



Homeschool Academy Information Packet

Fall STEAM Semester

Spend the Fall Semester learning about different components of biological systems. Each month, students will build on prior knowledge to dive deeper into science concepts and make connections to the natural world. Students will use the Zoo as their classroom to learn about species and better understand how they can help save wildlife.

Fall 2019 Dates and Time:

10 a.m. – Noon

September 11, October 9, November 13, December 11

What you need to know:

- Space is limited in the programs, so **only registered students can participate in the class.**
- **1 parent per registered student** and siblings 2 years old and under will be admitted into the Zoo for free while students are in class. ALL additional parents and siblings will be admitted for an **\$10 fee** which **MUST** be purchased at the time of registration. If not purchased at registration, a full price ticket must be purchased at the main gate.
- Programs are designed to meet the needs of the specified age group. To make your child's program a positive experience, we must adhere strictly to these groupings. Requests to put students into older or younger age groups cannot be accommodated.
- Classes vary somewhat in structure, but all include animal encounters, hands-on activities and time in the Zoo. These programs are specifically designed to meet the needs of the home school community. Besides learning important life science concepts, participants can interact with other homeschool students.
- Programs will take place rain or shine. Please dress accordingly.
- This program is not licensed by the State of Georgia.

Directions to Homeschool Academy

- Please plan to check-in your child between 9:45 a.m. and 9:55 a.m. and pick up your child at 12 p.m.
- Check-in and pick-up will occur via the Education Conservation Gate of the Zoo. The Education Conservation Gate is located in the south (right-hand) corner of the Cherokee Avenue parking lot.
- For your child's safety, an adult 18 years old or older, must check-in your child(ren) with Zoo Atlanta staff inside the ARC (Action Resource Center) located inside the Education Conservation gate. Please note that you must park your vehicle and bring the child(ren) to the check-in desk – the Zoo can be very busy on warm, sunny days and the parking lot fills quickly – please plan accordingly.

