my learning and interests. I am encouraged to use and share my experiences.

MNU 0-01a - I am developing a sense of size and amount by observing, exploring, using and communicating with others about things in the world around me.

LIT 0-02a / ENG 0-03a - As I listen and talk in different situations, I am learning to take turns and am developing my awareness of when to talk and when to listen.

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