

Read through the resource below, which provides information about Chester Zoo, including the running costs. How do we feel about this issue?

There are 35,000 animals at Chester Zoo!



Not being able to open, despite being a huge outdoor site with all the necessary safety measures in place, is having a devastating impact on the future survival of this much-loved charity zoo.



Source: Chester Zoo Facebook

There are many ways the zoo has suggested people can help, found on their website, including:

- Texting to donate;
- Adopting an animal;
- Buying a gift ticket for future visits;
- Suggesting fundraising ideas for people to complete at home to raise money.

CHESTER ZOO

Chester Zoo has been bringing the zoo into people's homes by offering a virtual zoo experience via streaming live footage of different animals!

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97% of the zoo's income comes from the visitors. It costs nearly £1.6 million a month to look after all of the animals and plants.