Mission Monday Activities



World Wildlife Conservation

Below are a few fun activities you can do for World Wildlife Conservation!

INDOOR

Handprint Panda

Thanks to the work of conservationists, the Giant Panda is no longer on the endangered species list, they have officially moved to vulnerable. This is a HUGE step in conservation!

We will be doing a craft that celebrates this small victory in wildlife conservation! We will be making Handprint Pandas!

Supplies:

- Black and white paint
- Construction paper
- Black marker
- 2 Paper Plates

What to do:

- Pour black paint in one plate and pour white paint in the other paper plate.
- Dip your palm into the white paint
- Dip your fingertips in the black paint





Press your hand against the piece of paper

Optional: Use your hand or a paintbrush to spread out the white print and make it larger.



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- Wash your hands and let it dry
- Once dried, take your black marker and draw ears, eyes, nose, mouth and any other details that you want on your panda



OUTDOOR

Track Scavenger Hunt

This activity works best if you have outdoor space, if you do not, you can do this at a park, on a walk or in a family members yard. World Wildlife Conservation is about conserving all wildlife. Let's try and find some evidence of wildlife!

Supplies:

Cell phone or Sketch Book

What to do:

- Go outside and walk around. See if you can find any traces of animals. If you find any traces of animals, look around to see if you can find any animal tracks.
- Once you find a track, take a picture of it, or draw it so you can identify it later.
- Once you have found as many traces of tracks as you can, go back inside and look up animals that YOU think they could be.
- This can be something that you do every time you go outside. Always see what kind of animals are in the areas that you go to. How many tracks of different animals can you find?

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Ways to Get Involved in World Wildlife Conservation Day

It is important to raise awareness of World Wildlife Conservation Day. We celebrate on the 4th of December, however, there are things that you can do year-round to get involved in wildlife conservation. It is important for everyone to know the value of all wildlife and what they do for the ecosystem. One way to learn about that is to educate yourself and others by going online and learning about the wildlife that are vulnerable in your area. Another thing that you can do is get involved. Ask a parent about opportunities in your area! Celebrate World Wildlife Day! Post on social media to make others aware!