



# **Zoo Keeper Answer Key**

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### 1. What are the first things zoo keepers do in the morning?

A: The first things zoo keepers do in the morning is check on all the animals to make sure they are okay and give the animals their medicines.

### 2. Why do zoo keepers hide food throughout the animal's habitat?

A: They hide food throughout the animal's habitat to encourage the animal's natural instincts and behaviors.

#### 3. What is the reason for training zoo animals?

A: Training is done so that zoo keepers can check every part of the animal's body every day without having to touch the animal.

## 4. What does Kristen Clark say are the best parts of being a zoo keeper?

A: For Kristen, the best part of being a zoo keeper is just being a part of the animals' lives everyday and being responsible for their care.

#### 5. If you are interested in becoming a zoo keeper, where should you start?

A: Kristen Clark suggests starting with dog walking or pet sitting and then becoming a keeper aid at the zoo.

