

On Tuesday, Fatima the flamingo visited the vet. She had a broken wing. The vet bandaged Fatima’s wing and put it into a sling.

Thanks to the vet, the patient soon began to feel much better.

On Wednesday, Cam the chameleon visited the vet. He had a temperature. The vet put a cool flannel on Cam’s head and gave him plenty of water to drink.

Thanks to the vet, the patient soon began to feel much better.

On Monday, George the giraffe visited the vet. He had a sore throat. The vet gave George some medicine and a scarf to wrap around his neck.

Thanks to the vet, the patient soon began to feel much better.

The Zoo Vet



Oh no! On Saturday, it was the vet who was feeling poorly!

On Sunday, he put some cream on his spots and got plenty of rest…

On Friday, Tori the tiger visited the vet. She had a thorn stuck in her paw. The vet pulled the thorn out of Tori’s paw and wrapped it in a bandage.

Thanks to the vet, the patient soon began to feel much better.

On Thursday, Eric the elephant visited the vet. He had a cold. The vet gave Eric a big hankie and a hot-water bottle.

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* an elephant
* a giraffe
* a polar bear

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* He gives her some medicine.
* He builds her a new home.
* He puts her wing in a sling.

1. What did the vet give to Cam the chameleon? Tick **one**.

* plenty of milk
* plenty of juice
* plenty of water

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The Zoo Vet

1. Where does the vet work? Tick **one**.

* a farm
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* a zoo

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* George the giraffe
* Eric the elephant
* Cam the chameleon



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1. Draw a line to match the animals to the day they visited the vet. The first one has been done for you.
2. Complete this sentence.

**On Saturday, it was the** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **who was feeling poorly!**

nurse animals vet

Eric the elephant

George the giraffe

Cam the chameleon

Fatima the flamingo

Tori the tiger

Thursday

Friday

Wednesday

Monday

Tuesday

**Questions**

The Zoo Vet

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* a farm
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**Accept either ‘He pulls the thorn out of Tori’s paw’ or ‘He wraps her paw in a bandage’.**

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nurse animals **vet**

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George the giraffe

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The Zoo Vet

1. Who visits the vet on Monday? Tick **one**.

* Eric the elephant
* George the giraffe
* Tori the tiger

1. Why does Cam the chameleon visit the vet?

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1. Draw a line to match the animal to its problem and the day it visited the vet. The first one has been done for you.
2. After the vet has been poorly, which day of the week do you think he returns to work on? Why?

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1. Do you think it would be good to be a vet? Why?

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Wednesday

a cold

temperature

sore throat

thorn in its paw

broken wing

tiger

flamingo

giraffe

chameleon

elephant

The Zoo Vet

**Questions**

1. Who visits the vet on Monday? Tick **one**.

* Eric the elephant
* **George the giraffe**
* Tori the tiger

1. Why does Cam the chameleon visit the vet?

**He had a temperature.**

1. Name three treatments the vet gives to the animals.

**Any three from the following: medicine, a scarf, put the wing in a sling, a cool flannel, plenty of water to drink, a big hankie, a hot-water bottle, pulled the thorn out, wrapped the paw in a bandage.**

1. Draw a line to match the animal to its problem and the day it visited the vet. The first one has been done for you.
2. After the vet has been poorly, which day of the week do you think he returns to work on? Why?

**He turns to work on Monday because this is the next day of the week after Sunday.**

1. Do you think it would be good to be a vet? Why?

**Various answers**

tiger

flamingo

giraffe

chameleon

elephant

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