

## PLAN YOUR DAY

Make the most of your day by being well prepared.

### Before

- 🐾 Decide the purpose of your visit – fun, curriculum extension, reward and so on
- 🐾 Children must be supervised at all times while on Zoo grounds. Make sure you have the correct adult to child ratio for the Guided Tour as well as for the children's free time in the zoo.
- 🐾 Know your group. The Zoo is an exciting place – lots of new sights, sounds and smells. Anticipate which students may become over excited or have trouble following directions.
- 🐾 Discovery Learning Sessions have a maximum of 30 children in each group. Organize your students into groups (if necessary).
- 🐾 Arrange for payment. (payment must be made prior to or on the day) Your email Booking Confirmation includes a Tax Invoice



### On the Day

- 🐾 Review safety and behavioural expectations with your class.
  - 🐾 Make payment at reception (if not already made) and hand in signed Indemnity forms
- If participating in a Discovery Learning Session;
- 🐾 Contact with the Guide to review your chosen topic
  - 🐾 Make sure all the children have been to the toilet before the start time
  - 🐾 Congregate at the appointed place ten minutes before the sessions start time
  - 🐾 Divide students into pre organised groups (if necessary)
  - 🐾 Ensure students are supervised at all times.
  - 🐾 Make sure all supervising adults know meeting times and places.
  - 🐾 Have a great day! Give your students time to stop and enjoy the animals.
  - 🐾 Collect your activity pack for post visit fun.

### After

- 🐾 Utilize the Activity Pack to continue your students learning adventure.

### Please note:

Whistles may not be used on Zoo Grounds under any circumstances.  
The best Toilets for you to use as a group are in the Aquarium.  
There are restrictions on students entering the Café and Gift Shop.  
The National Zoo and Aquarium reserves the right to remove anyone compromising the safety of the animals and/or other visitors and staff.