

InstructionLive Animals in the Classroom

Animals may be brought into the classroom for educational purposes with the permission of the building principal or his/her designee. However, they must be appropriately housed, humanely cared for, properly handled, and inoculated against disease. Guidelines, as established by the American Humane Association, "Care and Management of Animal Visitors at School," will be made available in every school office and media center and these guidelines are to be adhered to by classroom teachers wishing to have animals in the classroom.

No live animals should be used as a school mascot.

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