**OBJECTIVE**

The main objective of the program is to raise awareness within the youth of our communities, to the importance of their environment and wildlife conservation.

The children (approximately ages of 10 – 12 years old), get the unique opportunity to gain extensive knowledge and experience that they would not normally be exposed to. They learn of the various wildlife conservation projects that we are involved in at HESC, and also get to understand the importance of protecting our wildlife, and the possible impact on our environment if we don’t.

Our aim is to influence and educate the younger generations, in the hope of making a difference to the future of wildlife conservation.

**ABOUT THE PROGRAM**

Each child is invited to spend two nights/three days with us at HESC, staying in our accommodation at Nungu Camp. All of their meals are included during their stay.

Whilst at HESC, they will gain first-hand experience about the fauna and flora in the area get to understand the importance of protecting the environment. Lectures on wildlife conservation are given, as well as hands on experience.

The children will also help us be preparing the food and feeding the animals themselves, where it is safe for them to do so. We will teach them basic survival skills and how to identify each animal with only some aspects of them visible.

At the end of their stay, they should have gained a deeper understanding to the importance of being kind to their environment and why we should be protecting the wildlife of our country.

**BASIC OVERVIEW**

- Preparing the food and feeding of the animals in the centre.
- Education about conservation.
- Game drive and tracking of animals.
- Survival in the wild and building a shelter.
HOW MANY KIDS AND HOW OFTEN?

Our goal for 2019, is to host 16 x 3 day (2 nights) programs, each with 10 children and 2 facilitators each. A total of 160 children.

COST PER CHILD: USD175 FOR 3 DAYS

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**TOTAL COST PER CHILD FOR 3 DAYS**

USD175

2019 PROJECT AIM: TO HOST 160 KIDS

**TOTAL PROJECT COST: USD28 000**

DATES

This is subject to numbers and funding. When we get enough funding to host a group, we would then confirm the next available date.

TO OUR GLOBAL GIVING SPONSOR

You will receive a photo of the child that you sponsored, in their sponsored HESC outfit, a personalised note of appreciation from them and an overview of their time spent at HESC.

HOW DO WE SELECT THE CHILDREN AND WHICH SCHOOLS?

Currently we are working with Lumikisa Primary School, Grade 6 and 7's.