



BOOK TALK CARDS



THEMES:

Wildlife
Environment • Conservation

Rewild The World at Bedtime

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What is rewilding? It means putting things back to how they were! Humans have been polluting the Earth for over 4000 years. Before that, nature lived freely. Now, it's time to let our world heal. We can do this by helping some of the animals that have been left behind.



OUR THOUGHTS

"Very engaging storytelling style of writing has strong appeal and a hopeful tone, and still gets plenty of information across. Illustrations add to the leisure feel."

TIME TO TALK

- 1 Think of a space in your home/school/community. What would you like to do to help rewild it? What differences do you think it might make for the people who use that space?
- 2 The rewilded spaces at the end of each story are all very different. Which one would you most like to visit and why?
- 3 At first it was difficult to persuade everyone to agree to the plan. Why do you think this was? How do you think you might feel about a plan like this effecting your home?
- 4 Have you ever had a good idea that you had to persuade other people about? What did you do to try and make other people believe in your ideas?
- 5 Lots of changes had to be made to make their new home suitable for the lynxes and make sure they had food, space and food. If you were going to create a habitat for your favourite animal what things would you need to do to make them safe and happy?
- 6 At first, the local farmers had a very bad opinion of the lynxes and didn't understand how important they are and that lynxes would help the area. Can you think of any other animals that are often thought of in a negative way? What might you say to help change people's minds?



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