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"The Zoo" Writing Practice – Finish the Story (5)

Directions: Read the story below. Then finish it with your own writing.

Today I am going on a class field trip to the zoo. I have never been to the zoo before and I am excited to see all of the animals. My teacher says that it is going to be a busy day. We have been learning about animals in class. My favorite animal is the elephant. I hope that I get to see one.

We are boarding the bus. I sit in the back of the bus with my friends. The ride is about thirty minutes long. We are walking through the gate. I am in a group with five of my classmates and my teacher. The zoo is very crowded with lots of students from other schools. I hope that I will not get lost from my group.

First, we visit the monkeys. They come to the edge of their cages and look at us. The monkeys have a lot of trees to climb on in their cages. One monkey is eating a banana. They look like they are having a lot of fun. I wonder what it would be like to play with them.

Next, we visit the polar bears. They live in an area that has a lot of big rocks and a pond. Most of them are sleeping right now. The polar bears are a lot bigger than I imagined them being!

My teacher says that we are going to see the elephants now. We walk for a long time until we finally get to a big field. I can see the elephants in the distance! There are two big elephants and one baby. They are starting to walk in our direction. Maybe I will get a closer look at them.