

BACKYARD BIRDING



Bird Bodies

Grades: 1-3

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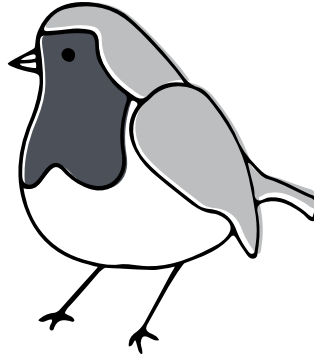
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Lesson Plan: The Body Parts of a Bird

This lesson plan includes the objectives, prerequisites, and exclusions of the lesson teaching students how to identify the main body parts of a bird and describe their function.

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Prerequisites

Students should already be familiar with

- the life cycle of a bird.

Exclusions

Students will not cover

- what birds eat.

Name _____

The Body Parts of a Bird

Circle the right answer.

1: Which body part helps the eagle (a bird) to see the rabbit to catch it?



- A. beak
- B. wings
- C. legs
- D. eyes

2: This eagle is trying to catch fish to eat. How do claws help the eagle?



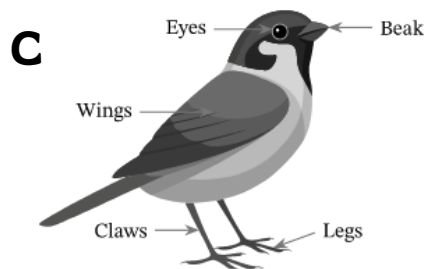
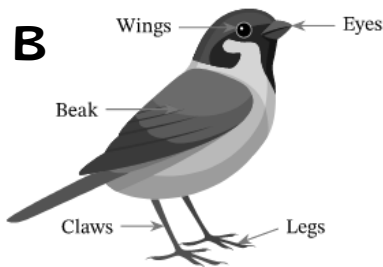
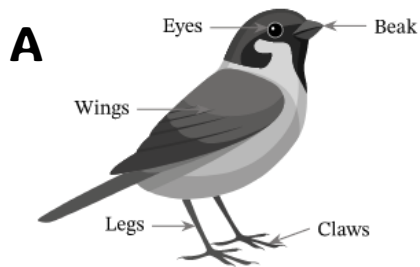
- A. Claws help the eagle to see the fish.
- B. Claws help the eagle to catch fish from the water.
- C. Claws help the eagle to fly.

3: A swan eats fish from a lake. Which part of its body helps it to catch fish from the water?



- A. Its legs
- B. Its beak
- C. Its claws
- D. Its eyes

4: Circle the picture that is labeled correctly.



5: What is this bird using its beak to do?



- A. See its food
- B. Feed its babies
- C. Fly

6: This bird has caught a worm.



Fill in the blanks: Birds use their _____ to hop around on the ground to find_____.

- A. beaks, their nests
- B. claws, their babies
- C. legs, food

7: What do claws help birds do to their food?



- A. Hold it
- B. Catch it
- C. Both

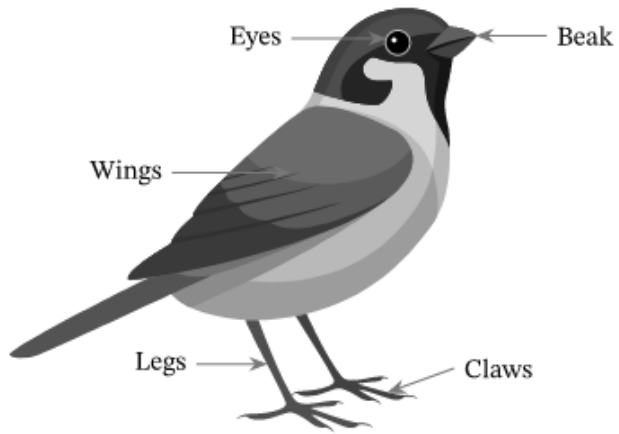
8: Wings help eagles to find their food in the desert.



Describe how wings help eagles.

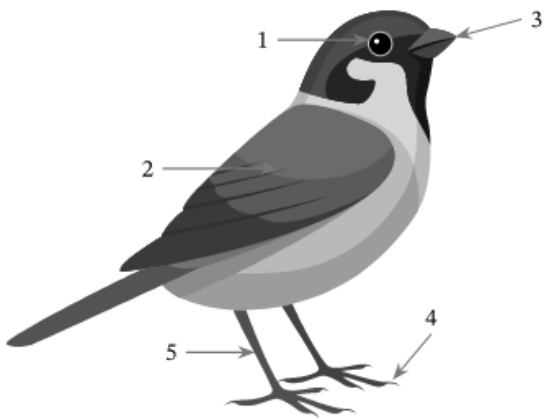
- A. Wings help eagles to hop around on the ground.
- B. Wings help eagles to fly.
- C. Wings help eagles to catch their food from the ground.

9: Which body parts helps a bird see its food?



- A. Beak
- B. Wings
- C. Eyes
- D. Claws

10: Without looking back, label the name of each body part.



- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.