

Jane Goodall Educators Institute Action Plan

Program Title: Jane Goodall's Wild Chimpanzee Teacher Workshop
A collaborative project between a science center, a natural history museum, a local zoo and a zoo that has chimps.

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Program Audience: Teachers

This program will be a 15 hour professional development workshop that will build on a teacher's knowledge of primates, research techniques, conservation issues and Jane Goodall's 40 year study on the chimpanzee communities in Gombe Stream National Park.

Program Goals:

1. To educate teachers about the natural history of primates.
2. To educate about the history of research techniques.
3. To develop awareness of conservation issues locally and globally.
4. To build awareness of Jane Goodall, her research, image and message.
5. To address State and National standards.

Program Components:

1. View movie "Jane Goodall's Wild Chimpanzee's".
2. Lecture from primate research at Carnegie Museum of Natural History on who primates are, history of primates, where primates are found.
3. Previous Primate Research – Jane Goodall, Leakeys, etc.
4. Current Primate Research – who does it, where is it being done, what is being studied?
Bring in Elizabeth or connect via distance learning.
5. Visit to local zoo to observe primates.
6. Web cam to Kansas City Zoo to see chimpanzees and talk with primate keeper.
7. Conservation Issues locals and global: Roots & Shoots, Jane Goodall Institute, Zoo, local environmental groups.
8. Resource Book

Implementation Procedure:

1. Schedule Imax movie
2. Contact external contacts for collaboration
3. Meet with internal contacts for to discuss plan
4. Schedule specific speakers
5. Develop lesson plan
6. Gather resources
7. Hold workshop

Internal Contacts:

Marketing Department
Education Department
Imax Department

External Contacts:

Local Zoo
Museum of Natural History
Kansas City Zoo
Local Universities

Venue Dates for Jane Goodall's Wild Chimpanzees:

Spring 2003 through Fall 2003

Timeline for Planning and Implementation:

Item	Date
Schedule Imax film	January 2002
Meet with internal contacts to discuss plan	January 2002
Contact external contacts for collaboration	March 2002
Develop Lesson Plan	May/June 2002
Schedule speakers	June 2002
Gather resources	February 2003
Hold workshop	March 2003

Related Programs:

School group visit package that incorporates p.d. workshop, film and exhibits.