

Farrowing Crates:

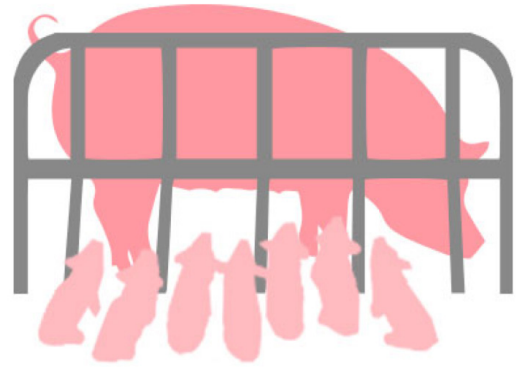
Animal Squad Call to Action

A farrowing crate is a metal barred cage that a mother pig is locked in for up to five weeks, when she has her babies. It is so small that she can only stand up or lie down. She cannot turn around or build a nest for her piglets. There is no straw for bedding, only hard, cold ground. This is no way to treat a mother.

Parliament is currently deciding if they want New Zealand to stop using farrowing crates. Members of Parliament (or MPs) are elected to represent Kiwis; as kind Kiwis we need to ask them to stand up for animals.

This is your chance to tell Jacinda Ardern that farrowing crates need to be banned. We have a very caring Prime Minister. As a mother herself, she will listen to kids who care about pigs and want this bad way of treating them to end. **Kids like you.**

How to help: Just do a piece of writing, poem or picture about why farrowing crates are cruel or how pigs feel when they are locked up in these crates.



Contact Details for Jacinda

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Note: posting letters to this address is free

We would love it if you shared your creation with us at AnimalSquad@safe.org.nz. If you are sending a letter or artwork, please take a photo of your creation and email it to us or if you are sending the Prime Minister an email, please BCC* us in.

Action Checklist:

- Create a piece of writing or artwork
- Take a photo of your work and email it to SAFE Animal Squad
- Address an email or envelope to Jacinda Ardern
- Share this action with your friends and family

*BCC (Blind Carbon Copy) is used to copy someone into an email. This means the email will go to Jacinda and SAFE at the same time.

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