3. Spring REST Hands-On Answers

# 1. Display Employee List Using REST

- Add employee data in employee.xml.  
- Reuse skills and add departments.  
- Store employees in ArrayList.  
- Load in EmployeeDao and expose getAllEmployees().

# 2. REST - Get All Employees

- Create @Service class EmployeeService with getAllEmployees().  
- Create @RestController with @GetMapping("/employees").  
- Return list from service.  
- Test using Postman.

# 3. REST - Get All Departments

- Create DepartmentDao with static DEPARTMENT\_LIST from XML.  
- Create DepartmentService with getAllDepartments().  
- Create DepartmentController with @GetMapping("/departments").  
- Return list and test using Postman.