

Birds



WHOA! Hummingbirds can fly backward ^{ispr}

The tiny Blackpoll Warbler can travel 12,000 miles.

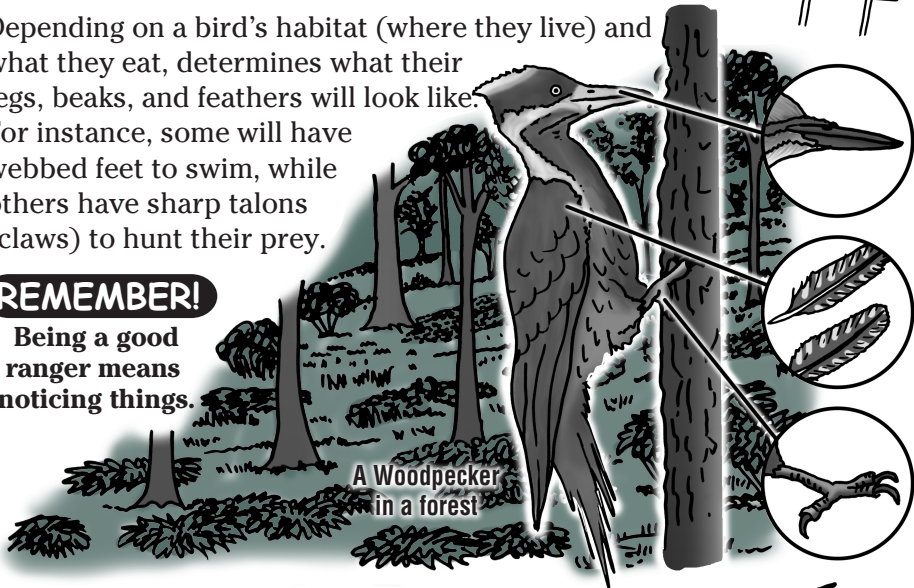


Depending on a bird's habitat (where they live) and what they eat, determines what their legs, beaks, and feathers will look like.

For instance, some will have webbed feet to swim, while others have sharp talons (claws) to hunt their prey.

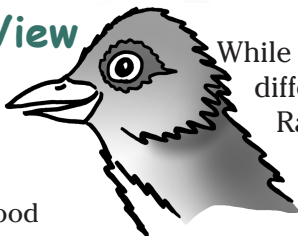
REMEMBER!


Being a good ranger means noticing things.



A Woodpecker in a forest

Bird's 'I' View



While exploring this site,  check off different bird behaviors you notice.

Rangers use the 4S's:

Sight, Sound, Size and Site

- Singing
- Looking for food
- Taking a bath in the water
- Taking a bath in the dust
- Walking
- Hopping
- Wading in the water
- Swimming
- Flying with food or nesting material in their mouth
- Flapping their wings to fly
- Soaring (silent flight)

Do this activity again when you go home, or when you visit another Georgia State Park and Historic Site. Will your observations change?

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