

Empathy development of children in education for animals

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Abstract: This article is compiled based on the author's speech at the 2024 Nature Education Academic Seminar at Beijing Normal University. The article includes "Basic Information: The relationship between animal content and empathy development", "Phenomenon Observation: How animals are treated in nature education", and "Practical Guide: Application of the Life Care Mental Model Integrated Development Framework in nature education". In combination with the content of the book *Life's Meaning and One Health* with the author as executive editor, the article further elaborates on the thinking on the development of empathy.

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