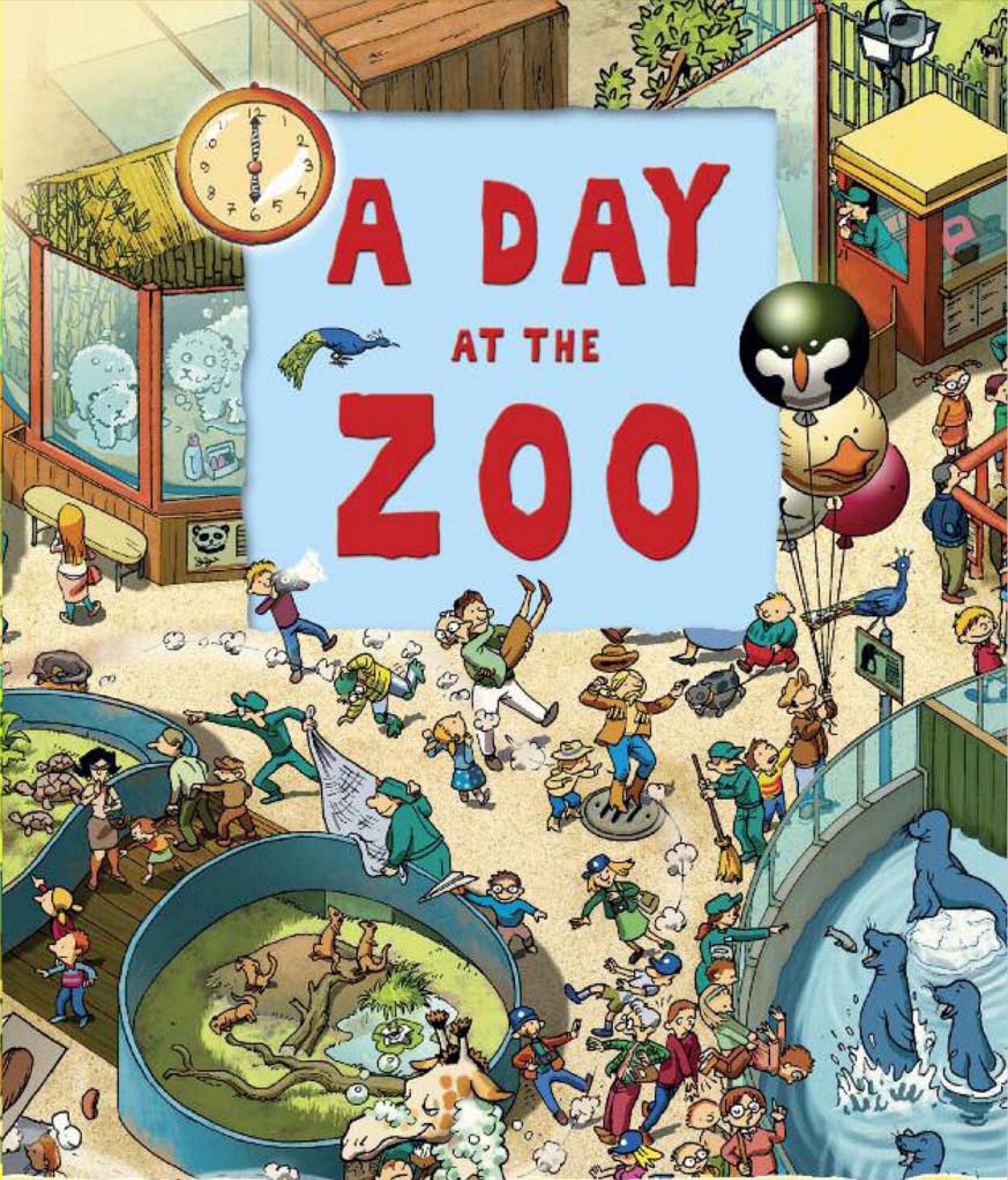




# A DAY AT THE ZOO



hundreds of things to find!



