School Visits

Booking a school trip to the Zoo:

The Belize Zoo can accommodate a maximum of 4 schools daily. Teachers and Principals are asked to contact the Zoo beforehand to book their trip date, in order to avoid overcrowding and to ensure a more relaxed and enjoyable tour for all involved.

Call us at 822-8000, or email at frontdesk@belizezoo.org.
More than 12,000 students, parents, and teachers from all over Belize visit the Zoo yearly.

The Zoo’s Education Department offers a warm welcome and introductory discussion to visiting schools groups before they venture into the Zoo.

Our discussions vary depending on the age/class levels:

- Animal identification and feeding habits for pre-school and lower division (Primary school)
- Adaptations for middle & upper division (Primary school)
- Ecosystems and Conservation for high school and above

When possible, the introductions are followed by an interactive session with "Balboa," our resident Boa Constrictor.

**School Zoo Tours - Self Guided**

School groups are provided with brochures containing a comprehensive map of the Zoo to explore at their leisure. All exhibits have interpretive signage to help enhance learning while conducting your Zoo tour.

Parents and teachers are expected to supervise their students at all times to ensure safety of both visitors and wildlife in the Zoo.

For guided tours, kindly inquire at the Front Desk.