

# GROUP Reservation Form

## How to Register

In order to bring your herd, flock, or school to the Santa Barbara Zoo, reservations are required. Early registration is recommended as a limited number of groups are admitted into the Zoo each day. Reservations are booked in the order which they are received. Special discounted admission fees are available ONLY for groups of ten or more, Mondays through Fridays (excluding holidays). Reservations must be submitted to the Zoo at least two weeks prior to your requested visit date. Thank you for your interest in Santa Barbara Zoo! We look forward to your Zoo visit!

### Reserve your field trip in three simple steps:

1. Complete a Group Registration Form.
2. Return the completed form.
3. Watch for your confirmation materials in the mail.

If you do not receive a packet within three weeks of making your reservation, please contact Guest Services at (805) 962-5339.

## General Information and Fee Structure

### Santa Barbara Zoo hours

Open 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. every day except Christmas. Tickets are sold until 4:00 p.m. The Zoo closes early for some special events; please call to confirm hours of operation prior to your visit.

### Zoo Admission

Children under 2: **FREE**      Adults (13-59): **\$11.00**      Seniors (60+): **\$8.00**  
Children (2-12): **\$8.00** (2008 trips), **\$9.00** (2009 trips)      Parking: **\$4.00**

**Groups with confirmed reservations will receive \$1.00 off admission, one FREE chaperone for every five students, and parking fee is waived only for bus arrivals. Individual vehicles will be charged regular parking fees. 2009 visits booked in 2008 will reflect \$9.00/child admission price, less group discount of \$1.00 off.** Memberships cannot be applied towards a group discount. Members may enter the Zoo using their membership card after 10:00 a.m. but will not be included in the chaperone counts or scheduled train rides.

### Lunch at the Zoo

The Zoo offers a special school group lunch program. Four different meals are available and can be ordered in advanced. During your Zoo visit, you can pick your orders up at a pre-arranged time from the Ridley-Tree House Restaurant. For group lunches, please contact the Zoo for more information: (805) 962-5339 or cgambler@sbzoo.org.

### Train Rides

Train rides are available for groups of up to 100 people and must be scheduled as a group at the front gate on the day of your visit; no advance scheduling is available. *Certain events such as rain, maintenance, or other uncontrollable situations may affect train availability.* Train rides are \$2.00 for children and \$2.50 for adults.

## School Programs Fees



### Connection Classes

45-minute workshop; \$50 per workshop  
(Maximum of 30 students per workshop)



### Guided Tours

60-minute tour; \$50 per tour  
(Maximum of 20 participants per tour)



### Animal Encounters (max 20 participants)

Length of encounters vary  
\$50 per encounter

## Other Available Programs:

for more information, please call the education department at (805)962-5339 ex. 46 or check out our website at [www.sbzoo.org](http://www.sbzoo.org).



### Theater Gone Wild



### Cat Naps – School Overnights



### Custom Programs



### Teacher Trainings

\*All prices are subject to change without notice.

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All reservations must be made on this form only. Please send form to:  
Santa Barbara Zoo  
Guest Services – Group Reservations  
500 Ninos Drive, Santa Barbara, CA 93103  
FAX: (805) 560-9889

Reservation Form

## About Your Group

Today's date		Name of school or group		
Contact person's full name		Teacher(s) in charge on day of visit		
School address				
City		State	Zip	
School phone #	School fax #	Email address (required)		
# of classes	Grade(s) of class(es)	Total # of students (ages 2-12)	Total # of students (13+)	Total # of adults (1 adult per every 5 students required)

Please tell us about any special needs your group may have

We are arriving by:  Bus  Personal vehicle  Amtrak or train  I am interested in purchasing lunch at the Zoo.  I am interested in riding the Zoo train.  
 I am interested in ZOO 4 U – the free entrance and train ride program. Please contact me! (For Title I – School-wide Program schools and clients of eligible social service agencies only.)

## About Your Visit

You will be assigned the first available admission time on your chosen date. Reserved groups are admitted every 15 minutes, starting at 9:00 a.m. Once a time slot is filled, we will move on to the next time slot for booking.

1st date choice	2nd date choice	3rd date choice	4th date choice
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Please mark all time slots which would be acceptable:

9:00 a.m.  9:15 a.m.  9:30 a.m.  9:45 a.m.  10:00 a.m.  10:15 a.m.  10:30 a.m.  10:45 a.m.  11:00 a.m.  other\_\_\_\_\_

## Type of Visit

I am interested in the following (check as many as you like):

Topic: \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Connection Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater Gone Wild            | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher Training         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guided Tour        | <input type="checkbox"/> Cat Naps – School Overnights | Topic: _____                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Encounters  | <input type="checkbox"/> Custom Programs              | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher Advisory Council |

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