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Class: III Subject: Science   Topic: Birds   Lesson No: 7

- **Reading of the chapter**
- **Explanation (will be done in class)**

(Textbook exercise)

Section –A

A. **Multiple Choice Questions(MCQs)**

   1. (c)   2. (c)   3. (b)

B. **Circle the odd ones :-**

1. **Vulture**   2. Crane   3. Sparrow

C. **Fill in the blanks with the help of the given words :-**

 1. Three   2. Webbed   3. Nest   4. vulture

Section- B (Pg-62)

A. **Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) :-**

1. **(a)**

2. **(b)**

B. **Very Short Answer Questions :-**

1. **Name different types of feathers found in bird's body.**

Ans. 1) Flight feathers   2) Down feathers   3) Body feathers

2. **Name the bird whose nest looks like a shallow cup.**

Ans. Vulture

- **New Words**

  1. **Vulture**

  2. **Talons**

  3. **Preying Birds**

  4. **Webbed Feet**

  5. **Feathers**

  6. **Woodpeckers**

  7. **Weather**

  8. **Downstroke**

  9. **Trunk**

  10. **Beaks**

- **Defines**

  1. **Upstroke :- wing movement in which wings move upwards and backwards.**

  2. **Downstroke :- wing movement in which wings move downwards and forwards.**

  3. **Talons :- sharp claws of flesh-eating birds.**

- **Short Question/Answers**

  1. **What is perching ?**

  Ans. Some birds hold the branch of a tree very firmly to rest or sleep at night without falling. This act is called perching.

  2. **Describe the feet and claws of a wading bird.**

  Ans. Wading birds have thin and long legs with widespreading toes.

- **Long Question/Answers**

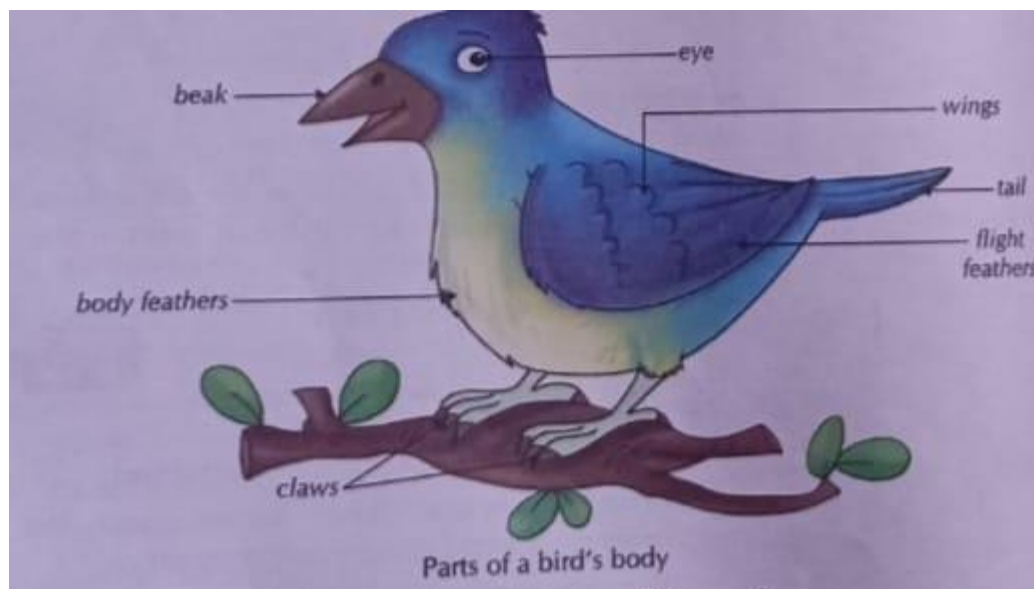   1. **How does a broad and flat beak with tiny holes help a duck eat insects ?**

    Ans. When a duck takes muddy water with insects in his beak, the muddy water flows out from the tiny holes leaving behind insects inside the beak.

    2. **Why do birds build nests ? Give three reasons.**

    Ans. Birds build nests to :

    (i) **Lay and hatch eggs.**

    (ii) **Protect their eggs and nestlings from enemies.**

    (iii) **Protect themselves from harsh weather.**

- **Diagram :-**

Parts of a bird's body

- **Activity :-**

Collect pictures of 5 birds that cannot fly. Paste them in your scrapbook.

- **Dictation (10 words)**