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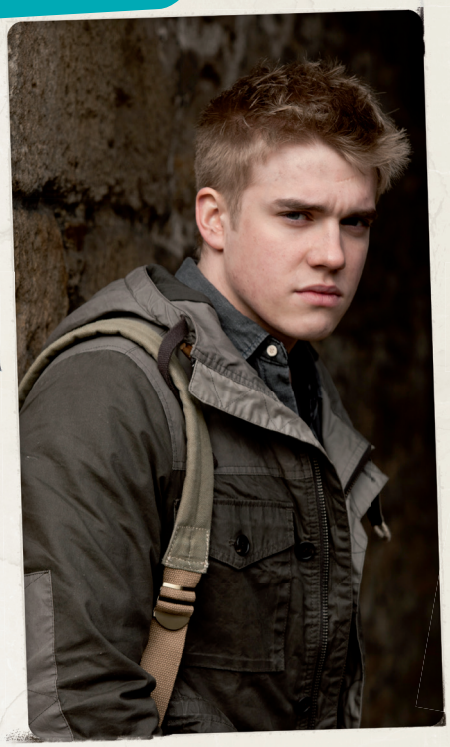
You've heard the stories, you know the myths - now, with the help of the characters of Wolfblood, you can discover the truth about wolves.

MADDY SMITH



played by Aimee Kelly

RHYDIAN MORRIS



played by Bobby Lockwood

TOM OKANAWE



played by Kedar Williams-Stirling

SHANNON KELLY

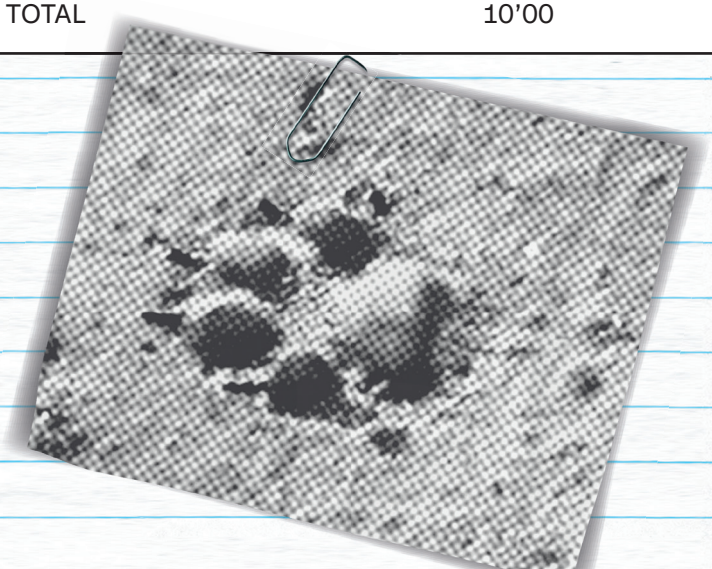


played by Louisa Connolly-Burnham

The series is split into ten episodes, which air after Wolfblood. Each episode focuses on one attribute of wolves. It is presented and narrated by one member of the cast, in character.

SAMPLE EPISODE BREAKDOWN

EP BREAKDOWN	APPROX TIME	DETAILS
TITELS	0‘30	GENERIC
INTRO BY CHARACTER	1’30	CHARACTER CAN CHANGE DEPENDING
WOLFBLOOD SEQUENCE	2’00-3’00	ON THE SEQUENCE COMING UP
BACK TO CHARACTER	1’00	LENGTH COULD VARY 1’00
NATURAL HISTORY ARCHIVE	3’00 – 4’00	
BACK TO CHARACTER OUTRO	1’30	NARRATED BY OUR CHARACTER
CREDITS	30’	
TOTAL	10’00	





EPISODES





01 EPISODE ONE – HEARING

Question: How far can a wolf hear?

Wolves can hear from up to ten miles away, and can move their ears independently of one another. This gives them highly directional hearing to help find their prey – or know when to avoid an enemy. Their hearing is sixteen times better than ours and they can hear sounds far higher than any human.

02 EPISODE TWO – SMELL

Question: What can wolves tell from smelling each other?

Their exceptional sense of smell lets wolves find each other and their enemies – and tells them who's been where. Wolves use smell to signal to each other; leaving scent around their territory and smelling each other – they can determine health, mood, where the other wolf has been, and what they've been eating just from how they smell!

03 EPISODE THREE – TERRITORY

Question: How does a wolf mark its territory? How big is a wolf's territory?

Wolves are very territorial animals and packs tend to stay away from each other. One pack's territory can be as large as six thousand square kilometres!

04 EPISODE FOUR – FOOD

Question: How many teeth does a wolf have? how many calories does it need a day?

Wolves have 42 teeth and need to eat nearly six thousand calories a day – three times as much as an adult human. Their jaws are specially developed to be extremely strong, to let them crush bones and get to the marrow inside.





05 EPISODE FIVE – FAMILY

Questions: How big is a wolf pack? Who's in charge of the pack?

Wolves live almost exclusively in packs, ruled by mum and dad, where the rest of the pack are normally brothers and sisters. Everyone in the pack helps care for the pups. Lone wolves trying to enter a pack are rarely accepted – and when wolves from different packs meet it often results in a fight, sometimes to the death...



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EPISODE SIX – SPEED

Question: How fast can a wolf run?

Wolves are built for speed, with long, strong legs and large paws to help them run on snow. They usually move at around 5 miles per hour but can top 40 miles per hour at a sprint.



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EPISODE SEVEN - STAMINA

Question: How far can a wolf travel in one day?

Wolves can run for very long distances - useful when you have such a large territory. They can travel up to a hundred and twenty miles in one night while hunting - and lone wolves have been known to walk up to eight hundred miles to find new territory...

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EPISODE EIGHT – COMMUNICATION

Question: Why does a wolf howl? Can you give us your best wolf impression?

A wolf howl is a magnificent sound. It can be a warning, to signal danger or to challenge an enemy. It notifies pack members of their location, can be used to attract a mate, and can get the pack riled up before a hunt.

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EPISODE NINE – EYESIGHT

Question: In what ways is a wolf's eyesight better than ours?

Wolves see mainly in black and white, but this also means they can see in extremely low light conditions so they can hunt at night. Their eyes are usually amber, yellow or grey in colour.

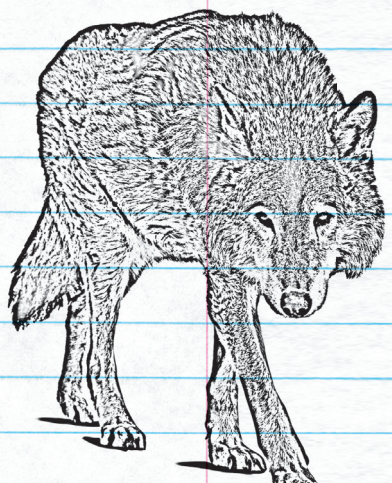


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EPISODE TEN – MYTHS

Question: Ask us anything about wolves.

Do wolves really attack people? Do they take livestock from farmers or do they prefer to hunt wild meat? Do they howl at the moon? In fact, you're more likely to be struck by lightning than killed by a wolf; most farmers saying their sheep have been taken by wolves are making it up; and wolves don't howl at the moon – but they do make a lot of noise at night, moon or not!



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