

ZOO CREW 2019 CELL PHONE POLICY

To encourage a holistic experiential learning environment, cell phones will no longer be permitted during Zoo Crew hours. Zoo Crew are not permitted to have a cell phone on their person inside the Zoo at any time. Cell Phones must be left with their belongings inside the administration building if they do so desire, they may also keep their phone in a locked box stored in Critter Outpost where they can retrieve it at the end of the day.

If a parent or guardian needs to reach their Zoo Crew they may call the Zoo's main phone line at: 402-475-6741. The main phone line is staffed 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Zoo Crew are permitted to use the phones inside the Zoo at any time. A Zoo Crew will never be denied the opportunity to make a phone call to a parent or guardian.

If a Zoo Crew has a health condition that requires they be in constant contact with an adult, radios are available at Critter Outpost. These radios are connected to the Zoo Crew Specialist. Please let the Education Coordinator know if you would like to use an emergency radio during your volunteer hours. As a reminder, Zoo Crew are never more than 30 feet away from a supervising adult during volunteer hours.

This new policy will be strictly enforced. Failure to adhere to this policy will result in immediate dismissal from the Zoo Crew program. No refund will be issued.