

Edu**ZOO**cation Opportunities at Pine Grove Zoo



We open at 9:00 am!

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**New
2024**



Classroom / Group Adopt an Animal Program

Any classroom can adopt a hamster in their room. But what about a Tiger, Bear, Wolf or Kangaroo? By participating in this important program, your students will learn and develop a connection to their classroom's chosen animal.

Some of these animals are endangered species whose very survival depends on all of us working together on their conservation efforts. Adoptions are a fun and interesting way to encourage the natural curiosity that all children have about animals.

Included in your adoption:

- Fun fact sheet about the species and specific facts about your Zoo family member.
- A picture of your animal and certificate depicting your classroom's animal adoption.
- Coloring sheet of your animal for each of your students.
- Recognition on our website for one year.

School Field Trips



Pine Grove Zoo's Education Team is dedicated to ensuring your groups' experience is interactive, educational and FUN!

We have several options of tours and programs which will enhance your student's learning experience. We can also adapt our programs to meet your specific educational needs.



Memberships Apply

Membership cards must be present and we must be notified two weeks before your scheduled tour. Memberships apply to admission rates ONLY.



We offer Self Guided School Group rates where your group of 13 or more will enjoy Pine Grove Zoo at your own pace

New

Want to treat our Petting Stable Family and Prairie Dog Family?
One small cup of Petting Stable Pellets is only **50¢ per person.**



**All Teachers
are FREE**

**Paraprofessionals
1 FREE per classroom**

**All Bus Drivers
are FREE**

Guided School Tour Rate

The price listed below is in addition to the above group rates. All tours require reservations.

Zoo programs support the Minnesota State Science Standards.

Wild Discovery Tour (60—75 minutes)

An enthusiastic, educational tour guide will bring your group on an interactive animal experience with amazing artifacts. This fun Tour is informative, engaging and is a focused tour for groups of all ages. Discover the differences and similarities of our Zoo family

Memberships do NOT apply.

Creature Feature Encounter Program

You can add our 30 minute **Creature Feature Program** to any tour choice. Students will learn and discover unique characteristics about two of our live Outreach Animals in a class room setting. Class size up to 25 students.

Call ahead to reserve your spot.

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Educational
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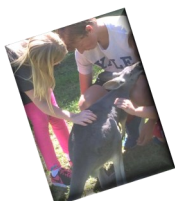


Wild Animal Connections

Interactive Fun
Lifetime Memories

Do you want your classroom or group to get a unique and wild experience during one of our Animal Encounters? Your group of up to 10 students will create life-long memories filled with unscripted antics with these amazing animals.

- **Kangaroo Connections:** Meet our sweet Red Kangaroos, and learn about this species from "The Land Down Under". Discover for yourself just how soft a Roo is.
- **Coati Connections:** Learn about these unique, amazing animals from South America. You will get a personal meet and greet with our Coatis, Bonnie and Clyde. You will view artifacts and get a special behind-the-scenes Coati experience with these busy, energetic creatures.
- **Sloth Connections:** You will get up close with a fluffy fan-favorite animal with Syd, our amazing sloth! As you go behind-the-scenes, you'll get to learn about it's lifestyle and it's natural habitat in the wild.



Memberships do NOT apply.

Behind the Scenes Exploration School Tours

Go where the public doesn't have access and experience new adventures at Pine Grove Zoo!

"Soul" of Pine Grove Zoo Tour (approximately 30 minutes)

Up to 10 People per group

Enjoy a tour of our Educational Outreach area and learn about the importance of our Outreach Ambassadors. In both the Education and Wolf Buildings, you get a sneak peak into the zoo from years ago. You will also visit our enrichment area and see some of the items that help enrich our animal family every day.



"Heart" of the Zoo Tour (approximately 45 minutes)

Up to 15 People per group.

With this behind-the-scenes experience, you will visit the hub and "heart" of the operations of Pine Grove Zoo. Visit our Food Prep area while learning how important nutrition is in the care of our animal family. You will also visit the Otter Dens, Bear Dens and see where the monkeys "monkey" around!

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