

We're all goin' to the zoo...

✘ Here are our tips:-

First tip is to get a membership rather than buying a day ticket.

On the Edinburgh Zoo website the membership prices are for example £90 for a couple or £40 for a student. This entitles you to endless free entry to the Zoo and also to the Highland Wildlife Park. The daily price for an adult is £15.50, so if you plan to go three times a year then it is possibly better value to have a membership. (There are also family ticket discounts available which would have to be weighed up against membership.)

Second tip is to take a picnic with you. There are several cafes and a restaurant at the zoo, including one in the [Mansion House](#) which offers afternoon tea for two for £16. If the weather is decent however you can eat al fresco – as long as you don't try to feed the leftovers to the animals!

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Third tip is to go on the bus which stops just outside the zoo. Easier than getting to and from the car park which costs £3.50 and more environmentally friendly. If you live outside the city then get the Park and Ride from Ingliston. Or if you travel by train there is a scheme to get [free children's tickets](#) under their Kids Go Free arrangement. More details about transport available [here](#).

Also you can download a free map of the zoo [here](#)