



# WELCOME TO BLACKPOOL ZOO

Please note we have over 400 species of animals within the zoo so we have selected some of our most popular to display on the map.

## Animals

- A** Asian Elephant
- B** Gibbon House
- C** African Lion
- D** Amur Tiger
- E** Asian Short Clawed Otter
- F** Giraffe
- G** Brazilian Tapir
- H** Farm Animals
- I** Bornean Orangutan
- J** Western Lowland Gorilla
- K** Magellanic Penguin
- L** Californian Sea Lion
- M** Red Panda
- N** Hartmans Zebra
- O** Ostrich
- P** Carribean Flamingo
- Q** Iberian Wolf
- R** Ring Tailed Lemurs  
& Red Fronted Lemurs
- S** Wallaby
- T** Lorikeet
- U** Aardvark
- V** Meerkat
- W** Capybara & Giant Anteater
- X** Small Primates
- Y** Bactrian Camel
- Z** Sulcata Tortoise

## Facilities

- Toilets & baby changing
- Accessible toilets
- Accessible changing room
- Play area
- First aid
- Train station
- Visitor services
- Gift shop
- Cash machine
- Picnic area
- Accessible picnic bench
- Restaurant /Café
- Refreshment kiosk
- Nature garden

## Sensory & Accessibility Key

- Noisy area**  
On busy days these areas could be especially noisy.
- Smell zone**  
Areas which can have a smell, which is normal for some animal habitats.
- Steep**  
Areas that have a steep ramp.
- Quiet area**  
Areas that have less activity/noise.
- Crowded space/ heavy traffic**  
On busy days this area could be especially crowded.
- Uneven ground**  
Paths which have some uneven ground.



## Helpful Tips

- Most visitors choose to visit Dinosaur Safari and the elephants first, for a quieter route start your visit by heading right from main entrance and visiting our camels.
- When the Lakeview Cafe is busy, try visiting our smaller kiosks for refreshments if you want to avoid crowds (seasonal opening dependent).
- The Dinosaur Safari features an interactive water spraying dinosaur near the entrance, which may splash visitors.
- Our sea lion demonstration can be loud and crowded. We have large windows around the pool where you are welcome to watch from.
- Wheelchairs are available to hire from Visitor Services, this is a free service, but we ask for a £20 deposit.
- We have dedicated disabled parking bays near the entrance to the zoo (please note these are pay & display).



## Visitors' Code

- Keep our animals healthy - please do not feed, taunt or disturb them by banging on the glass of their enclosure.
- Keep your children safe - children 15 years and under must be accompanied by a responsible adult.
- Stick to the paths - do not cross any safety barriers.
- Keep our dinosaurs safe - do not allow children to climb/play on them.
- Keep the zoo tidy - please use the litter bins provided.
- Treat people with respect - we have a zero tolerance policy to verbal abuse.
- Behave responsibly - please report anyone behaving irresponsibly.
- Do not smoke - please be considerate of other visitors around you. Do not smoke in the animal house or in any of our arenas, this includes e-cigarettes.
- Do not feed the seagulls - this encourages them to swoop and steal food.

## Did you know?

- No two tigers have the same stripe pattern, these patterns are found not just on their coats but on their skin as well.
- Elephants' trunks have more than 40,000 muscles.
- A sea lion can hold its breath for about 20 minutes.
- Flamingos hold their bent bills upside down when feeding.
- Female giraffes give birth standing up.
- Ostriches can sprint up to 70 km/hour.
- Orangutans' arms are almost twice as long as their legs.
- Wolf pups are born with blue eyes which turn yellow by the time they are 8 months old.

