



Remote Learning for Schools & Organizations

Schedule a special live animal program for your students through Zoom and support the SM&NC! These programs will be tailored to your students and curriculum and can be scheduled throughout the week. Choose from one of the topics below or we can create something for your group!

Programs are 40 minutes and will be held through Zoom. Private links will be sent to schedulers for sharing with their students or participants.

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Available programs

Meet the Animals - Get up close and personal with our wide variety of teaching animals! From furry chinchillas to slither snakes to boneless beasts, we'll introduce students to the wonderful world of animals and to the amazing diversity in the animal kingdom.

Nocturnal Animals - Discover the world of nighttime animals and explore how their tools and behaviors help them to do their jobs under the cover of darkness. From excellent hearing to silent flight, we'll explore some of the best nocturnal adaptations and meet some live members of the "night crew."

Animal Adaptations - An introduction to ecological principles using live animals, mounted specimens, and other materials to illustrate the special adaptations, such as hibernation, camouflage, and body structure, that help animals to survive in their environment.

Colors in Nature - Explore the colors of nature's animals as we learn the reasons why animals have different colors on their bodies. Meet animals who use their colors to warn other animals, an animal that changes color depending on its mood, and animals that use their colors to attract other members of their species.

Dinosaur Discovery - Dig into the world of dinosaurs and their modern-day relatives. Discover what we know about dinosaurs that walked here in the region through observing real fossils. Meet some live lizards to learn what they share in common with their prehistoric relatives and discover that our feathered friends share some history with the T-Rex and other dinosaurs.

Animal Classification - Using live animals and artifacts, students will discover how scientists group our vertebrate animals and what characteristics, including body coverings and life cycles, separate mammals, reptiles, fish, amphibians and birds from each other. Meeting live animals from most categories and hands-on activities will bring these characteristics to life.

Endangered Species - Discover the diversity of animal life on our planet and their necessities for survival. Then, explore the reasons why some of this diversity can disappear and learn what extinct, endangered, and threatened mean for a species. Meet live representatives of endangered, threatened, and protected species and discover how we can all be champions for animal diversity on our planet.

Slimy & Scaly - We'll explore the world of reptiles and amphibians as we meet a variety of these creatures from all over the world. Discover the differences and similarities between the two groups, which animal orders belong in each class, and the adaptations that these animals have to survive in their respective habitats.