My Zoo Camp Experience at the FORT WAYNE CHILDREN'S ZOO



I am going to **ZOO CAMP** at the Fort Wayne Zoo.

When I see the Zoo Education Center, I will know I am there!



My camp and I will **EXPLORE** the Zoo, **LEARN** new things, and have **FUN**.



When I get to the Zoo Education Center, I will wait in LINE. I will wait patiently for my turn.

Then I will get my **NAMETAG**

I will put my nametag around my neck. I will wear my name tag around my neck each day .



I will say goodbye to my grownups and meet new people at the Zoo.

The **ZOO STAFF** and **TEEN VOLUNTEERS** wear many different colors, but they all have **NAME BADGES**.

Staff and Volunteers are people I can learn from at the Fort Wayne Zoo, and they can answer my questions or help me if I get lost.



I will join my group and tell others my name. In my group, I will meet many new friends my age.

I will join other campers for **CIRCLE TIME**. We will sing songs and it might get loud.

My **CAMP COUNSELOR**

will explain the rules and help us explore the Zoo.

I will try to **COOPERATE** with everyone so that we all have fun.



We will explore the Zoo and look for animals in

the AFRICAN JOURNEY,
the AUSTRALIAN ADVENTURE,
the CENTRAL ZOO, and
the ASIAN TREK.



I might not have time to see everything but that is okay. We will move a lot, but that is okay because my body is strong.

We will be **OUTSIDE** exploring **NATURE** . The weather might be **COLD**,**SNOWY**, **RAINY** or **HOT**.



The Zoo might be **CROWDED** or **LOUD**.

I will keep my body calm and have fun exploring with my new friends.

If it gets too loud, I can find a **QUIET SPACE** and take a break.

I can take slow, deep breaths until I am CALM and ready to explore more.



After lunch, I will meet an **AMBASSADOR ANIMAL** .

I will ask questions and learn new things.

If I am nervous, my camp counselor will help me.



I might get to go **BEHIND THE SCENES** at the Zoo.

I will use my senses to **OBSERVE** the area and learn many things!

We might do **HANDS-ON ACTIVITIES**. I will listen to my Camp Counselor and try my best.



At the end of the day, I will join circle time for songs.

It might be loud, but I can sing along since I learned the words.

I will wait with my Camp Counselor until they say I can leave.

I will wave goodbye to my new friends and greet my grownups.

I had a great day at the **FORT WAYNE ZOO**!

