

Reading comprehension and vocabulary

1 Circle the words for birds.



2 Look at the words that are not circled. What are they? Underline A, B, C or D.

A verbs B adverbs C adjectives D nouns

3 Write the name of the bird.



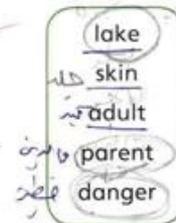
Now match the description to the picture. Write the letter.

- 1 It is usually white and it is a graceful bird. It has a long neck and it lives on lakes and rivers. It builds an enormous nest near the water. Picture d
- 2 It can dive and it can swim fast. It has webbed feet. It can see well under water and it catches fish. It is black and white. It can live in a cold place. Picture c
- 3 It has strong white wings and it is a beautiful bird. It has a hooked beak. It is in danger because fishing nets can trap it. Picture b
- 4 It has a long neck. It can fly and it can swim. It is a wild bird and it lives on lakes and rivers. You can also find this bird on farms. Picture a

4 Match the words in the box with the definitions. Write the words.

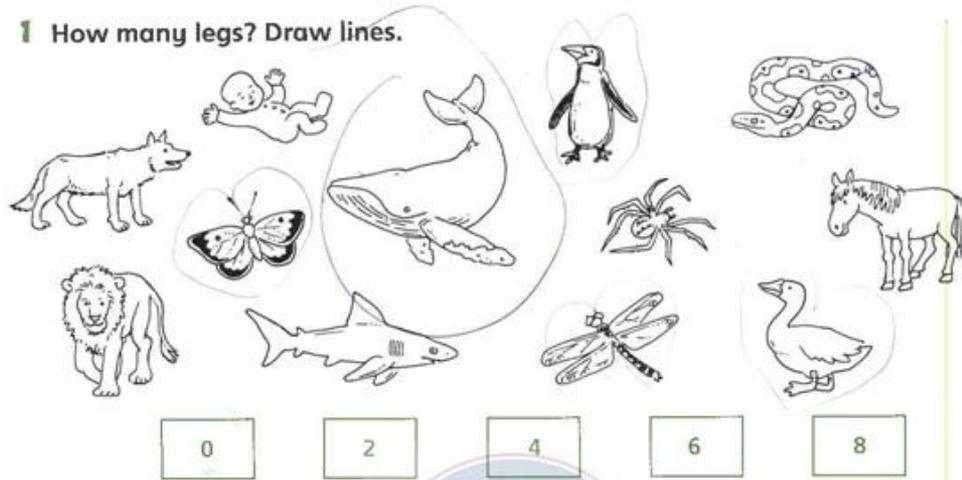
You may check in your dictionary.

- 1 something that can ^{لص} kill or ^{يؤذي} hurt a person or animal danger
- 2 water with land all round it lake
- 3 the outside ^{الجلد} covering of a person's or animal's body skin
- 4 a grown-up person or animal adult
- 5 a mother or father parent



Study skills

1 How many legs? Draw lines.



Now write the words.

No legs: Snake, whale, star
 Two legs: lizard, kangaroo, goose
 Four legs: lion, horse, wolf
 Six legs: butterfly, dragonfly
 Eight legs: spider

2 **abc** Write the words in the correct order.

1 gull swan albatross duck penguin
~~albatross~~ ~~duck~~ ~~gull~~ ~~penguin~~ ~~swan~~
 2 wing feather beak nest eggs
~~beak~~ ~~eggs~~ ~~feather~~ ~~nest~~ ~~wing~~
 3 fly swim dive jump catch
~~catch~~ ~~dive~~ ~~fly~~ ~~jump~~ ~~swim~~

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

1 Write sentences.



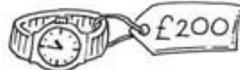
Thanks.



