# **Career Expedition**

Grade Levels: 7th and up Time: 60 minutes

Working in and around the Zoo can be a rewarding experience. From Animal Care professionals to Horticulture, they all play an important role to ensure the wellbeing of the animals.

#### **Florida Standards:**

SS.8.FL.1.1, SS.8.FL.1.2, SS.912.FL.2.1, SS.912.FL.2.3

## **Science Practices Utilized:**

Raise questions investigate through exploration and observation, and generate explanations.

#### **Program Expectations:**

This program will be modified to meet your grade level expectations.

This program is an outdoor staff-led exploration. The program will not be available during March or April. **Concept:** Animal husbandry, Training, and Veterinary Care in Zoos.

**Objectives:** Students will learn a variety of careers existing within and outside of the Zoo community. Every job has a purpose and every purpose is important. Many zoos are nonprofit organizations that rely on community support and non-animal professionals to ensure we operate in a financially sustainable manner.

## **Planning Your Reservation**

- Groups must register 3 WEEKS IN ADVANCE
- Programs require a MINIMUM OF 15 PEOPLE.
- Registration fills up quickly. PLEASE REGISTER EARLY.

