

Zoo on Wheels Birthday Itinerary

Ages 4-11pm, 1.5 hour long party

Educators arrive 15-20 minutes before your party time to introduce themselves to the birthday child, set up and secure animals in the quiet room.

Facepainting:

Upon arrival, guests are invited to have their faces painted by our traveling naturalist. Guests will choose a design from our sample sheet. All face paints are easily removed with soap and water.

Zoo Games and Songs:

Zoo educators dive into their bag of tricks and engage children in Zoo songs, games and interactive activities. Since this is a transition activity between facepainting and animal presentation, specific games will vary depending on time, space and age of children.

Birthday Present:

Educators bring up the birthday child for their very own birthday present from their friends at the Philadelphia Zoo. This cotton Zoo on Wheels graphic T is available in youth and adult sizes. Additional shirts may be purchased in advance for \$10 each. Additional gifts may be purchased through the zoo's retail shop online.

Animal presentation:

The highlight of your Zoo on Wheels birthday! Four live animals, artifacts and a lively presentation.

Craft Activity: Each child will make a take home critter craft from model magic.

Goodbyes:

Educators will give party bags to the host and also settle any additional paperwork, payment for additional guests, etc.

**We recommend that if you are providing birthday cake or food for your guests, to do this after the craft activity.*

All Parties include a gift for the birthday boy or girl, party bag with a zoo ticket for each guest and of course, lots of fun!

Baby Birthday Itinerary

Ages 1-3, 1 hour long party

Educators arrive 15-20 minutes before your party time to introduce themselves to the birthday child, set up and secure animals in the quiet room.

Animal Sing-along

Toddlers and parents are encouraged to sing animal songs and move like animals with our traveling naturalists.

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Animal presentation

Traveling naturalists share 4 live animals with toddlers in a small group. Toddlers have the opportunity touch animals and animal artifacts. Parents are encouraged to participate in this animal discovery activity.

Critter craft

Specially designed for the under three set! Toddlers and their parents use glue, confetti paper and crayons to create their own critter mask to take home.