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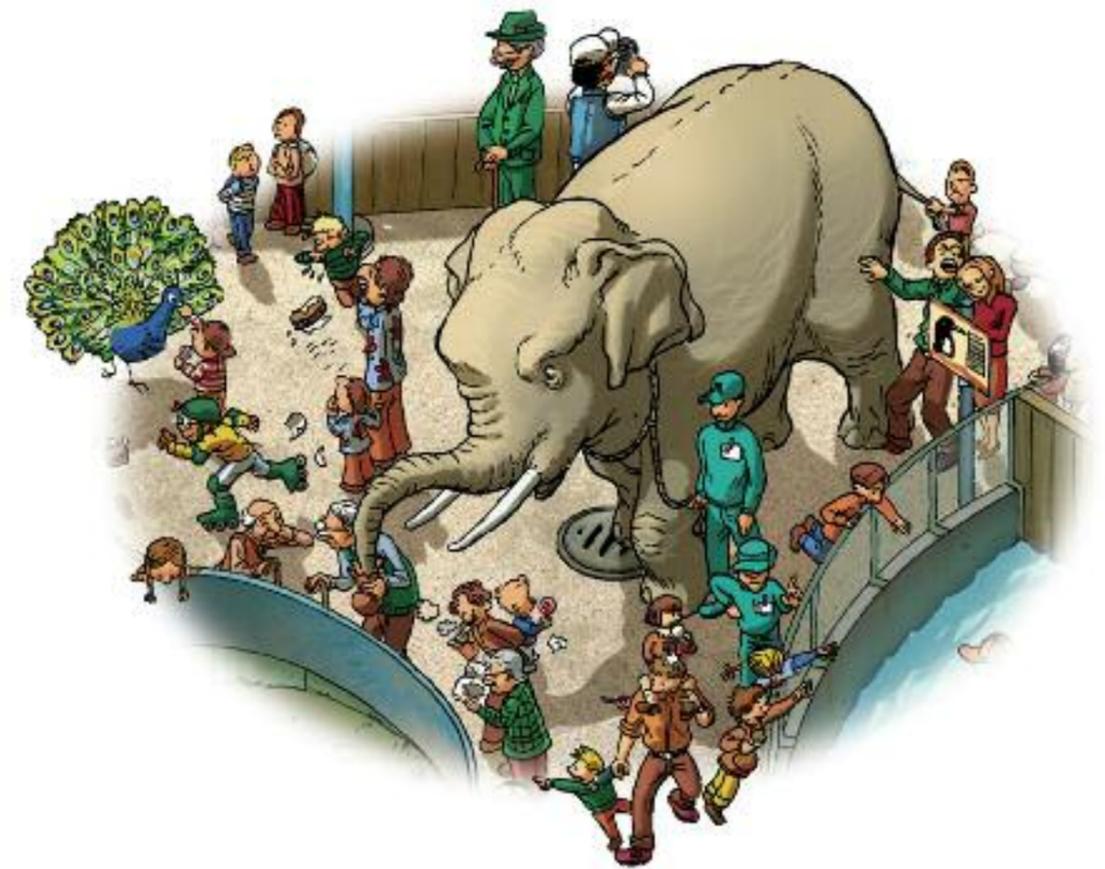
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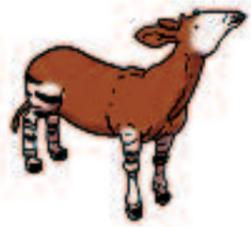
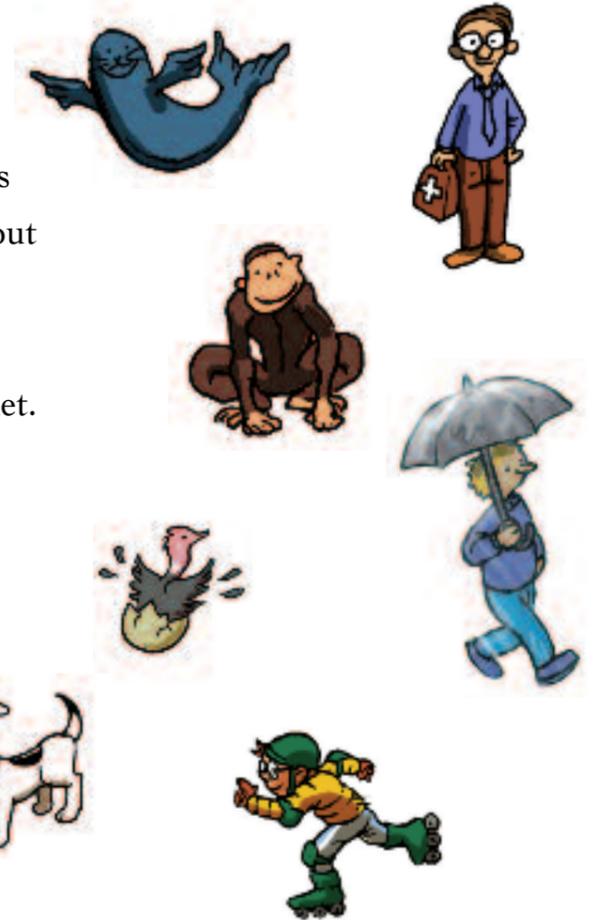
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# Introduction



