



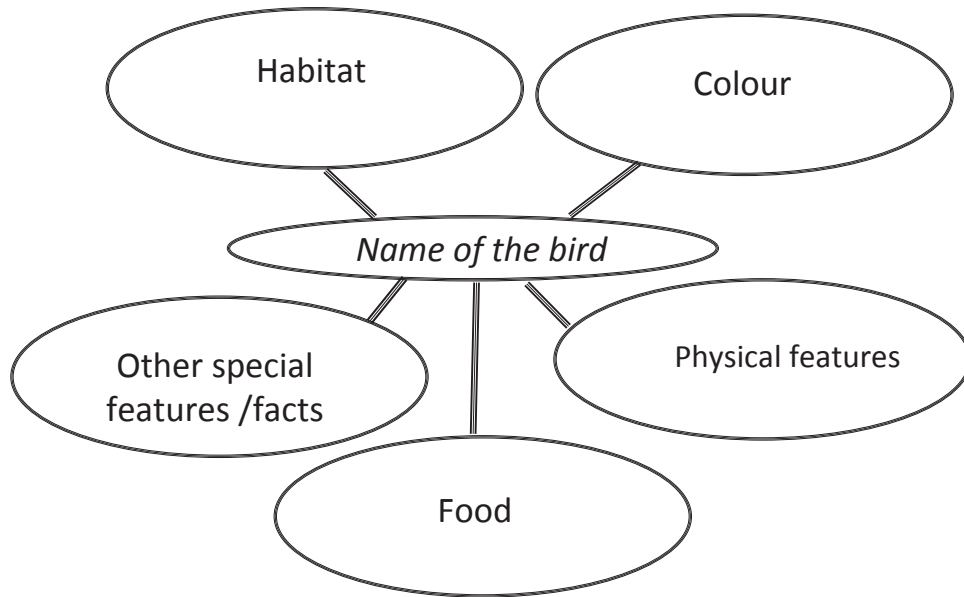
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## WINGED FRIENDS

### Activity 01

1) Get into groups. Copy the following diagram in six papers. Find information about the following birds and complete the diagrams.

- 1) Ceylon jungle fowl (*Wali Kukula / Kattu Koli*)
- 2) Ceylon rufous babbler (*Demalichcha / Uurkuruvi*)
- 3) Ostrich
- 4) Swan
- 5) Eagle
- 6) Hanging parrot



2) Find information about one of the above birds and prepare a pamphlet including colourful pictures. Present your pamphlet to the other groups and share your findings.



**Activity 02**

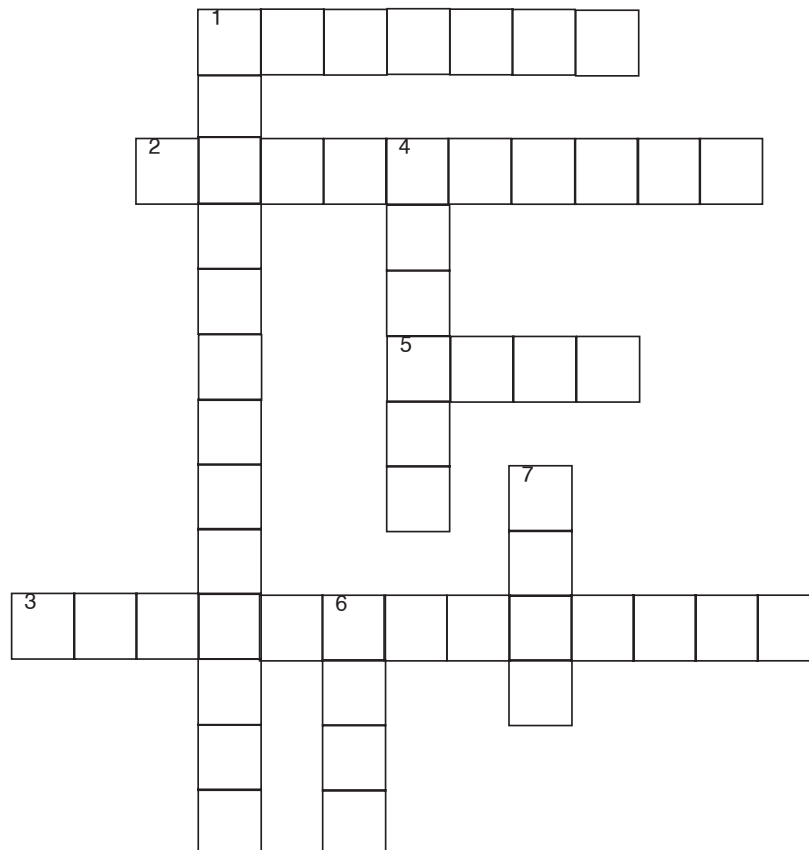
Read the clues given and complete the puzzle.

**Across** →

1. The largest flightless bird in the world
2. Threatened with extinction
3. The common name for the ceylon lorikeet
5. The long feathers on the back of bird form this.

