ANIMAL GUARDIANS

A programme designed to nurture children's empathy and compassionate behaviour towards animals







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Scottish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Scottish Charity No. SC 006467

WHAT IS ANIMAL GUARDIANS?

Animal Guardians is a free one-to-one education programme suitable for three to 16 year olds. Together with our youth engagement officer, the child will engage in a range of games and activities to help them learn about animal emotions, what animals need to keep them healthy and happy, and how to be responsible when around animals.

If you would like to know if your own child or a young person you work with would benefit from this programme or have any concerns about their behaviour towards animals, please phone for guidance on 03000 999 999, option five or email animalguardians@scottishspca.org.

WHO CAN REFER?

A child can be referred by anyone who is in a position of care for that young person.

This includes:

- Parents, other relatives or carers
 - Teachers
- · Childcare and health professionals
- Charitable organisations working with children

HOW DO YOU REFER?

- 1. Complete the consent and referral forms found on our website scottishspca.org/education/animal-guardians.
- 2. Email the forms to **animalguardians@scottishspca.org** or submit by post to the Scottish SPCA.
- 3. One of the Scottish SPCA's youth engagement officers will then be in touch to discuss the referral in more detail.



