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3rd Grade



Phenomenon to Explore: Humans can be found all across the world. Different types of animals, however, are found in specific areas. Why can't any animal be found in any place? As you visit the animals, answer the questions below to investigate this phenomenon.

1. In small groups, work together to identify the type of information you need to answer this question. List that information below. Hint: What do animals need to survive?

2. Of this information needed, which one(s) can be investigated at Sunset Zoo? List them below.

DID YOU KNOW: Sunset Zoo takes into consideration what part of the world an animal is from in the wild before acquiring that type of animal from another zoo for exhibit in Kansas.

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3. Make a table below to help you collect that information.

4. Based on the data you gathered above, why do you think certain animals are only found in certain areas of the world.

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