

Dear Zoo

Expanding on the classic story through story telling and games

R - Year 1

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the session:

- ✓ **All pupils** will know that zoo animals do not make good pets
- ✓ **Most pupils** will know at least one of the mentioned animals' key features
- ✓ **Some pupils** will remember key aspects of at least one of the animals as to why they would not make a good pet

Session Outline:

The session follows the same format as the Dear Zoo book looking at different animals, which are found at Colchester Zoo. With the use of games and activities, the pupils learn more about the animals and why they would not make good pets. The session ends with a discussion about what characteristics make a good pet, and which animals can be good pets.



Curriculum Links

Reception
Communication and
Language

Understanding the
World

Literacy

Year 1
Science
English