

# Wildlife on the Scottish Coast

## Fascinating Fact

Did you know that the Scottish coast is home to 120,000 grey seals, 40 % of the world population



### Did you know that the grey seal...

- ⇒ can dive for about 16 minutes
- ⇒ can be found where there are small islands, rocks and reefs
- ⇒ breeds on remote beaches between September and December, and gives birth on land
- ⇒ has been known to live for 46 years



### Did you know that the porpoise...

- ⇒ can dive for about 10 minutes
- ⇒ is one of the smallest whales in the world
- ⇒ has a short round head, 2 fins on the sides of its body and a small triangular dorsal fin

## IMPORTANT

If you see a stranded seal, keep away from it and call the SSPCA on 0870 7377722

If you find a dead seal call 01463 243030