



ROUTE 1

SCHOOL
GAMES

THE PAIGNTON ZOO CHALLENGE!

Can you work together as a team to successfully make it across the zoo, following the rules and answering the questions, set out below?

Your challenge!

Your team must get from here (Matobo Base Camp), to Lemur Wood. But to get to the lemurs, you must cross a series of checkpoints and find the answers to the questions along the way!

The rules:

You must...

- Complete the checkpoints in the order given.
- Work together as a team to plan your route carefully as **you are not permitted to use the same path twice!**
- Provide evidence that you have reached each checkpoint (e.g. photographs).
- Write down your answers to the bonus questions (answers can be found on your way to the next checkpoint).
- Write down the names of **every endangered or critically endangered animal** you pass whilst completing your challenge today.
- You must not run!



Your route (starting at Matobo Base Camp):

- **Bonus question:** What does the Red River Hog love to do?

Checkpoint 1: Giraffes

- **Bonus question:** Cheetah's can run at speeds of mph.
- **Bonus question:** Does the Maned Wolf like to spend time alone and in pairs, or in a big pack?
- **Bonus question:** An exoskeleton is a hard covering that supports and protects the bodies of some types of animals and is a key feature of arthropods, a category of animal that includes insects. The **Giant F _ _ _ _ Beetle** is one example. Bugs at Home may be able to help you....
- **Bonus question:** How endangered are Black Rhinos and where do they live in the wild?
- **Bonus question:** Find the Dik Dik (which is not listed on the map!) and take a team selfie outside of its enclosure when you do! (If you reach the Baboons, you've gone too far!)

Checkpoint 2: Giant Tortoise

- **Bonus question:** What are Gibbons classified as?

Checkpoint 3: Tigers

- **Bonus question:** How high can a Cassowary jump straight up in the air?
- **Bonus question:** What animal has the same name as a type of drum? Can you find it?
- **Bonus question:** Find the Binturong (which is not listed on the map!) and try to find a member of staff to ask them what a Binturong's wee smells of! (If you've reached the Ape Centre, you've gone too far!)





Checkpoint 4: Ape Centre

- **Bonus question:** What is one of the biggest threats to wild Orangutans?

Checkpoint 5 (final location!): Lemur Wood

- **Bonus question:** Find the wobbly bridge and take a celebratory team photo – you did it!
- **Bonus question: *NOTE: From now on, you are allowed to walk on any path!*** The Fire Fox has another, well-known name. Head to the north-west corner of the zoo to find out its name and see if you can spot it - you might have to look up!

Your final challenge!

Make your way back to the Matobo Base Camp to watch a video about endangered animals.

Then;

- Discuss with your team the video you have just watched - how did it make you feel?
- Each share one thing you learnt from watching the video.
- Together, discuss what humans can do to help endangered animals. Write as many things as you can down.
- Make a pledge! Make a promise to yourself to do one thing that will help the future of endangered animals. Write your pledge on the back of your certificate and take it home with you.

Don't forget to use your reward voucher! It can be exchanged for either an ice cream or hot chocolate from the Island Restaurant or Lakeside Kiosk which both close at 3.30pm. Enjoy, and well done!

