

WOLF Scavenger Hunt For Elective: 13 BIRDS



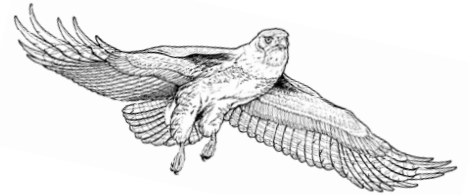
Reference: <http://usscouts.org/usscouts/advance/cubscout/wolfarow.asp#BIRDS>
 This elective is also part of the World Conservation Award.



➤ Worksheet completion meets the necessary 6 requirements of Elective 13: BIRDS.

Discovery Room, and/or Biology/Ecology Room (see visitor Map)

➤ Point out 10 different kinds of birds (5 may be from pictures).



-Circle ten different birds you can find inside the Visitor Center.

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| American Kestrel | Great Horned Owl | List some others that you saw but were not on the list. _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ |
| Andean Condor | Gyr Falcon | |
| Aplomado Falcon | Harpy Eagle | |
| Bald Eagle | Mauritius Kestrel | |
| Barn Owl | Northern Harrier | |
| Bateleur Eagle | Ornate Hawk-Eagle | |
| Burrowing Owl | Osprey | |
| California Condor | Peregrine Falcon | |
| Cooper's Hawk | Prairie Falcon | |
| Eurasian Eagle Owl | Red-tailed Hawk | |
| Ferruginous Hawk | Sharp-shinned Hawk | |
| Golden Eagle | Turkey Vulture | |
| Great Grey Owl | Western Screech -Owl | |

➤ **Read a book about birds.** There are books in the Discovery Room. You can find more books about birds in our gift shop and your school or public library
 -Name the book you read and discuss the book with your friend.



Courtyard or Anywhere Outside

➤ **Make a list of all the birds you saw in a week and tell where you saw them.**
 -Circle of all the birds you see in our courtyard.

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| American Goldfinch | Dark-eyed Junco | Red Wing Blackbird |
| American Robin | House Finch | Red-tailed Hawk |
| California Quail | Humming Bird | Sparrow |
| Chickadee | Killdeer | Swainson's Hawk |
| Chukar | Mourning Dove | Western Kingbird |
| Crow | Pigeon | White Crowned Sparrow |



-Ask your docent for a list of birds found in this area.

Conservation Room (See Visitor Map)



➤ Put out nesting material for birds and tell which birds might use it.

1. Why is it dangerous to put out long pieces of string?
a. choking b. disease c. nest will fall apart
2. Name the kind of birds you find that nest inside a box.
a. Red-tailed Hawk b. American Kestrel c. Turkey Vulture
3. Find the thin shelled eggs in a nest on the rock called a "scrape." What bird laid those eggs?
a. Gyrfalcon b. Aplomado Falcon c. Peregrine Falcon
4. Name and point to the type of hawk (not a falcon) you find with a nest of sticks.
a. American Kestrel b. Ferruginous Hawk c. Prairie Falcon
5. Some birds will take over an abandoned nest like the falcon on the nesting structure with bars.
Name the falcon
a. Gyrfalcon b. Aplomado Falcon c. Prairie Falcon

At Home

➤ Feed wild birds and tell which birds you fed.

- Ask your docent for a instructions on how to make a bird feeder. Do this at home.
- **Make a list of the birds you fed at your bird feeder**

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➤ Put out a birdhouse and tell which birds use it.

Ask your docent for our bird feeder and bird house information.

-Name the kind of bird that might make a home in your birdhouse.

