

WORK EXPERIENCE APPLICATION FORM

(General/University Students)

TITLE: **MR** **MRS** **MS** **MISS** _____

SURNAME: _____

GIVEN NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **SUBURB:** _____

STATE: _____ **POSTCODE:** _____

PHONE: _____ **MOBILE:** _____

EMAIL: _____ **DOB:** _____

AGE: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

NAME: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

PHONE: _____ **MOBILE:** _____

Please Note: Work Experience at the National Zoo and Aquarium requires commitment. Our Zookeepers rely heavily on WEX support. By not turning up on a day you have nominated means our keepers may not be able to complete their tasks. We require a copy of your School's certificate of currency to cover you for insurance purposes while working on the grounds of the National Zoo & Aquarium. If you are not coming to us through a school we require a \$50 fee to help cover you for insurance. Applicants must be a minimum of age of 16 years to partake in the zoo's work experience program.

National Zoo & Aquarium

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1. Why are you interested in the work experience program at the National Zoo & Aquarium?

2. Have you been working towards Keeping as a career? How? i.e. volunteering, studying, working with animals etc.

3. Have you a history of physical or mental illness that zoo staff should be aware of? (If yes, please tick the following) Yes No

<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy	<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Fatigue
<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Condition	<input type="checkbox"/> Back problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis
<input type="checkbox"/> Repetitive strain injuries	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	

If other please specify: _____

4. Do you suffer from any allergies (e.g. fish, hay fever, mould)? Yes No
5. If yes please specify: _____
6. Is there anything which would make you unsuitable for certain types of volunteer activities?

7. We have a minimum of two week (10 working days) for school student work experience; please write your preferred dates;
 1st choice starting/...../..... Finishing...../...../.....
 2nd choice starting/...../..... Finishing...../...../.....

I _____ (Parent/Guardian) declare that the information disclosed about _____ (applicant) in this application is correct.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___
 Student Signature _____ Date: ___/___/___
 Name of School: _____ Year: _____

Please return completed form to volunteers@nationalzoo.com.au

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Contacted for WEX	Date: _____	<u>Forms received</u>
Start date	Date: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Safety Form _____
Finish date	Date: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance form or payment _____