



Who Lives on a Farm?

Practice your students' drawing skills as they learn about the Fort Wayne Children's Zoo family farm animals! A farm is used to grow crops and animals. Certain animals live in particular areas on the farm. See below for a variety of questions to engage your student even further:

- ✎ Have you been to a Farm before?
- ✎ Do you know what animals live on a farm?
- ✎ Where on the farm do you think animals live in?
- ✎ What other things beside animals that you can find on a farm?
- ✎ What sound does a _____ make?
- ✎ What does a _____ eat?

Individual animals need to be in a specific place on the farm because it allows for a safe environment for both animals and farmers. The specific areas include a chicken coop, horse stable, cow barn, pigpen, and others. The other parts of the farm, such as fences, tractors, gardens, haystacks, people, and others, are easily found. Have students write down the sounds they think each animal should make next to their animals. Please encourage them to draw and color different foods that their animal would eat.

Once the students are finished with their drawings, have them share their artwork with the class or a buddy. Please encourage them to explain why they put individual animals in a specific spot. Having a farm is important to everyone because these animals provide food, clothes, activities, and other materials. Be on the lookout for the farm animals at the zoo! Share your lessons with the Fort Wayne Children's Zoo. Tag #fwkidszoo or email education@kidszoo.org to express how you used these supplemental activities!

Example of a farm drawing:



PROGRAM GOALS

- ✎ Identify different farm animals
- ✎ To learn sounds, diet, and habitat of farm animals

GRADES

K to 2nd

MATERIALS

- ✎ 8 1/2" x 11" construction paper
- ✎ Pencils
- ✎ Crayons

STANDARDS

- ✎ SCI.K.1
- ✎ SCI.1.3.4
- ✎ SCI.2.3.2

RECOMMENDED ASSESSMENT

- ✎ Ensure the students are actively drawing their farm
- ✎ Grade students based on completeness