Thank you very much.

polite

1 The girl is more polite than the boy.



expensive

2 The watch is more expensive than the key.



Boo!



frightened

3 The cat is more frightened than the mouse.



beautiful

4 The swan is more beautiful than the duck.

2 Make sentences from the words.

1 the girl is the most beautiful Bella in Princess

Princess Bella is the most beautiful girl in the world.

2 animals ocean. are most Whales the fantastic the in

Whales are the most fantastic animals in the ocean.

3 school. is most at interesting Science the subject

Science is the most interesting subject at school.

4 is This most shop. exciting game the computer in the

This is the most exciting game in the computer shop.

Grammar in conversation

1 Write sentences. Use **as ... as**.



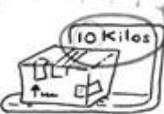
I'm ten.



I'm ten.

old

1 The girl is as old as the boy.



heavy

2 The box is as heavy as the box.



tall

3 The tree is as tall as the house.



long

4 The snake is as long as the crocodile.

2 Write sentences. Use **not as ... as**. Use the words in the box.

fast

happy

beautiful

tall

1 The dog is not as beautiful as the cat.



2 The elephant is not as tall as the giraffe.



3 The bike is not as fast as the car.



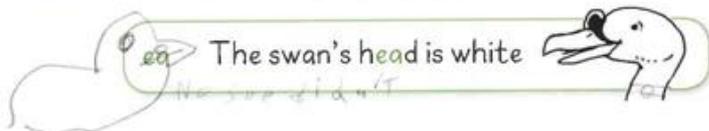
4 The girl is not as happy as the boy.



Phonics



Remember! In some words the letters ea sound like a short e.



The swan's head is white.

1 Write ea. Write the words.



head

bread

spread

thread

feather

weather

head bread spread thread feather weather

Now read the words.

2 Match and write the words.



spread weather bread head bread feather

3 Complete the sentences. Use words from exercise 1.

- 1 Grandpa wears his glasses on his head.
- 2 Grandma is mending my skirt and she is using blue thread.
- 3 We found a long white feather in the swan's nest.
- 4 Ben spread butter on his bread.
- 5 What is the weather going to be like tomorrow?
- 6 Our baker makes delicious bread.



Use of English



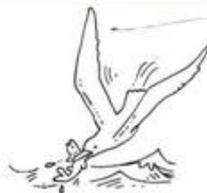
Read this!

Albatrosses can grab fish from the sea.

They have hooked beaks.

Albatrosses can grab fish from the sea

because they have hooked beaks.



1 Read.

Albatrosses can grab fish from the sea. They have hooked beaks.

The information is in two sentences. They tell you two facts about albatrosses.

These sentences can be joined using *because*.

Albatrosses can grab fish from the sea **because** they have hooked beaks.

The information is in one sentence. It tells you why albatrosses can grab fish.

2 Join the sentences using *because*. Check the capital letters and full stops.

1 Many people like swans. They are graceful birds.

Many people like swans **because** they are graceful birds.

2 Albatrosses are in danger. Many of them drown every year.

Albatrosses are in danger **because** so many of them drown every year.

3 Read.

Penguins can see well under water. They can catch fish in the ocean.

The information is in two sentences. They tell you two facts about penguins.

These sentences can be joined using *so*.

Penguins can see well under water **so** they can catch fish in the ocean.

The information is in one sentence. It tells you what happens when penguins can see well under water.

4 Join the sentences using *so*.

1 Cygnets are grey. They do not look pretty.

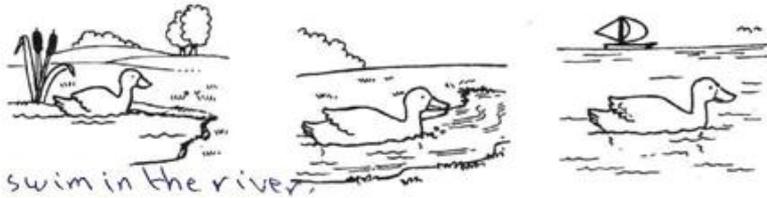
Cygnets are grey **so** they do not look pretty.

