Objectives:

- To understand the practical, daily workings of Logan’s Willow Park Zoo, as well as the general cadence of animal life at the zoo.
- To create an informal educational module utilizing my research and experiences at the zoo.

What Did I Do?

- First, I assessed zoo exhibits and animal life, and I entered into the daily experiences common to zoo workers by helping as an intern.
- Second, I researched select zoo animals in depth at home.
- Finally, I created an informal educational module for children utilizing my research and hands-on zoo knowledge.

Educational Module Details:

- Animal story format with accompanying worksheet
- At-home worksheet/module to be utilized by parents.
- One module for each month the zoo is open.
- Printable modules published online for easy access by families.
- Coordinated with Logan Library to recommend further readings.
- Module worksheets include questions to be answered at zoo, encouraging zoo visits.
- Small prizes awarded at zoo for completed worksheets.

Modules: