

My Pet Crocodile

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A few months ago, something surprising happened and I can never forget it.

On a hot summer day, I went hiking in Sai Kung with some friends. After we arrived at the mountain top, we took a rest. Then, I sat down to drink some water. Just at that moment, I saw something special in front of me. I saw an egg! Immediately, I picked the egg up. It was not the size of a normal egg. In order to find out the truth, I took the egg back home.

When I got home, I put the egg under a reading lamp. I sat down and started to read my book. Suddenly, I heard a sound. The egg shell cracked open and a baby crocodile crept out of it. I felt very happy and I kept it as my pet. And I gave it the name 'Colin'.

Time passed very fast. The baby crocodile grew bigger and bigger. The basin was not big enough for Colin anymore. I thought that it might be better for Colin to be back in the natural environment. But how could I help him? Finally, I decided to take Colin to the SPCA. I hoped Colin could have a better home.

On the next day, I took Colin to the SPCA. The SPCA staff said that they would let Colin stay there. I felt happy for him.

I was very thankful to Colin. The time I spent with him was great and exciting!

Thank you very much, Colin!

Teacher's Feedback: You have told us your exciting and special experience with a crocodile! The ending shows the readers you have really developed a close relationship with the pet through the process of rearing it.
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