2 Farmers keep geese. You can see geese on farms.

Farmers keep geese **so** you can see geese on farms.

Writing preparation

1 Look at the pictures. Talk about what ducks do.



swim in the river,



adoption of the nests, and lay eggs in it.



Looking for food and eat.



Learn diving, fly in d and landing

2 Write notes.

live - on ponds, rivers, sea

make nests - twigs, grass, plants

lay - 7 eggs

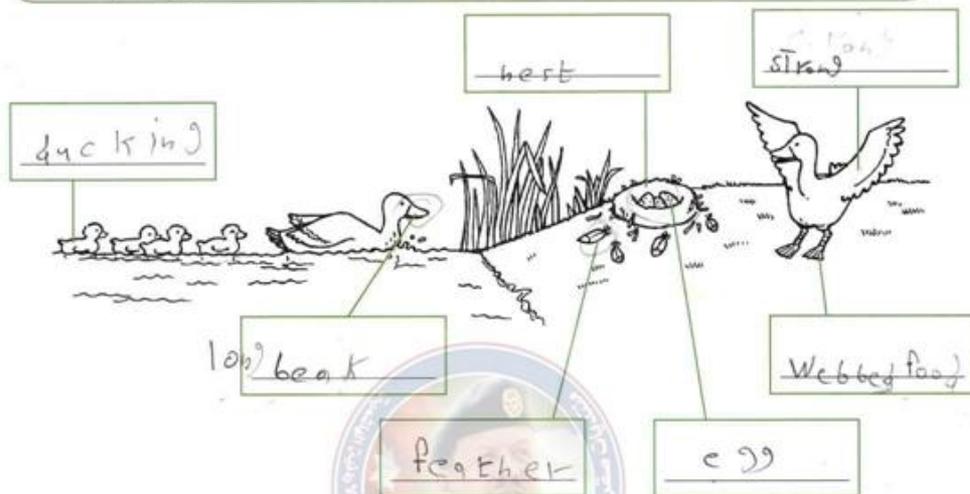
eat - grass

can - fly, catch fish, swim

Composition practice

1 Write the labels. Use the words in the box.

duckling egg nest feather webbed foot long beak strong wings



2 Write about ducks. Use the picture and the labels. Use your notes on page 28.

The ducks lives in river and sea. It has long beak and strong wings and feather and webbed foot. To help to swim and she put his nest near the river.

Check-up 3

1 Complete the sentences. Use the words in the boxes.

as... as...

I'm ten.

I'm ten too.

1



Tom

Sue

Sue is as old ~~as~~ than ~~the~~ sup

pretty expensive **old**

2



Jane

Pam

Jane is as bright ~~than~~ the Pam

3



The watch is as much ~~more~~ expensive ~~than~~ the other

2 Write sentences.

1



expensive

The car is more expensive than the boat.

2



dangerous

The snake is more dangerous than the cat.

3



frightened

The boy is more frightened than the girl.

3 Write sentences.

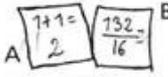
1



beautiful

The cat is the most beautiful.

2



difficult

B is more difficult than A.

3



enormous

The elephant is the most enormous.

4 Look at the monsters. Think about the questions.



- 1 Is lgg tiny or enormous? *tiny*
- 2 Is Ugg more enormous than lgg? *Yes he is*
- 3 Which monster is the most enormous? *ogg*
- 4 Is lgg as polite as Ogg? *No*
- 5 Is Ugg as polite as lgg and Ogg? *as lgg Yes*
- 6 Which monster is the most horrible? *ogg*

5 Write about the monsters.

as lgg is as Polite as

There were three monsters Lgg, Ugg, Ogg, lgg was tiny, ogg was the more enormous of the lgg, but the most enormous of all was lgg,

Ogg Polite, the three monsters horrible.