



# WORLD FOR KIDS

## FOCUS: Africa (Kenya)

### → ANIMALS OF AFRICA

Kenya is home to some of the most interesting and exciting animals of Africa.

The largest is the African elephant. Did you know that the ears of one of these animals can weigh up to 110 and can grow to be as big as your bedspread?



The deadliest creature in all of Africa also lives in Kenya. Do you know what it is?

The mosquito! Because it carries malaria and other diseases, this tiny bug kills more people than any other creature ... or any other disease in Africa.

### → MATCH 'EM UP

Draw a line matching the animal pictures to their spelled names. Which animal does NOT live in Africa? Do you know?



elephant



zebra



monkey



lion



rhino



kangaroo



Flag of Kenya

### → KENYA & KIDS

Kenya is one of the most famous African nations. It has the tallest mountain (Kilimanjaro), it contains one of the most famous preserves for animals (Serengeti), it borders on the largest lake (Lake Victoria), and has a long and wonderful history.



The children of Kenya, while enjoying sports, family and friends, face some really big challenges, just like kids in many other African

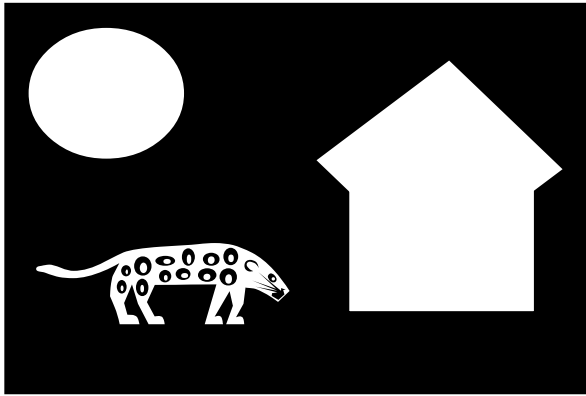
countries. The disease of HIV/AIDS in a family is the one of the most difficult. Many kids have watched a family member die recently from this terrible disease. Kids in Kenya need our prayers.

Kids also need places to learn about Jesus. Many churches do not have Sunday Schools or teachers who can help them grow strong in Christ. Pray for the children of Kenya.

**Close to Jesus: the greatest place on earth!**

## ➔ TRY THIS ON YOUR OWN

Make a piece of African folk art. Start with a piece of brown or black paper. Cut simple shapes in bright colors and glue these into a picture on the dark background. Make a hut, a person, a monkey, the sun, palm tree, tall grass, etc. Enjoy!



## ➔ WHAT DO YOU LOVE MOST ABOUT JESUS?

In the box below, draw a picture or write a paragraph telling what you love most about life with Jesus. Share your answer with someone you love, soon.

**This is what I love most about life with Jesus:**

## ➔ WHAT CAN KIDS DO?

Kids can “**T - Tell Others about Jesus.**” Do you know someone who has not received Jesus as their Savior? How can you share Jesus’ love and truth with that person? Here are some ideas to get you started:

- ♥ **Be a friend** (before and after talking about Jesus)
- ♥ **Tell what Jesus has done for you** (practice telling what life would be like without Jesus. Or tell what you love most about Jesus)
- ♥ **Learn what to say** (learn to tell someone what the Bible says about asking Jesus to become your Savior forever)

**Look up this Bible verse to fill in the blanks:**

**In the \_\_\_\_\_ your  
\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is not  
\_\_\_\_\_ that any of these  
\_\_\_\_\_ ones should be \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Matthew 18:14 (NIV)**