

Classroom zoo student reflection

Samples of student responses are in italics

1. What did you learn about experimenting on animals?

Animals need to be cared for as much as people even if they are just worms.

It is hard to predict how an animal will behave. They don't always do what you expect so you have to change how you do things.

2. What did you learn about regulations on animal experimentation?

I learned that it is not easy to write procedures and that it is important to be clear about what needs to be done.

I learned that there is a lot to consider to do experiments on animals which is a good thing to protect animals.

3. What was your favorite experience about the project?

I liked learning about my animal. They are really amazing.

I liked experimenting on my animal because it was fun to see what they did.

4. What was your least favorite?

I did not like it when one of my animals died. I was very sad.

Working in groups was difficult because some of the members were absent a lot.

5. What might you suggest to improve the project?

I would like more time to conduct my experiment. Is it possible to do the experiment again?

6. Share your thoughts about this project

I learned a lot about researching on animals. I had no idea how important this is for scientist to know.