

Each day of Zoocation includes animal and reptile encounters, animal feeds, some 'sciency' stuff', games and craft.

Please read the following section on **Zoocation Groups**.

Save time on your first day by downloading and completing the Indemnity Form when you book.







## Monday Jan 9<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday Jan 17<sup>th</sup> SINGING AND DANCING LEMURS- ARE WE LION?

Would Julian really be King of the Lemurs?? Could a lion be friends with a zebra?? Are giraffes really germ-a-phobes?? Meet some of the animals from the movie and learn the answer to these questions.

Tuesday Jan 10<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday Jan 18<sup>th</sup>

#### **COULD A PANDA BE A KUNG FU MASTER?**

Learn about the real animals that star in Kung Fu Panda . What Kung Fu skills would they really have? Meet tigers, snakes, snow leopards and more.

# Wednesday Jan 11<sup>th</sup> and Thursday Jan 19<sup>th</sup>

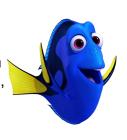
#### **UN-BEAR-ABLE JUNGLE MYTHS!**

What type of bear is Baloo? Can snakes really hypnotize people? Do panthers really exist? Find out the answers to these questions and meet some of the animals from the movie.

## Thursday Jan 12<sup>th</sup> and Monday Jan 16<sup>th</sup>

#### FORGETFUL DORY- FACT OR FISHY?

Do fish really have a 3 second memory? Would Hank the octopus really be an escape artist.? Meet and feed many of our aquarium creatures such as sharks, fish, frogs and more.



Animal encounters may vary due to circumstances beyond our control



# ZOOCATION GROUPS

# WHAT ARE THE ZOOCATION GROUPS?

To ensure that all children have a fun and enriching experience at Zoocation, children are divided into three groups; Red, Yellow and Blue. Children are grouped according to the year they are attending at school, e.g. Year 1, 2 3 etc.. We group children according to their current school year.

As craft and various other learning activities are part of their day, we try to ensure children are with others of similar social and developmental levels. This way, they will not become frustrated or struggle with the activities. There are usually 18 children in each group with two staff members.

## HOW DO I KNOW WHICH GROUP MY CHILD IS IN?

When your child arrives at Zoocation they will be given a coloured bandana to indicate which group they will be in for the day. Generally, children in Years K and 1 are in Red, Years 2 – 3 are in Yellow and Years 4 to 6 in Blue. Sometimes, according to daily enrolments, adjustments are made to how the groups are divided.

# CAN MY CHILD BE WITH THEIR FRIENDS OR SIBLINGS?

As much as possible we make all efforts to make sure friends are grouped together. However, if there are large age differences, this becomes difficult during activity time. For example, the Blue group has more complex activities than the Red and Yellow groups. A young child may become frustrated at not being able to participate at the same level as others. We want all the children to experience success and have a fun time at the zoo. All children are together during lunch, snacks and some free time

