## Who are you looking after? Junior Penguin Keeper Worksheet



**Gentoo penguins** are curious and outgoing characters with a seemingly endless supply of energy. These cute and cheeky penguins are also the fastest underwater swimming bird in the world. POOP FACT: Penguins eat so much food that they poo on average every seventeen minutes!

**King Penguins** are one of the most visually stunning creatures in Antarctica. With their vibrant plumage, impressive stature and majestic nature, king penguins are mesmerising animals to watch.

## FUN FACTS

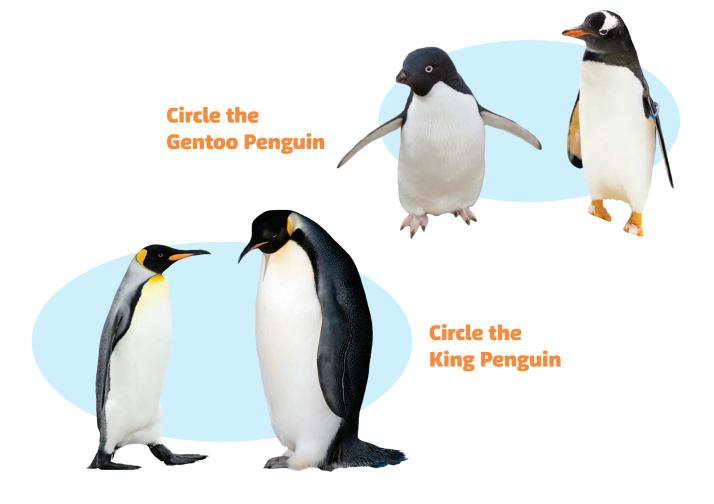
- Gentoo penguins are the fasted swimming penguin in the world, they can swim up to 32km per hour
- King penguins are the second largest penguin in the world. Emperor Penguins are the largest.
- At breeding time, gentoo penguins scoop up pebbles with their beaks to create their nests. Some are very picky about which pebbles they choose and how many pebbles they take to their partner.
- In the wild, leopard seals are the king penguin's biggest predator.



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Circle the Gentoo Nest

1. After learning about Gentoo and King Penguins, what are some of their differences? List as many as you can below

