# 2023-2024 World Language Unit Framework Grade

# Elementary 2<sup>nd</sup>

KAS for World Languages KAS for World Languages Blueprint Unit Title: NM (11) Animals Around the World Estimated Time Frame: 9 weeks (25-minute classes, 2x / week- 18 classes) **Big Idea (Thematic Description)** In this unit, students are learning about habitats around the world so they can describe animals they like. Key components include animal names, actions, speed and habitats. **Targeted Proficiency/Performance Level Power Language Skills** Novice Mid/Novice Low -Combining memorized language -Communicating with simple sentences **Considerations Prerequisite skills Common Misconceptions** -Students' background knowledge of -Size -Adjectives may change depending on the noun habits and their characteristics may differ. -Color in the language. -Pets -Target culture animals - Animal actions - Weather -What is this? **Common Performance Based Summative Assessment** Assessed Modes of Communication

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There is not a common assessment unique to this unit.	Interpersonal Speaking, Presentational Writing
Link to Common Assessment reflects units 4-11.	

**Optional Performance Based Summative Assessment** 

FCPS language proficiency rubrics are available in two formats: Single Point Proficiency Rubric or Continuum Proficiency Rubric.

Enduring Standards (11 Standards based on 5Cs)- [Assessed standards are within Communication and Cultures]

## Communication

- Interpretive Communication: Learners understand, interpret, and analyze what is heard, read, or viewed on a variety of topics.
- Interpersonal Communication: Learners interact and negotiate meaning in spoken, signed, or written conversations to share information, reactions, feelings, and opinions.
- **Presentational Communication:** Learners present information, concepts, and ideas to inform, explain, persuade, and narrate on a variety of topics using appropriate media and adapting to various audiences of listeners, readers, or viewers.

# Cultures

- Relating Cultural Practices to Perspectives: Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the relationship between the practices and perspectives of the cultures studied.
- Relating Cultural Products to Perspectives: Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the relationship between the products and perspectives of the cultures studied.

# Connections

- **Making Connections:** Learners build, reinforce, and expand their knowledge of other disciplines while using the language to develop critical thinking and to solve problems creatively.
- Acquiring Information and Diverse Perspectives: Learners access and evaluate information and diverse perspectives that are available through the language and its cultures.

#### Comparisons

- Language Comparisons: Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the nature of language through comparisons of the language studied and their own.
- **Cultural Comparisons:** Learners use the language to investigate, explain, and reflect on the concept of culture through comparisons of the cultures studied and their own.

## Communities

- School and Global Communities: Learners use the language both within and beyond the classroom to interact and collaborate in their community and the globalized world.
- Lifelong Learning: Learners set goals and reflect on their progress in using languages for enjoyment, enrichment, and advancement.

## **Guiding Questions**

Communication:		Intercultural:			
GQ: Where do animals live?		GQ: What do different animal habitats look like around the world?			
KAS for WL (Performance Indicators)	Sample Learning Intentions	Sample Succ Criteria	ess	(Optional) Formative Assessment	Essential Vocabulary /Phrases
NM.C.1.IR/IL.Q1 Informational and Fictional Texts I can identify some basic facts when they come from memorized or familiar words when they are supported by gestures or visuals in informational and fictional texts	I am learning about animals around the world so that I can describe an animal I like.	I can identify anin from around the v when I hear/read I can compare an contrast animals a the world. I can answer ques about an animal I I can recognize w	vorld them. d around stions like.		Wild animals Animal details (speed) Q: Describe

Exchange Information and Ideas I can request and provide information by asking and answering a few simple questions on very familiar and everyday topics, using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, and simple sentences. NM.C.3.PW/PS.Q3 Inform or Describe I can present on very familiar and everyday topics using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, and simple sentences. N.ICC.1.INV.Q1 Products In my own and other cultures, I can identify some typical products related to familiar everyday life.		animal someone is describing. I can describe an animal I like.	
NM.C.1.IR/IL.Q1 Informational and Fictional Texts I can identify some basic	I am learning about habitats around the world so that I can describe where animals	I can identify habitats around the world when I hear them.	Animal habitats Q: Where does live?

facts when they come from memorized or familiar words when they are supported by gestures or visuals in informational and fictional texts	live.	I can classify animals around the world by their habitats. I can tell where animals around the world live.	It lives
NM.C.2.IS/IL/IW.Q1 Exchange Information and Ideas I can request and provide information by asking and answering a few simple questions on very familiar and everyday topics, using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, and simple sentences.		I can answer where animals around the world live. I can identify habitats around the world by their weather descriptions. I can answer questions about the weather in different habitats.	
NM.C.3.PW/PS.Q3 Inform or Describe I can present on very familiar and everyday topics using a mixture of practiced or memorized words, phrases, and simple sentences.		I can describe where an animal I like lives.	
N.ICC.1.INV.Q1 Products In my own and other cultures, I can identify some typical products related to familiar everyday life.			

Suggested Anchor Materials	Resources	Extension of Learning
	-Culturally authentic maps (zoo, animal world maps, habitat maps) -Culturally authentic videos/photographs/books of animals -Culturally authentic infographics -Animal websites from the target cultures	