



1 Hour & 30 Minute, Activity Classes

Select a Lesson Plan Theme and Lesson Plan!

<u>Theme</u>	<u>15 min Lesson Plan</u>	<u>30 min Activity/Game/Craft</u>	<u>30 min Animal Picture Day!</u>
<u>Farm animals</u>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Where our food comes from (grade-appropriate)2. Empathy and ethics in animal farming: happy cows = happy milk Sad cows = sad milk	<ol style="list-style-type: none">A. Farm animal home building game - felt mat design and placement collaborative activityC. Piggy mudpuddle pig pen making/decorating pudding craft game, keep your piggy!	★ Meet 3 Bunnies named Blossum Bubbles & Buttercup Picture Card Day!*
<u>Dinos & fossils</u>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. What are fossils? What are dinos? Where are they now?2. Intro to adaptation to the environment and evolution	<ol style="list-style-type: none">A. Dino fossil digging group excavation game +\$80 2 xl blocks for XL groupB. Dino fossil digging solo excavation gameC. Fossil making! clay pressing mold making activity	★ Meet Mushu the giant red Iguana!Picture Card day!*

<u>WILD critters</u>	1. Basic animal groups: Aves, Mammalia, Reptilia... 2. Why is it important not to approach wildlife or intrude on wildlife habitat	A. Hungry Hungry Snakes: Team-based active game B. How to draw a leopard! And pick your own spots. Stickers and drawing activity C. Pop n Catch! relay game	★ Real snake handling! With a master snake handler certificate! With Gizmo the small kingsnake And Picture Card Day!*
<u>Birds, flight & eggs</u>	1. All about birds! Some cool local birds you may see Bird homes and nests! 2. What birds eat and all about the food groups	A. Bird glider building game with balsa wood + coloring the feathers B. Birdhouse building and decorating! Or mini birdhouse C. Egg surprise! Egg hatching game! Egg and toy excavation game	★ Meet Pixie the pet Modena Dove/Pigeon Picture Card Day!*
<u>What do animals eat?</u>	1. Food groups intro to food web 2. Types of digestive eaters (herbivore vs omnivore vs carnivore)	A. Food hunt! Find your food in the sensory bin game! The group with the most food wins! B. SShhhhh steal the egg group game	★ Meet and feed 2 rats named Sugar & Spice. Picture Card Day!* AVAILABLE SOON

<u>Amphibians!</u>	<p>1. What is an amphibian? Types of amphibians, cool and local</p> <p>2. The frog life cycle! With toys!</p>	<p>A. SPROING sticky frog and gecko board-throw game - win a toy frog!</p> <p>B. Slime making! - make your own slimy frog goo to take home in a jar! (foodgrade safe slime making activity)</p>	<p>★ Meet a real giant African bullfrog named Reuben. Picture Card Day!*</p>
<u>Reptiles!</u>	<p>1. What is a reptile? Types of reptiles , cool and local</p> <p>2. shedding skin! Why? touch real snake skin ! Reptiles survival mechanisms</p>	<p>A. Make your own reptile decoration for your guardian's keys! Key chain charm making and shrink-a-dink acrylic keychain making activity</p> <p>B. Sticky geckos throwing game! Circles on the walls, kids must aim their sticky geckos at for points</p>	<p>★ Meet Ghost, a large cornsnake. Picture Card Day!*</p>
<u>ZOO animals!</u>	<p>1. What are zoo animals? Why do we have zoos?</p> <p>2. Should we have zoos? Types of zoos</p>	<p>A. Build your own zoo enrichment for your choice of ecomuseum, Curious Critters or biodome animal!</p> <p>B. Tiger activity with water color</p>	<p>★ Meet 2 sister guinea pigs, Gillette and Toupee picture card Pay!*</p>

<p><u>Wild wet watersheds!</u></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All about aquatic ecosystems and Aquatic animals cool and local 2. What is clean water vs polluted water? How nature filters water. What does that do to the animals? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Turtle hat crafting activity! B. Build our own water systems! Large flat bin water sensory game 	<p>★ Meet a Turtle named Dawg wearing your hat for Picture Card day!*</p>
<p><u>My favorite animal!</u></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. My favourite animals presentation and Introduction of biodiversity 2. Animal roles “jobs” in nature and in society! 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Canvas bag painting activity! Choose your favourite animal or animal print bag and color it in! B. Or choose a blank canvas bag follow along the instructions to draw your own favourite animal or have the animator draw your favourite animal for you to color! 	<p>★ FAVOURITE ANIMAL OF CHOICE</p>
<p><u>Under the sea!</u></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. SEA fish and marine creatures Fish are friends too! Empathy and food webs 2. Water environmental protection and ocean life preservation 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Fishing game! Water and item catch game with points B. Build and design your own aquarium box craft game! C. Make your fish for your aquarium craft! Oven-dry clay and paint 	<p>★ Meet a Giant Land crab named Tank picture card day!* AVAILABLE SOON</p>

		guided craft	
<u>Pet day!</u>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Types of pets, why we have pets, and why not to have a petLearn how to care for animals yourself. 2. When it's right to have a pet, Responsible pet choosing and care emphasize on NOT wanting a pet for entertainment 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Draw your pet individual guided how-to draw guide, and an information sheet, activity for a coupon! B. Make a pet! Oven-dry clay activity with a bed basket craft activity. 	<p>★ Meet Local Puppies! Picture Card Day!*(ONLY FOR ELEMENTARY CLASSES OVER 20)</p> <p>OR</p> <p>★ Snake, Guinea Pigs & Bunny</p>
<u>Curious crawlies!</u>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bugs! Why are they important? Focus on foodweb and empathy 2. Ants! And the importance of teamwork for a happy community 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Build a bug! Craft activity: pick out of 5 general bug designs, but get creative! Foam ball, paper, felt, and pipecleaner craft B. ANTS! Teams game where students in 3-4 teams will make a relay to pass the 'sugar cubes' with 'pincers' to the 'ant hill'. When the music stops, the ant hill with the most sugar wins! 	<p>★ Meet a real tarantula! Picture card day!*, friendly, calm, and trained animator pet tarantula named Cupcake</p>

15-minute cleanup time max class size 26

*green highlight means Prize Counter Day!