



POSITION DESCRIPTION: MATERNITY COVER - FULL-TIME EXOTICS ZOOKEEPER

Mogo Wildlife Park is a privately-owned Zoo that is based on the South Coast of New South Wales. The Zoo has an array of exotic animals such as large carnivores, small carnivores, primates and ungulates. We are seeking a dedicated and experienced zookeeper to join our team on a **full-time maternity cover basis, with potential for extension**. The role involves providing high-quality animal care, maintaining safe and enriched habitats, browse cutting and supporting the health and wellbeing of our animals. The successful candidate should have a sound knowledge on training and conditioning, a passion for enrichment as well as good presentation skills as there will be animal encounters featured in their daily round. A cert III in animal studies or a similar qualification would be desirable. The position will require you to work weekends with days off during the week.

Position Type: Full time 38 hours

Essential criteria:

Attained or studying towards Certificate III in Wildlife and Exhibited Animal Care or equivalent
Minimum 2 years' experience in a zoological institution, advanced avicultural experience also considered.
Must be willing to work weekends, weekdays and public holidays.
Flexibility required to work outside normal hours when required;
Must be able to stand / walk for long periods, able to lift up to 15kg and carry out duties in adverse weather conditions.
Energetic and polished presentation skills.

Desirable criteria:

Recognition or active contribution in relevant areas of interest, writing, society/group member,
Minimum 2 years' experience working with Taxon currently housed at Mogo Wildlife Park.
Experience in the field,
Experience in record keeping,
Current Drivers Licence,
First Aid certificate; and
Positive, flexible attitude for day-to-day duties

Mogo Wildlife Park is an equal opportunity employer, and consideration will be given to all applicants however due to a high number of submittals, only those progressing to an interview stage will be contacted.

For more information about Mogo Wildlife Park visit www.mogowildlife.com.au

If your skills and experience meet the essential and desirable criteria, we encourage you to apply by sending your resume and application letter to Curator@mogozoo.com.au. Applications close on the **27th March 2026**. If you do not hear from us within two weeks of the closure date you have been unsuccessful in being shorted listed.