Visiting Lemur Island at the Smithsonian’s National Zoo
I may see different primates on my trip to the zoo. Lemurs, monkeys, gibbons and great apes all live at the zoo. It can be fun to look for these amazing animals.
I may see other people looking at the lemurs from a viewing deck. I can sit on the bench if I need to take a break.
I may see ring-tailed lemurs on the island. Lemurs are primates known as prosimians.
Ring-tailed lemurs like to sit in the sun. The hot sun helps to keep them warm.
I may see red-fronted lemurs. They look very different from the ring-tailed lemurs.
I may see turtles on Lemur Island. They swim in the water, walk on the island and sit in the sun.
I may see a waterfall that makes loud splashing sounds. It is pretty to look at. I can watch the water fall down over the rocks.
I may see lots of trees and plants. The lemurs like to hide in the trees. I may see the lemurs resting in the huts.
Lemurs are primates known as prosimians. They live on Lemur Island. I may see other kinds of primates that live in the zoo.