You can follow all the various comings and goings in the zoo during the course of the day. The clock at the top left-hand corner of each double page is there to tell you what time of day you've reached.

There are some people and animals who appear in every scene. Look out especially for the zookeepers, the two peacocks, the mischievous gibbons and the naughty pickpocket. There is also a tiny lizard hidden somewhere on each page.



**T**HIS IS THE STORY of a day at the zoo. All the illustrations in this book show exactly the same view. But each one shows a different time of day, from early morning to late at night. Lots of things happen during this single day. Some of them are quite unexpected.



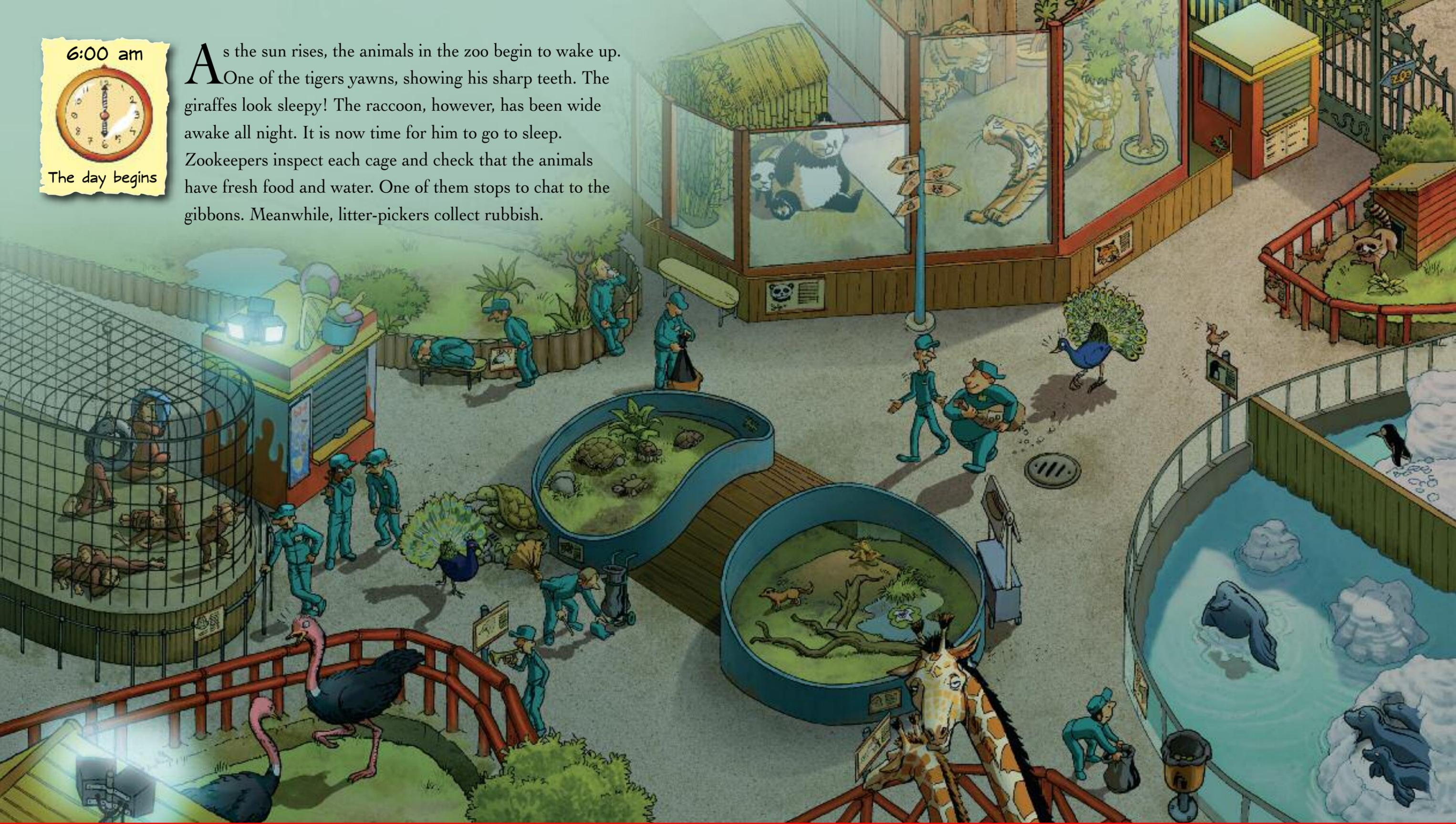
Along the bottom of every scene you will see some little pictures, each with a label to tell you what they are. They can all be found somewhere in the busy scene. But where? That's your job to find them! How many can you spot?

