



Cosley Zoo Junior Zookeeper Application

Applications are due **August 13, 2011**. Applications can be turned in at Cosley Zoo or mailed to: Cosley Zoo • Attn: Education • 1356 Gary Ave. • Wheaton, IL 60187

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Zip Code: _____ Phone: (____) _____ E-mail: _____

Date of birth: ____/____/____ Grade in school as of Sept. 2011: _____ Gender: M F

Have you participated in Cosley Zoo's Junior Zookeeper or Zoo Crew Summer Camp? Y N

Are you a returning member of the Junior Zookeeper program? Y N

Have you applied to the Junior Zookeeper program before? Y N

I have read and understand the commitment of the JZ program as described on the Junior Zookeeper webpage (www.cosleyzoo.org)? *Please note changes from previous years* Y N

Depending on the number of Junior Zookeeper program applicants, we may hold casual group interviews. Please check any of the following interview times you would be able to attend.

August 27th: __ 10–10:30 __ 11–11:30 __ 12–12:30
September 3rd: __ 10–10:30 __ 11–11:30 __ 12–12:30

All accepted applicants will be notified by September 15th and must attend an orientation session. Please check any of the following sessions you could attend. Parents/guardians are strongly encouraged to attend as well.

__ Saturday, September 17, 9:30 am–11:00 am
__ Saturday, September 24, 1:00 pm–2:30 pm

Please answer the following short-answer questions on a separate sheet of paper.

1. In the year 2050, a movie is being made of your life. Please tell us the name of your movie and briefly summarize the story line.
2. What are your strengths when you're working in a team?
3. What are you interested in learning about?
4. If you could create your own fieldtrip where would you go and what would you do?
5. If your room, computer or cell phone could talk, how would it describe you?
6. What do you hope to gain by being a part of the Junior Zookeeper program?
7. How did you hear about the Junior Zookeeper program?

Signature of applicant

Signature of applicant's parent/guardian