

SYLLABUS DESIGN

ANIMAL WELFARE ID - MIDDLE SCHOOL

Course Description : These animal welfare topics are extra courses, meant for High School teachers, who are passionate towards improving the welfare of the animals in Indonesia.

General Objectives : To promote empathy, respect and responsibility among school communities and to build a kinder society for all living beings.

Course Specification:

Core Competencies	Indicator	Activity	Tools/ Media	Evaluation Options
Remembering the five freedoms of the animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identifying the needs of the animals Relating animal welfare issues to five freedoms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group discussion Individual task Presentation Documentation Writing Role play Project creation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Power point presentation Pictures Videos Worksheet Google 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Observation of class (to assess the level of curiosity; understanding from their confidence in answering questions; body language; how long they are paying attention; etc) Observing their solutions and towards animal welfare issues to assess their interest Follow up questions about their improved daily habits by giving some questions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Did you see any
Understanding the quality of life of animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Comparing between animals in circus/ zoos and animals in their habitat Classifying the habitat of each animals shown (cattle, wild, domestic) 			

Applying the importance of animal health care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Illustrating the best variety of food for pets • Interviewing vets about animal health 		stray animals today? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What did you do? • What did your pets do yesterday? • Did you see the news about (name any animals that appear)? *this is to see their concern on any viral videos about animals circulating in the media*
Analyzing the importance of five freedoms of animals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlighting the 5 freedoms that are abused the most • Illustrating the life of dancing monkey in a form of comic 		
Evaluating animal welfare around us	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Composing a conversation between animals based on a picture • Planning a weekly activity for pets 		
Creating a more conscious environment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adapting an act of kindness to animals into your daily habits 		

TIP: This syllabus is an example on how to deliver the animal welfare education in the classroom. Do not be afraid to develop the syllabus into many other topics, which you may be able to find around you. The animal welfare course can be taught separately or be synchronised with primary lessons if possible. Start the first discussion by looking at the most relatable event such as stray animals around the school, circulating animal videos on social media, or the news. Remember, you are the teacher; you know the best topic for your students and you can improve the life of the animals for a better generation, **TOGETHER!**