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## The Zoo Box

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### Abstract

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to reverse roles with zoo animals? This animated comic strip explores that possibility. Meet Erika and Patrick. Their parents are going out for the night and Erika is in charge. Mom has asked them to be in bed on time with the promise of going to the zoo in the morning. Erika and Patrick enjoy playing until they find a box that says "DO NOT OPEN." Of course it must be a fun surprise. . .or is it? Once the box is opened zoo animals start coming out of it! The children find themselves in a zoo where the exhibits are full of people "in their natural habitat." By the time they reach their home again they're not so sure they want to visit the zoo in the morning.

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The Zoo Box will be a terrific introduction to comics for both learning readers and their parents. Buy the eBook. List Price. \$23.34 NZD. Price: \$18.73 NZD. You are in the New Zealand store. The Zoo Box book. When Erika and Patrick's parents leave them home alone for the night, they head straight to the attic to explore. When they open a mysterious box, hundreds of animals come pouring out! Soon the town is awash in more and more zoo animals, until Erika and Patrick discover that the tables have been turned and the animals now run a zoo full of humans! With simple text and bright, graphic art, Ariel Cohn and Aron Neils Steinke have created a gentle, fantastical adventure for the very youngest of readers.