



Helen Woodward Animal Center

Critter CAMP

- Providing an opportunity for children to interact with and learn about the animals that share our world.
- Hands-on animal encounters, fun activities and crafts.

Sign up for a day or two, or the whole week!

APRIL CAMP 2012 • April 2-13 • For Grades Pre-K to 5

MONDAY • Backyard Babies

It's a zoo out there! Where do all the animals that explore your backyard come from? Come learn about the unique adaptations of the great treasures that romp and roam throughout your backyard.

Campers will meet: a dove, a boa, a bunny, a frog and a dog

TUESDAY • Rise and Shine

After months of restful sleep, hibernation is over and many animals are poking their heads out to welcome a new year. Come welcome the New Year with animals that can bear the cold winter months and learn how some sleep for so long and some stay toasty warm in the freezing temperatures.

Campers will meet: a turtle, a cockroach, cats and dogs from our Adoptions department and sheep

WEDNESDAY • Where the Wild Things Live

Explore and discover different animals' homes in various habitats. From the top peak of the mountains to the low depths of the ocean, your camper will learn new and exciting diversities of the animal kingdom.

Campers will meet: a goat, fish, a parrot, a gecko and a guinea pig

THURSDAY • It's a Bug's World

Bugs have a very important role in the world. These high flying and low crawling animals have an amazing story to tell. Come learn from a variety of animals about how bugs live and eat as well as what a bug's role is for other animals' daily survival in our world!

Campers will meet: walking sticks, a hermit crab, a bearded dragon, a cockatiel and a cat

FRIDAY • Down Home Cookin'

Does the smell of pancakes and eggs wake you up in the morning? Come find out what gets different animals to their 'dinner table.' Who eats what? How does it help them grow? What can animals eat and not eat? These are all things that your camper will learn and discover when meeting some of our exotic animal friends!

Campers will meet: a skink, a dog, a miniature horse, a tortoise and a snake

When is April Critter Camp?

- April 2-13, for grades Pre-K to 5

CAMP HOURS:

- Pre-K (*children must be at least 4*): 9a.m. to 1p.m.
- Grades K to 5: 9a.m. to 3p.m.

OPTIONAL EXTENDED CARE (*excluding late pickup for Pre-K*): \$15/day. First drop off 8a.m. / Latest pickup 5p.m.

What is the cost?

- Pre-K (*children must be at least 4*): \$40/day or \$180/week*

- Grades K to 5: \$55/day or \$245/week*

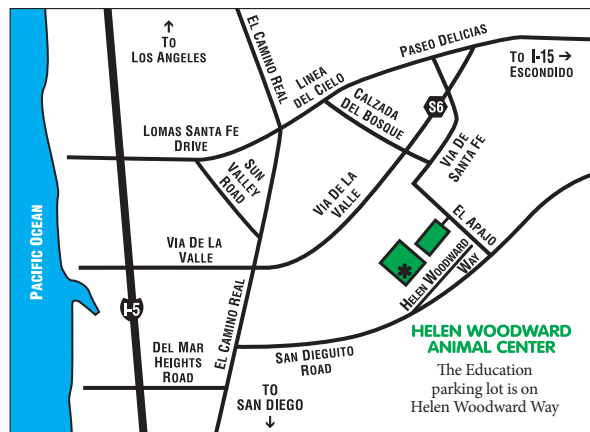
*Scholarships available.

- All fees must be paid at time of registration.
- Registration form and more information are available at animalcenter.org/education

How is the camp organized?

- Class size is limited to 15 children.
- Each group is led by a specially trained educator and two assistants, providing a 5 to 1 ratio.
- We place children in groups based on their grade level.
- All children need to bring a sack lunch* as well as a light snack and a bottle of water to camp each day.

*Lunch may be purchased through our Critter Camp lunch program.



Please note: Activities are age specific. Animal interaction is dependent upon animal health on a day-to-day basis.