



week

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## learning tools

### song

I Wan'na Be  
Like You  
*Louis Prima*

### movie

Gorillas in the Mist  
*(Starring Sigourney  
Weaver)*

### website

San Diego Zoo:  
Animal Bytes  
<http://www.sandiegozoo.org/animalbytes/a-mammal.html>

## key vocabulary

- Evolution
- Primate
- Implement
- Glimpse
- Throng
- Acrobat
- Offspring
- Limb
- Fossil
- Predator
- Propose
- Environment
- Mortality
- Paternal
- Handy
- Gorilla

## key idioms and slang

- stick with
- went ape over
- hard act to follow
- monkey around
- monkey see, monkey do
- take exception
- monkey suit
- monkey business

## key structure

Expressing an opinion  
In my opinion, the film was too long.

## conversation starters

- In your opinion, is enough being done to protect wild primates?
- What can humans learn by observing primate behavior?
- Do you believe animals like chimpanzees can use tools? Can you give an example?
- Do you believe humans can communicate with chimps?
- Do you think it's beneficial to have primates in zoos? Why or why not?