

## IDENTIFYING COMMON BIRDS

Do you know anything about birds? If your answer is that they have wings and they fly then, RockHopper, you have a lot to learn. Birds are everywhere. They are so plentiful that we really don't notice them and yet they really are quite beautiful. Well, my friend, we will change your ability to identify them.

## FLIP OVER FOR YOUR NEXT CHALLENGE



### EARN THIS NUGGET

- Identify at least ten different types of birds that frequent your yard or area and be able to name them on sight.
- If it is cold weather, try putting up a bird feeder to attract them.

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The first thing that you are going to need to do is to get a resource on birds. This might be a book from the library or a website. The website could be especially handy because you can do a search for birds common to your area of the country.

Now, what we want to do is have a look at all the different birds that come to your yard. If you don't have a yard, maybe there is a park you can go to or something like that. Using your guide book with all the birds, within a very short time, you'll be an expert at identifying birds without even looking them up.

