

Worksheet: Adaptations of Birds' Beaks

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Brown Pelican

This majestic bird is a hunter, also known as a "bird of prey."

It has a sharp, hooked beak to tear flesh from birds, small mammals and even reptiles.



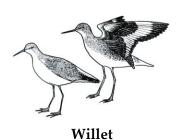
American Bald Eagle

This particular bird will eat most anything that comes its way, from fish to fries. Its beak has a signature black ring, making it easy to identify.



Ring-billed gull

This long-billed shorebird uses its narrow bill to poke into nooks and crevices in the rocks and probe in the mud to reach for prey.



This marine bird has a large bill with a stretchable pouch for holding fish caught underwater.

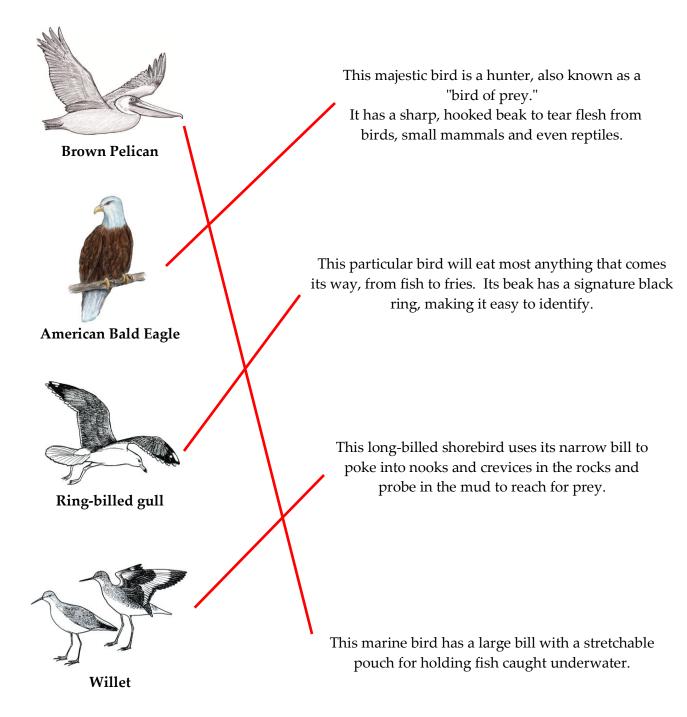


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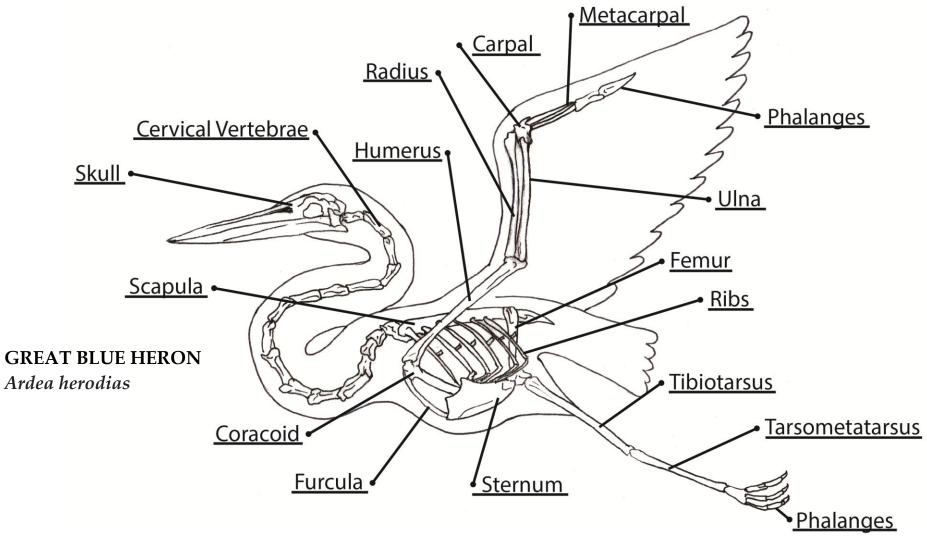
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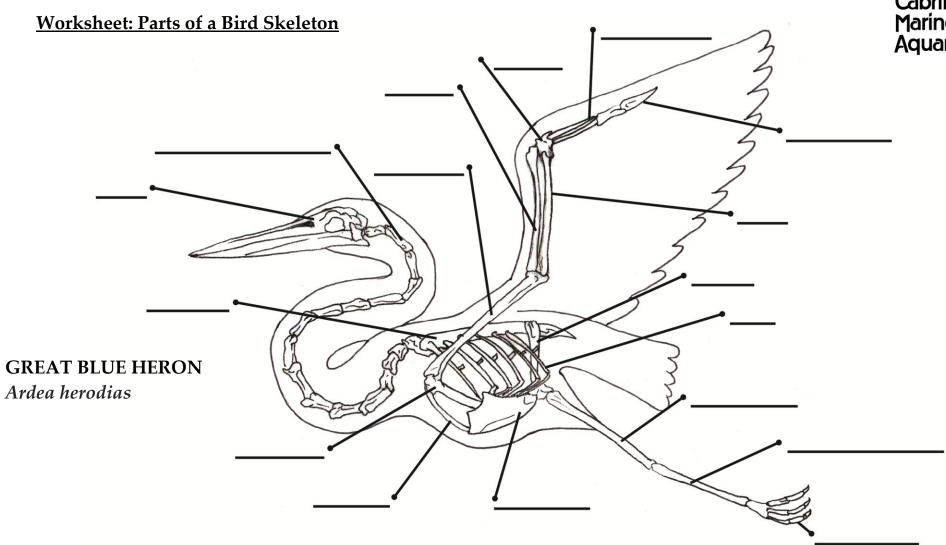


Graphic: Parts of a Bird Skeleton Answer Key



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