

# OBSERVE TO LEARN, LEARN TO CARE



Dr. Jane Goodall is a primatologist and conservationist. She studied chimpanzees in Africa and discovered that they showed many human-like behaviors and could make simple tools with materials from nature. Dr. Goodall travels around the world to help us learn to care about saving animals. She believes in the power of young people to make a difference.

## Animal Saver Vocabulary

**Conservationist:** a person who works to help protect, defend, and save natural resources

**Primatologist:** a scientist who studies non-human primates like monkeys and apes

## Animal Cam Observation

Observing animals helps us learn about them, the threats they face, and the kinds of changes we can make to help protect them. Scientists use cameras, satellite tags, and acoustic sensors to monitor animal movements and sounds. They also use computers and notebooks for notes and sketches. It's your turn to practice animal science by making observations! Complete the chart below as you observe an animal on a live animal cam. When done, draw a picture of the animal on the back of this sheet.

Animal: \_\_\_\_\_ Location of Animal (natural setting or zoo): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Observation #1:	Describe the animal's habitat.	How does the animal move?
Observation #2:	Why do you think the animal is doing what you observe it doing?	What does the animal sound like?
Observation #3:	What are some of the animal's characteristics? (color, fur, feathers, claws, etc.)	What do you wonder about this animal?

Hi. I'm Jane Garcia. I'm on a quest to save the world, one animal at a time! Since animals can't speak for themselves, we have to speak for them. We do that with our words AND our actions. Dr. Jane Goodall has been doing that her whole life. She's my hero!