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2018-2019 PROGRAMS

Bring your science lessons to life with a visit from the Zoomobile. Embark on a learning adventure right in your classroom. Our dynamic presentations will engage students and encourage “I Wonder Why” questioning, while supporting your classroom learning objectives.

Cost: \$120 | Mileage & additional fees may apply

Length: 60 minutes

Group Size: Up to 60 students

Move Like the Animals Do

Pre-K to Kindergarten

There are many different ways that animals move around and reasons why they move. Students meet friendly zoo animals and zoo instructors teach your students about the animals as well as how to slither like a snake, hop like a bunny and so much more!

Down on the Farm

Pre-K to Kindergarten

Down on the farm is a fun place to be! Zoo instructors will discuss what happens on an Indiana farm and the animals that live there. Your students will meet and learn about amazing animals commonly found on or around farms.

Our Feathered Friends

First Grade

Students will learn aspects that are common to all birds and some of their amazing differences. Zoo instructors bring zoo birds to your school for this fun interactive program.

Adaptations for Survival

Second Grade

Change to Survive! Animals often have adaptations that enable them to survive in their environments and escape predators. Your students will meet zoo animals and learn how animals adapt and survive in the wild.

Classification

Third Grade

Your class will learn how scientists organize animals into “classes” based on their unique characteristics and assist zoo instructors with classifying zoo animals brought into the classroom.

Animal Habitats

Fourth Grade

Every animal has four basic needs that must be met in their habitat in order to survive. Instructors bring zoo animals representing different habitats to share with your class. Students learn about these amazing animals' habitats and their basic needs.

Predator or Prey

Fifth Grade

Everything in nature is eating something else all the time! Zoo Instructors bring animals for your students to see, touch, learn about, and determine where on the food chain they reside.

Creeping, Crawling and Flying

First to Third Grade

Everything that crawls on or in the ground or up a tree isn't the same! Students will learn about and act out the basic characteristics of insects, spiders, and the other creepy crawlies that don't fit into either group! Zoo instructors will bring zoo animals for students to see or touch and learn about.

Nocturnal Creatures

Third to Fifth Grade

Zoo instructors will introduce your students to nocturnal animals, and help them understand what makes these animals so distinctly amazing. Your students will learn why animals are active at night, what makes these nocturnal creatures special and unique, and which they might see in their own neighborhoods.

Length: 30 minutes
Group Size: Up to 15 students
Cost: \$30 | Mileage & additional fees may apply

Story Safari

Preschool ages 4 to 5

This interactive program includes a story reading and a visit with a friendly zoo animal.

Length: Up to 60 minutes per animal
Cost: \$50 per animal; up to 3 animals
Group Size: No limit

Animal Appearances

All Grades

Our friendly zoo animals are always a hit during this casual "meet and greet."

Length: 60 minutes per week (9 weeks)
Group Size: one 4th grade classroom
Cost: \$2000 – grant support may be available to cover program cost in select counties – call 260-427-6808 for additional information.

ZSI – Zoo Scientific Inquiry

Fourth Grade

ZSI is an interactive 9-week program where students build terrariums, care for living animals in the classroom and learn to gather and interpret data using the scientific method.

Sessions fill up quickly, call for more information.

FREE Teacher Planning Visit



This coupon will admit one teacher free of charge to plan activities prior to a school field trip. Present this coupon with your school ID at the zoo entrance.

NOT valid on day of field trip. Expires October 6, 2019