6:00 am



The day begins

As the sun rises, the animals in the zoo begin to wake up. One of the tigers yawns, showing his sharp teeth. The giraffes look sleepy! The raccoon, however, has been wide awake all night. It is now time for him to go to sleep. Zookeepers inspect each cage and check that the animals have fresh food and water. One of them stops to chat to the gibbons. Meanwhile, litter-pickers collect rubbish.



a tortoise in its shell



a bird singing



a sleepy giraffe



a raccoon



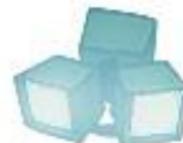
a broom



a startled ostrich



spotlights



a sleeping zookeeper



a closed ticket booth



8:00 am



A new arrival!

It will not be long before the first visitors arrive. The hot-dog seller and the refreshment vendor set up their stands. The ticket seller opens up his kiosk. A vet comes to check on the baby panda. A large van arrives. The animals are very excited. Who could be inside? One of the peacocks tries to catch a glimpse of the new arrival. The ostriches do not like the commotion. They bury their heads in the ground.



a hot-dog stand

a litter bin

a sea lion

meerkats

a tortoise

an icecream

an angry zookeeper

a first aid kit

a shovel

Let's find



10:00 am



The zoo opens

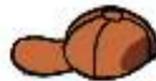
It is mid-morning. The zoo is now open to the public. Everybody is excited about seeing the animals. The tigers are a little too scary for some! The gibbons' antics make everyone laugh. Sally, the friendly elephant, is taken for a walk around the zoo by one of the zookeepers. Several people spot the new animal, an okapi. Some children buy balloons shaped like animal heads.



