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Where can you stay dry and see huge oceangoing fish, tiny seahorses, crafty river otters, and underwater animals from around the world? In an aquarium of course! Aquarium staff care for and teach about many different local and exotic creatures while working to conserve and protect threatened and endangered species. Follow this behind-the-scenes photographic journal into the wondrous world of aquariums and the dedicated animal helpers who work there.

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- Aquarium Jobs
- Match the Animal
- Animal Fun Facts

As a nonfiction, cross-curricular text, ***Animal Helpers: Aquariums*** fits perfectly into Common Core, Next Generation Science Standards and social studies lessons for grades K-3. Exact standards alignment and a 15-30 page teaching activities guide are available on Arbordalepublishing.com.

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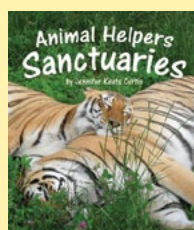
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