

Anticipation-Reaction Guide

The Future of Zoos by Anastasia

Statement	Agree	Disagree	Reader's Perspective Before Reading	Text Evidence (page #)	Agree	Disagree	Reader's Perspective After Reading
Keeping animals in zoos is inhumane.		X	Zoos take care of and feed animals.	Zoos have changed how they treat wildlife. They have made better enclosures. They save endangered species, use research money to protect animals, and teach visitors about zoo animals. P. 11-12 Enclosures are just big cages. Animals suffer from anxiety, boredom, and stress. p. 14	X		Even though zoos take care of animals, the article talked about how animals can still suffer.
Zoos have successfully protected endangered animals.	X		Zoos keep animals alive and safe from becoming extinct.	Zoos study animals to protect them (ex: vaccines). Zoos breed endangered animals and return to wild (ex: black-footed ferret, red wolf). p.12 Zoos only sustain zoo populations and successful breeding of endangered animals is rare. No natural environment to return to. p.13	X		Preventing extinction is much more complicated and zoos don't address all the issues.
Zoos play an important role in animal conservation		X	Zoos remove animals from the wild so they are not helping animal conservation.	Zoos are now embracing <u>conservation</u> . p.11 The AZA helps coordinate zoos' efforts to protect more than 500 species, including endangered animals. Zoos try to release them into the wild to restore populations. p.12 At the National Zoo, research is helping develop a vaccine for a fatal virus that can kill elephants. p.12	X		I read a lot of evidence that zoos are trying to protect endangered species in zoos.

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