“I would absolutely have Cosley Zoo come back for another program! I think our day camp kids would love it!”
– Plainfield Park District

“The instructor was amazing! Very good with the children and she really kept them engaged.”
– Wheaton Bible Church Preschool

“This program was excellent. The presenter was engaging. It was a fantastic fun learning experience.”
– Kensington School, Elmhurst

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A LIFETIME OF INSPIRATION BEGINS HERE
Cosley Zoo programs are perfect for:
• Child care centers
• Schools
• Senior citizen centers
• Libraries
• Other organized groups

Schedule a Cosley Zoo educator to come to your facility to present a dynamic, one-of-a-kind program for your group. All presentations include live animals as co-partners in the teaching process. Programs are for ages 3-adult, with the exception of Zoo Tales, which is appropriate for younger children.

Don't see a topic? Give us a call!
We'll do our best to design a program to meet your needs. Call the Education Department at 630.665.5534 for more information or to schedule a Zoo to You program. Programs are scheduled year-round on a first-come, first-served basis. A minimum of two weeks' notice is required for scheduling.

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All programs are approximately 45 minutes long, unless otherwise noted

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• Critter Class – Explore animal classification
• No Bones About It – Compare vertebrates and invertebrates
• Home Sweet Habitat – Discuss animal habitats and adaptations
• Who’s Who – Find out about animal roles in nature
• Illinois Wildlife – Discover the animals that call Illinois home
• Reptiles – Learn more about the characteristics of these scaly creatures
• Zoo and Aquarium Careers (grades 7 and over) – Explore careers in this industry

Assembly Programs (maximum 150 participants):
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Program Pricing

Classroom Programs
$105 per program plus travel fee*

Assembly Programs
$225 per program plus travel fee*

Multiple programs scheduled on the same day may be eligible for a discount.

*Travel fee:
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• 5-10 miles: $20 travel fee
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