

SHERLOCK YACK

ZOO-DETECTIVE



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52 x 13' HD

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Facts for your success:

- »» The world's first and only zoo detective!
- »» Invites youngsters to actively join in the investigation
- »» Non-violent mischief-making instead of crimes



M eet Sherlock Yack, the World's First and Only Zoo Detective! Who repainted the giraffe? Who tied a knot in the tiger's tail? Who peed in the seal's pool? So many mysteries! So many potential perpetrators! It's time to round up the zoosual suspects and call upon the services of Sherlock Yack! He's hunting for the bad guys of every size, shape, fur or feather.

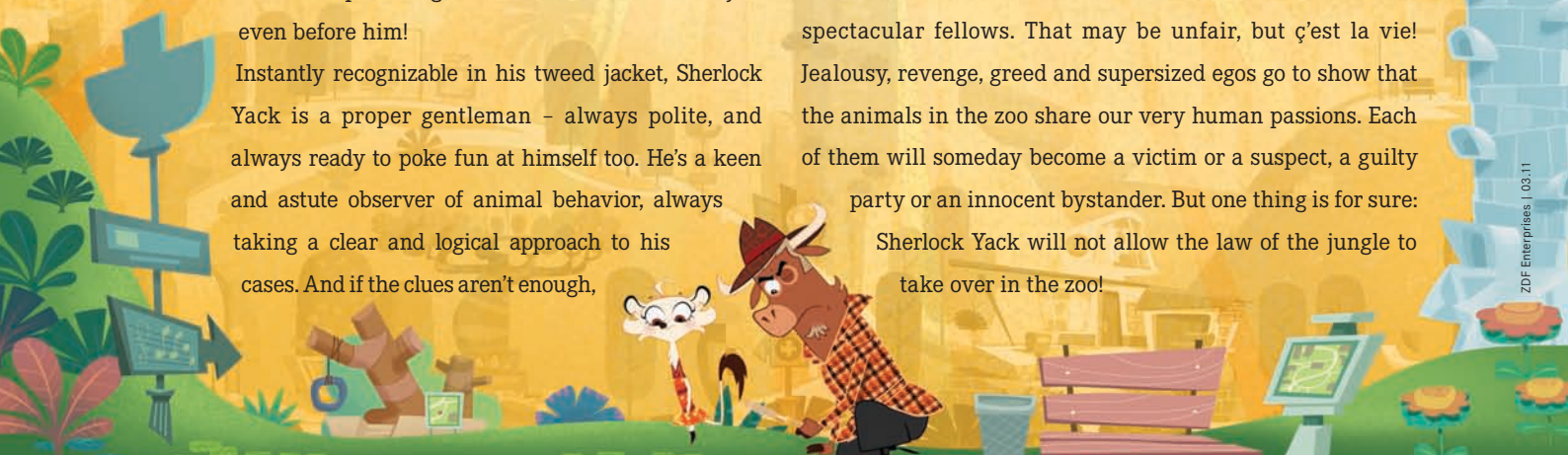
Produced by animation specialist Mondo TV France for TF 1, ZDF and ZDF Enterprises, this winsome comedy detective series is based on the popular French "Sherlock Yack" book series, and targets young viewers between the ages of six and ten. The series invites youngsters to join in the investigation and find the culprit along with Sherlock Yack - or maybe even before him!

Instantly recognizable in his tweed jacket, Sherlock Yack is a proper gentleman - always polite, and always ready to poke fun at himself too. He's a keen and astute observer of animal behavior, always taking a clear and logical approach to his cases. And if the clues aren't enough,

he uses psychology to make the bad guys confess. The punishments always match the crime. Sometimes the culprit has to do community service, and sometimes he's even pardoned. Sherlock Yack's own "dear Watson" is Hermione, his lively young assistant. By observing and asking questions, she personifies the young viewers of the series. She's an apprentice detective, and Sherlock Yack encourages her to think into each case and not be taken in by appearances - an important lesson for the audience.

As for the animals in the zoo, it quickly emerges that they're not all equal. Some of them, like the Bengal tiger, enjoy the status of Very Important Animals. Others, like the African rat-mole, lead modest lives in the shadow of their more spectacular fellows. That may be unfair, but c'est la vie! Jealousy, revenge, greed and supersized egos go to show that the animals in the zoo share our very human passions. Each of them will someday become a victim or a suspect, a guilty party or an innocent bystander. But one thing is for sure:

Sherlock Yack will not allow the law of the jungle to take over in the zoo!



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