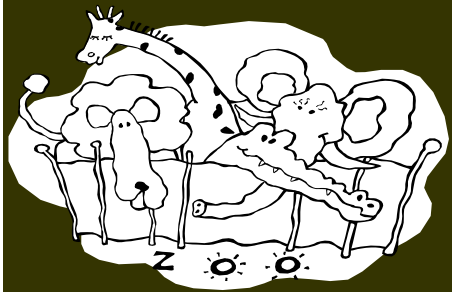


# Zooey Louis



## Fact File

Tracey is a zoo keeper at London Zoo. Listen to Louis from *Radio Children* interview Tracey about her work at the zoo.

Find out more about London Zoo, the animals who live there, and the people who work there at; <http://www.zsl.org/>

Find out more about a zoo keepers life at <http://www.zsl.org/discovery-learning/>

### 1. How did Tracey become a zoo keeper?

Listen to the first minute of the interview. Tracey talks about how she became a zoo keeper. Number the sentences 1 to 6.

She ...	
went to art school	
became a zoo keeper	
wanted to be a vet	
did her exams	
got a summer job	
did a lot of drawings of animals	



Would you like to become a zoo keeper?

### 2. Before you listen to the rest of the interview match the words to the pictures

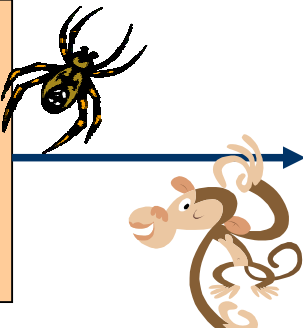
pig  
gorilla  
squirrel  
camel  
spider  
fish  
penguin  
bear  
hippo  
monkey

3. Listen to the rest of the interview. Number the animal words from activity 2 in the order you hear them. Which words **don't** you hear?

1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	Didn't hear

4. Tracey the zoo keeper talks about *spider monkeys*. What other animal names do you hear? Can you combine the words in the box to make the names of particular kinds of animal.

squirrel                      pig  
   bear  
   pigmy                      monkey  
sloth  
   spider  
   hippo  
bearded



1. *spider monkey*  
2.  
3.  
4.  
5.

Can you think of any other animals with two word names? *polar bear* etc ...



*polar bear*

Invent your own imaginary animal.  
Try putting two words together.  
How did your animal get its strange name?  
What's unusual about it?  
What does it like to eat?  
Where does it live?

The  
Nose-Fish



5. Listen again. Match the animals with the things they like to eat.

Squirrel monkeys	
Bears	
Bearded pigs	
Hippos	
Camels	

cabbage,    eggs,    garlic,    herbs,    porridge,    fresh grass and leaves,    fruit,    coconut,    mice,  
vegetables,    creepy-crawlies (crickets and worms),    ice-lollies,    frozen fish,    pop-corn,

Answers and notes

1.

She ...	
went to art school	2
became a zoo keeper	6
wanted to be a vet	1
did her exams	4
got a summer job	5
did a lot of drawings of animals	3



2.

pig	gorilla	squirrel	camel	spider
fish	penguin	bear	hippo	monkey

3.

1. monkeys	2. squirrel	3. camels	4. hippopotamus	5. bears
6. pigs	7. fish	8. gorilla	9. spider	Didn't hear: penguin

4.

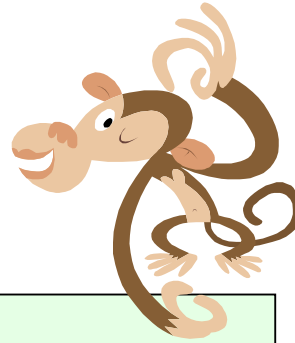
- 1. spider monkey
- 2. squirrel monkey
- 3. bearded pig
- 4. pigmy hippo
- 5. sloth bear

5. Listen again. Match the animals with the things they like to eat.

Squirrel monkeys	fruit, creepy-crawlies, vegetables, popcorn, eggs
Bears	eggs, porridge
Bearded pigs	eggs, garlic, ice lollies, fish, mice, coconut,
Hippos	garlic
Camels	cabbage

Tracey also said that all the animals like fresh grass and leaves.  
The camels **smell** the garlic but they don't eat it.

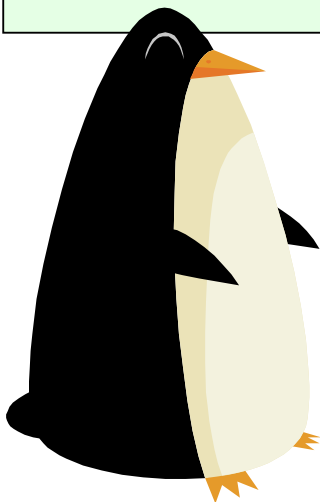
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Here are some animals that were mentioned in the interview

(and one that wasn't). How many can you find in ten minutes?

s	o	w	x	r	u	k	a	l	e	h	m	c	r	s
h	q	t	a	k	n	s	t	g	c	p	i	g	m	y
i	p	u	c	p	l	u	i	l	w	a	z	p	c	e
p	n	v	i	o	e	r	o	m	y	p	m	o	c	k
p	v	i	t	r	a	s	p	i	d	e	r	e	j	n
o	k	h	u	f	r	k	q	z	o	d	z	g	l	o
y	e	q	f	g	w	e	u	c	g	y	c	q	h	m
c	l	e	a	h	n	u	l	r	c	b	l	j	j	p
x	e	v	s	d	t	e	g	a	t	l	y	f	u	k
v	p	h	j	s	n	d	p	e	s	e	d	j	m	c
z	h	d	n	i	u	a	q	b	k	r	e	g	i	t
m	a	h	c	r	d	u	p	n	q	f	s	o	g	n
v	n	a	l	l	i	r	o	g	t	a	m	x	o	t
v	t	y	z	n	v	m	k	o	d	a	v	i	p	l
i	l	d	p	n	c	q	d	i	u	u	l	e	r	m



ape	bear	camel	elephant	giraffe
gorilla	hippo	lion	monkey	
panda	penguin	pig	sloth	spider
squirrel	tiger			