

# **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
- African Lion
- D Amur Tiger
- Asian Short Clawed Otter
- Giraffe
- **G** Brazilian Tapir
- H Farm Animals
- Bornean Orangutan
- Western Lowland Gorilla
- Magellanic Penguin
- Californian Sea Lion
- M Red Panda
- N Hartmans Zebra
- Ostrich
- P Carribean Flamingo
- Iberian Wolf
- Ring Tailed Lemurs
- & Red Fronted Lemurs
- **S** Wallaby
- Lorikeet
- U Aardvark
- Meerkat
- W Capybara & Giant Anteater
- X Small Primates
- Y Bactrian Camel
- Z Sulcata Tortoise

#### **Facilities**

toilets & baby changing

CAR PARK

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

## Sensory & Accessibility Key



BASE CAMP

Noisy area On busy days these areas could be especially noisy.



Ouiet area Areas that have less activity/noise.



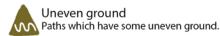
Smell zone Areas which can have a smell, which is normal for some animal habitats.



Crowded space/ heavy traffic On busy days this area could be especially crowded.



Areas that have a steep ramp.



Uneven around

#### **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.