



Animal Care - Junior

Designed for young people with a passion for animals (age 10 -15), this introductory course is made up of hands-on, practical tasks that will give you experience with a wide range of animals from guinea pigs to bearded dragons.

Course Code: UFPNAG03

Start Date: Sat 14 March 2020

Weeks: 1

Time: 10:00 - 15:00

Fee: £40

Overview

You will cover a variety of topics including animal handling, feeding, cleaning, accommodation and grooming. You will practice these on a range of species in our animal unit and have an opportunity to feed the bearded dragons, handle our snakes, bathe the tortoises and learn about live food. You could be involved with grooming rabbits and guinea pigs, handling our rats and hamsters as well as checking for eggs in the hen coop. With over 30 species of animals, there is plenty to learn about and we do this in a practical way as we know how important hands-on experiences are.

You will be required to follow all health and safety requirements.

Modules

- Animal Handling
- Feeding
- Accommodation
- Grooming
- Cleaning

Equipment Info

Please bring:

- Pen & paper
- Appropriate clothing
- Sturdy footwear
- Tied back hair (if long)
- Packed lunch