

Leave Like A...

Give children the opportunity to experience a variety of movements with this activity – a perfect transition to departure at the end of the day.



Children love animals, which means lessons involving animals have great relevance to them. Use active movement that mimics the movement of animals to build vocabulary and transition to departure at the end of the day.

Objective

Promote self-control and creativity by mimicking the movement of animals as a transition to departure at the end of the day.

Equipment

Item #01-811 **Animal Block Set**

Directions

1. Talk to children about how each animal in the block set moves.
2. Ask children to guess what movement the animals have in common.
3. Dismiss children one at a time or in small groups (everyone wearing the color blue, with brown hair, etc.), choosing one of the animals for each to portray as they depart.

Option

- Show children how light scarves (Item #20-320) or tissues float in the air. Ask them to leave as though they were scarves.

