

# CreatureCare — Concept Poster

*Print this and pin it up — an at-a-glance map of the CreatureCare cast and the ideas each one carries. Come back to it whenever you want to remember who teaches what.*

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## Meet the cast — and what each one teaches

| Character    | What they carry                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| <b>Heed</b>  | Patient assessment — the listener who treats observation as relationship, not data-gathering ('listen first, look second, then we know')                                                                          |
| <b>Chart</b> | Diagnostics — the thoughtful pattern-finder who treats lab data as story-fragments ('numbers are notes; notes are not the song')                                                                                  |
| <b>Tend</b>  | Treatment delivery — the steady-handed practitioner who foregrounds consent and explains procedures BEFORE doing them ('slow hands, calm voice, patient first')                                                   |
| <b>Knit</b>  | Recovery + follow-up — the patient tortoise-elder who teaches that healing is slow and that's the point ('days come, bandages come off, walk again — not yet, soon')                                              |
| <b>Bond</b>  | Welfare ethics + animal-human relationship — the wise heron-elder who carries the welfare-ethics gate at the kit-12 capstone ('care is more than cure — sometimes care means stopping; always care means seeing') |

## Key ideas at a glance

*The big concepts this cast helps you master:*

- Animal Classification & Taxonomy
- Animal Habitats & Adaptations
- Animal Body Systems
- Animal Nutrition & Health
- Veterinary Science Basics
- Animal Behavior & Communication
- Endangered Species & Conservation
- Animal Genetics & Selective Breeding

- Animal Biology & Care
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