Animal care

There are a number of _____ in animal care. A few of them are mentioned here. Most involve working outside for some of the time and all require some experience. You can get this by volunteering, an apprenticeship or a college _____.

Animal care assistants may work in _____, rescue centres, animal sanctuaries or wildlife parks. The work is physically demanding and can be dirty. It involves preparing food and helping with _____, cleaning kennels and cages, looking after ill or _____ animals and exercising dogs.

Dog groomers cut and shape dogs' _____ and shampoo and dry them. You could work in a salon, in clients' homes or a vet's practice. With experience and qualifications you could become self-employed, working from your own or others' homes, you could open your own salon or _____ others to do the job.

Pet shop assistants, as well as feeding animals, cleaning cages and checking water and chemical balances in fish _____, also do more typical shop work. Your job will involve _____ customers, selling pet-care products, dealing with deliveries, maintaining stock levels and keeping the _____ clean and tidy.

Stable hands work with horses at riding schools or livery _____ and a passion for _____ is very necessary. Feeding and watering the horses, cleaning bedding, cleaning equipment such as reins and _____, monitoring health and treating minor wounds are all _____ that a stable hand needs to do.

Farm workers work with animals and may also help to produce crops such as wheat or _____. Tasks may differ depending on the type of _____you work on. You may have to look after cows,_____ and pigs, feeding them and treating them to prevent _____. You may have to operate and maintain milking machines and farm machinery such as_____. Other tasks could include hedge trimming, clearing drainage ditches and mending_____ and walls. Farm workers need to be_____ fit and enjoy practical work and being outside in all weathers.

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horses
tasks
vegetables

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