a baby in a pushchair



a cap



a rollerskater



an okapi



a clumsy zookeeper



a picnic basket



a scared person



a boy on a bike



a greedy bird

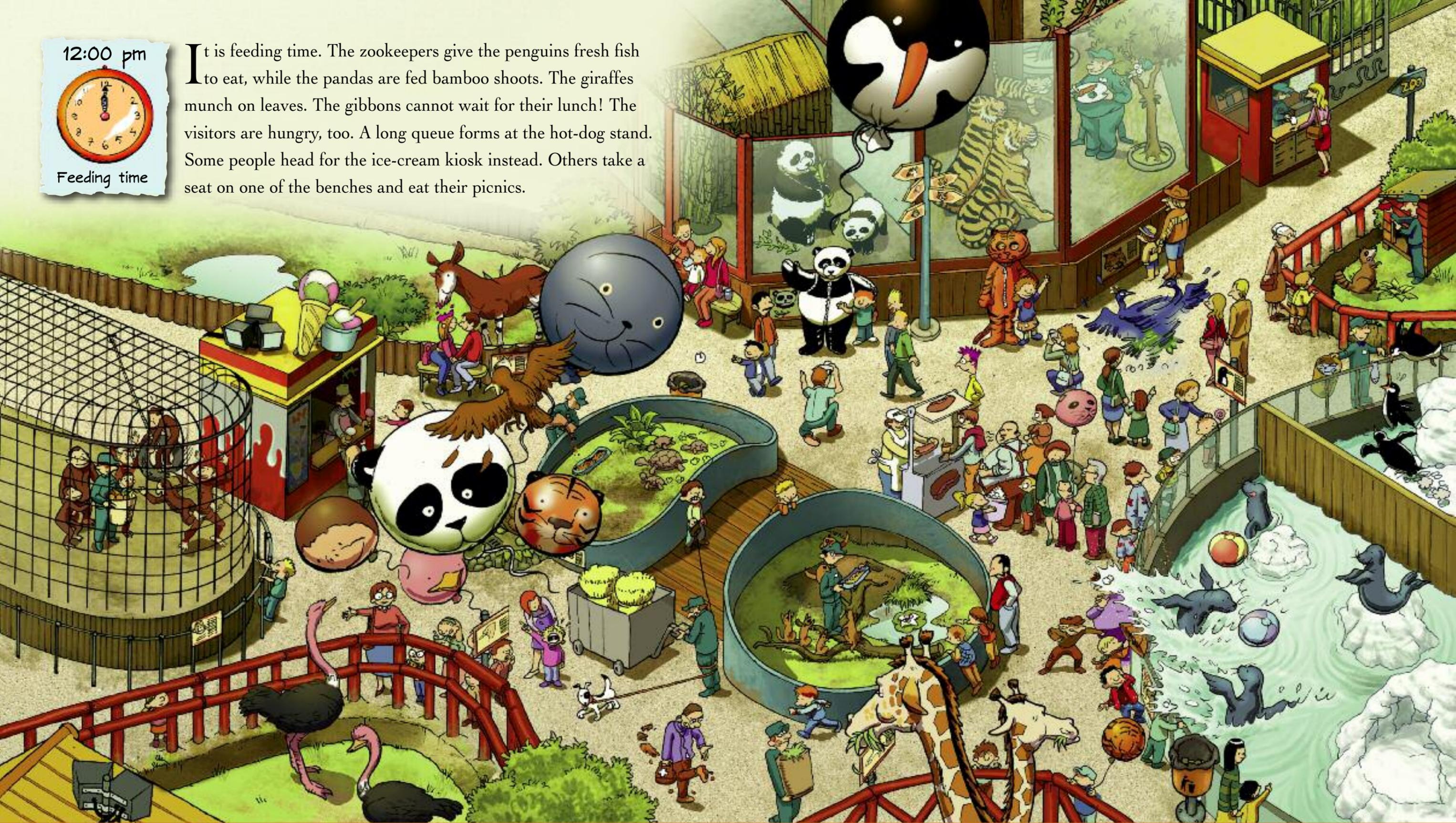


12:00 pm



Feeding time

It is feeding time. The zookeepers give the penguins fresh fish to eat, while the pandas are fed bamboo shoots. The giraffes munch on leaves. The gibbons cannot wait for their lunch! The visitors are hungry, too. A long queue forms at the hot-dog stand. Some people head for the ice-cream kiosk instead. Others take a seat on one of the benches and eat their picnics.



leaves for the giraffes



a couple



a ball



a panda



a dog



a mascot



a man feeding the penguins



a girl with an icecream



fighting peacocks



2:00 pm



Escape!

One of the gibbons has escaped! A zookeeper must have left their cage door open. A mischievous gibbon dashes around, sending visitors and hot-dogs flying. The zookeepers quickly grab nets and try to catch him. Meanwhile, the vet continues on his rounds. The giraffes and the pandas receive their weekly wash. Can you spot that bad pickpocket stealing someone's wallet?



an escaped gibbon



a boy about to fall in



a soapy giraffe



some balloons



a man with a map



a leaping penguin



a vet



a pickpocket



a dog and its owner



3:30 pm



A TV crew

The zookeepers try hard to capture the escaped gibbon, but he does not want to return to his cage. Soon, a TV crew arrives to report on the exciting event. A reporter interviews the hot-dog seller to find out exactly what happened. Photographers take pictures of the other gibbons. A snake-handler shows the visitors one of his pythons. They are allowed to hold it – if they feel brave enough.



