



SAFARI THEMED SESSION

Nellie the Elephant – Songs for Children

Props – Elephant Headbands, shakers, big elephant head for class leader

Learning Outcomes

- Listening to and responding to instructions
- Matching rhythms to a tune – speech and language development
- Gross and fine motor skills when holding rattles
- Co-operation when putting sticks away
- Bring an elephant – dressing up and stomping around

Activity

- Children all have rattle & headband
- Wave, shake etc in time to the music
- Children on their feet stomping around like an elephant – parent / carer to help where necessary – following class leader? This is an option depending on the dynamic of your group
- Class leader calls out instructions on what to do with rattle, i.e. shake fast, shake left and high, shake up in the air etc