

# AFRICAN WILDLIFE playmobil®

**UNITY IS STRENGTH**

MANY AFRICAN ANIMALS UNITE IN BIG HERDS TO BE SAFE AGAINST PREDATORS.

CUMULATIVE POWER: WITH 50 TO 500 ANIMALS, A HERD OF AFRICAN BUFFALOES EVEN SCARES LIONS AWAY!

ATTENTION, SNAKE TO THE LEFT!

EVEN MEERKATS FEAR PREDATORS. A GUARD KEEPS AN EYE ON THEIR SURROUNDINGS ALL OF THE TIME.

SPECIAL FUR PATTERNS HELP ANIMALS BLEND IN SO THEY DON'T ATTRACT TOO MUCH ATTENTION.

**PERFECT DISGUISE**

THE LEOPARD IS MAKING USE OF THIS. HE CROUCHES, HIDDEN IN THE LEAVES, AS HE WAITS FOR HIS PREY.

GAZELLES ARE PART OF MANY PREDATORS' DIETS, SO THE LIGHT BROWN ANIMALS HIDE SEAMLESSLY WITHIN THE DRY GRASS TO AVOID DETECTION.

ZEBRAS RECOGNISE EACH OTHER FROM THEIR UNIQUE STRIPES.

THAT'S MICHAEL, CLEARLY!

IN 1980, THERE WAS A WHITE ZEBRA IN THE PLAYMOBIL COLOR LINE. IT GOT ITS STRIPES WHEN PAINTED WITH SPECIAL PENS.

THE PLAYMOBIL WILDEBEEST IS WEARING FASHIONABLE STRIPES, TOO.

**ANIMAL FACTS**

A GROWN RHINO WEIGHS AS MUCH AS

UP TO 3,600 KG

WHEN BORN, HIPPOS WEIGH MORE THAN 10X AS MUCH AS A HUMAN BABY.

UP TO 55 KG

AIMING HIGH!

UP TO 2.5 M

WITH THEIR LONG NECK, GIRAFFES ARE ABLE TO REACH EVEN LEAVES IN THE TREETOPS.

**SKILLED HUNTERS**

PREDATORS INVENT ALL KINDS OF TRICKS WHEN HUNTING.

CROCODILES LURK BENEATH THE WATER SURFACE. IF AN ANIMAL COMES NEAR, THEY DRAG IT UNDERWATER.

AMONG LIONS, THE FEMALES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR HUNTING, WHILE THE MALES WATCH OVER THE TERRITORY AND THE YOUNG.

IN 1979, THIS RULER OF THE ANIMAL KINGDOM WAS THE FIRST WILD ANIMAL PRODUCED IN THE HISTORY OF PLAYMOBIL.

**WILD TABLE MANNERS**

ELEPHANTS USE THEIR TRUNK AS CUTLERY. THEY EAT 150 - 200 KG OF FOOD EACH DAY.

WARTHOGS SIT ON THEIR KNEES WHILE FEEDING. THAT'S UNCOMFORTABLE, BUT CLOSER TO THE FOOD!

TRENDY IN PINK: FLAMINGOS LIKE TO EAT CRUSTACEANS. THAT'S WHAT MAKES THEIR FEATHERS TURN PINK.

**SOPHISTICATED**

CHIMPS ARE QUITE SMART! THEY USE STONES OR LITTLE STICKS AS TOOLS TO REACH THEIR FOOD.

THE FIRST PLAYMOBIL CHIMP WAS BORN IN 1984. REMAINING UNCHANGED UNTIL TODAY, HE COMES OUT OF THE MACHINE AS ONE PIECE, FULLY MOVEABLE!

ELEPHANTS ARE VERY SOCIAL AND HELP EACH OTHER. THE WHOLE GROUP LOOKS AFTER THE YOUNG.

MUM

AUNT

BIG BROTHER