security guards

a python

a gull

a diver

a broom

a baby ostrich

a tv cameraman

a man asleep

a stolen hat

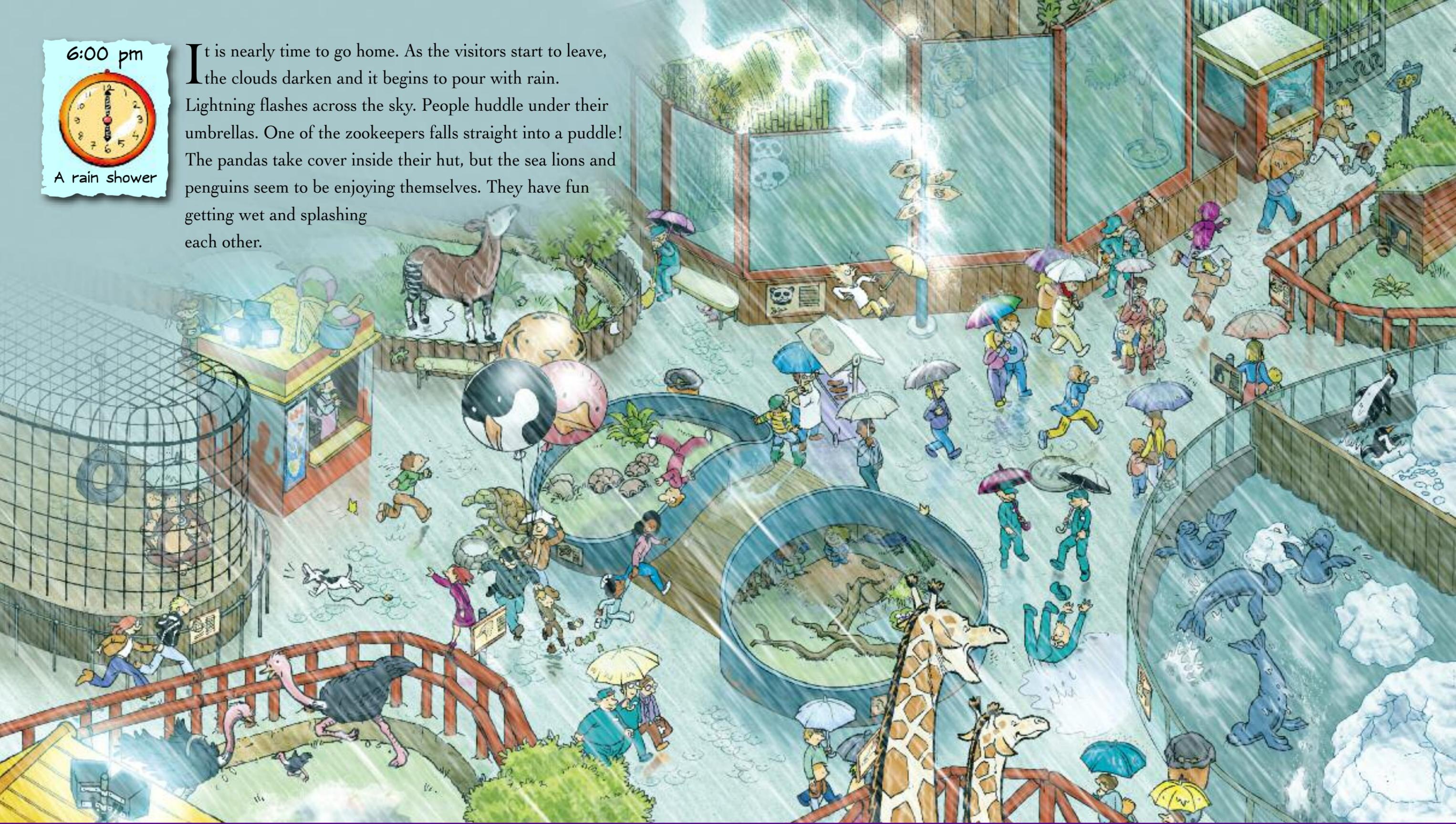


6:00 pm



A rain shower

It is nearly time to go home. As the visitors start to leave, the clouds darken and it begins to pour with rain. Lightning flashes across the sky. People huddle under their umbrellas. One of the zookeepers falls straight into a puddle! The pandas take cover inside their hut, but the sea lions and penguins seem to be enjoying themselves. They have fun getting wet and splashing each other.



a signpost

the pickpocket being arrested



a zookeeper slipping over



a drain



an umbrella



an escaped dog



a boy taking shelter



a rat



people running



9:00 pm



Darkness falls

The zoo is closed for the night. As darkness falls, security guards patrol the grounds. They check that all the cages are locked. One of them finds two naughty schoolchildren hiding in the meerkat enclosure. Their teacher will be very cross with them! The raccoons will stay awake all night. The other animals curl up and go to sleep. It is quiet at last.



Let's find

a torch



a bat



a lizard



a tyre



an owl



a peacock



a ticket officer



a sleeping ostrich



some boys hiding