**Down** ↓

1. A scientist who studies birds.
4. Sweet juice taken by bees, butterflies etc. from flowers.
6. Where a bird lays its eggs and takes care of its young.
7. A large and white aquatic bird.





 Activity 03

Jeewaka and Suresh were talking about the scrap book. Listen to the dialogue and complete the information sheet given.

1. Name of the bird: .....
2. Speciality: .....
3. Appearance: (male)
a. Feathers: ..... b. Tail: .....
c. Head: .....
4. Habitat: .....
5. Food: .....

 Activity 04

Complete the following story.

Once there was a wedding in the jungle.

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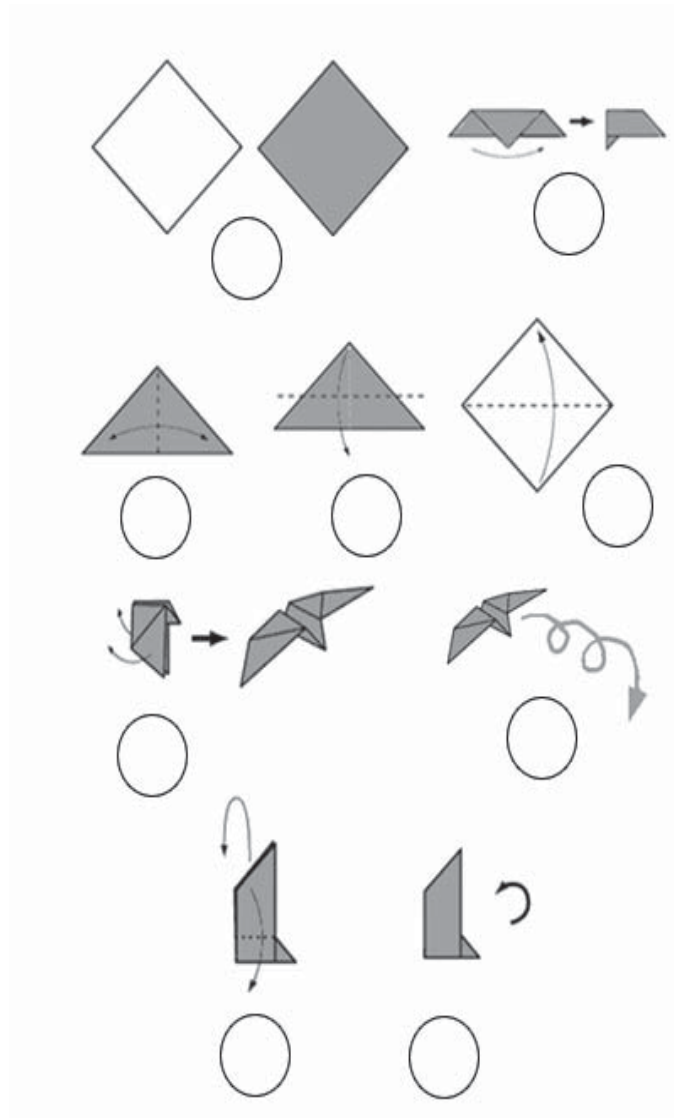




Activity 05

**Listening**

a) The picture clues given below are not in order. They are the steps of making an origami twirling bird. Listen and number.



b) Follow the pictures and make the twirling bird.



 Activity 06

a) Read the following description and fill in the grid that follows.

Weaver-bird

Weaver - bird is a small bird with brown or gray feathers. It has a conical beak. It makes a very elaborate nest using dry grass and mud. This nest which hangs from a tree has its entrance at the bottom of the nest. It lays 2-6 eggs at a time and incubates them for 9-20 days. Weaver-bird feeds on grains, seeds, fruits and insects. It lives in woodlands away from busy human settlements.

1. Name - Weaver - bird
2. Colour - .....
3. Beak - .....
4. Nest - .....
5. No. of eggs laid at a time - .....
6. Incubation period - .....
7. Diet - .....
8. Habitat - .....
9. Size - .....

b) Study the following details and write a similar paragraph about the Magpie.

1. Name - Magpie
2. Colour - bright black and white
3. Beak - short and sharp
4. Tail - long
5. Size - small, about 15cm with its tail
6. Diet - insects, fruits, dead animals, nuts
7. No. of eggs laid at a time - about 5
8. Habitat - fields, meadows, grasslands



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 Activity 07

Complete the sentences with the words below.

must, should, shouldn't, must not, don't have to

1. You ..... be silent in the library.
2. You ..... use the mobile phone when driving.
3. You ..... wash your hands before having meals.
4. You ..... walk to school. There is a bus now.
5. You ..... be noisy in a hospital.
6. It's late. I think we ..... go now.



 Activity 08

Read aloud the list of words given below and complete the table.

- claim
- brush
- flame
- branch
- crisp
- float
- brain
- drop
- blast
- brown
- class
- bridge
- cry
- brave
- block
- dry
- blaze
- close
- flag
- bring
- black
- blood
- clean
- dress
- blind
- clock
- brother
- blame
- dream
- clay
- flat
- drink
- climb
- flood
- floor
- flower

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