

Accommodation Request Form



Lincoln Park Zoo wants all guests to have an enjoyable experience at the zoo. To help provide the best experience possible, we ask that guests requesting special accommodations submit a completed Accommodation Request Form. Submission of this information is strictly voluntary. All information contained in this form will be considered confidential. The zoo will do its best to provide the specific accommodation requested. The zoo cannot guarantee that a requested accommodation is available at any specific time. For example, certified ASL interpreters often are not available on short notice. As a result, sufficient advance notice—ideally no less than 14 days—is requested.

Please return your completed Accommodation Request Form by email to guestservices@lpzoo.org, fax to 312-742-7666 or mail to Lincoln Park Zoo, Attn: Guest Services, Chicago, IL 60614. For assistance, please call 312-742-2355.

Guest:

Name _____

Age _____

Responsible Party:

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Email Address _____

Phone Number _____ home work cell

Date of Visit: _____ Time of Arrival: _____

Total Number in Group _____

(maximum of 10 per tour requests)

What specific accommodation(s) are you requesting? Check all that apply.

Please note: all animal programming subject to change or last-minute cancellations based on animal care needs.

- 1.** For guests with service animals, a 30-minute Guided Walk-Through with a volunteer for areas not recommended for service animals. (Please make arrangements for a member of your party to supervise and safeguard your service animal during the walk-through.)
- 2.** For guests who are blind or who have low vision, a 30-minute Guided Sensory Tour of Regenstein African Journey with an educator, which includes an overview of the animals in the building and their many adaptations.

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- 3.** A printed script for seal training and feeding (10:30 a.m. and 2 p.m., April 1–December 31) at the Kovler Sea Lion Pool.
- 4.** A printed script for ape training (1:30 p.m. daily) at Regenstein Center for African Apes.
- 5.** A printed script for cow milking at the Farm-in-the-Zoo. (Please note this program is seasonal.)

All printed scripts are available for pickup at Gateway Pavilion or can be emailed.

- 6.** Early access (15 minutes) to the 11 a.m. Meet An Animal chat at Regenstein Small Mammal-Reptile House.
- 7.** Special welcome at a seal or ape training session.

Name _____ Age _____

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- 8.** American Sign Language Interpretation for a lecture or special event.
- 9.** Real-time captioning for a lecture or special event.
Please provide the name of the lecture or special event:

- 10.** Audio Description Tours for people who are blind or have low vision can be incorporated into the Guided Sensory Tour or created for any area of the zoo. A minimum of two weeks advance notice is requested.
Please provide the name of the area:

What else can we do to make your visit memorable and meaningful?

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Education Confirmation for Request #2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 by:

Volunteer Confirmation for Request #1 by:

Gateway Confirmation of Request #3, 4, 5, train or carousel tickets & parking accommodations by:

Date Confirmed with Guest: