## African Safari Year 4-6

## **Meet the Meerkats**

Have this table ready while you watch the video of the meerkats. Choose **one** meerkat to observe. Now spend **four minutes** watching your animal and use the table below to **tick off** what it is doing every **thirty seconds**.

\*Be sure to keep track of time!



Time	0 sec (start)	30 sec	1 min	1 min 30 sec	2 min	2 min 30 sec	3 min	3min 30 sec	4 min
Resting/ sleeping	1	1	1						
Digging				1	1	1			1
Standing guard							1		
Fighting									
Hiding									
Running/ walking									
Eating								1	
Other									

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What did your meerkat spend most of its time doing?

$\label{eq:Rewatch} \textbf{Rewatch the video}.$	How	did your	meerkat's	behaviour	differ	to the	other	meerkats in	the group?



