

Alpha Level 3

# Super Sea Birds

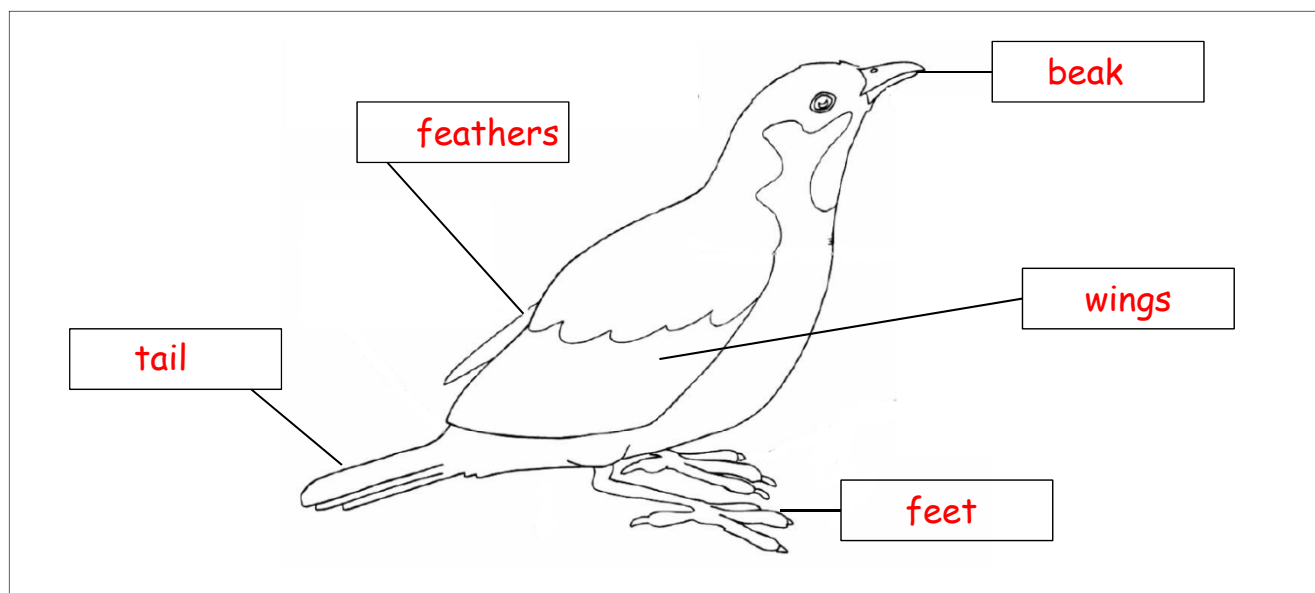


## Word Study

### A Label the picture.

Word Box

beak, wings, feet, tail, feathers



### B Write each vocabulary word next to its meaning.

Word Box

~~dive~~, ~~hook~~, ~~fishing~~, ~~fold~~, ~~stalker~~, ~~steer~~, ~~skim~~

1) dive : to go underwater or down to a deeper level underwater



2) fold : to bend one part of something over or against another part



3) skim : to look over or read (something) quickly



4) hook : a curved or bent tool for catching, holding, or pulling something



5) steer : to control the direction in which something (such as a ship, car, or airplane) moves

6) stalker : a person who slowly and quietly hunts an animal

7) fishing : the sport or business of catching fish



## Word Study

**C** Replace the words in bold with its antonym.

Word Box

slow, deep, weak, dull, bad, sharp, short, low

- 1) Some birds are **good** swimmer. bad.
- 2) Others hunt in the **shallow** water. deep.
- 4) Some birds fly **high** to catch their food. low.
- 5) Some birds have **long** beaks. short.
- 6) Their legs are **strong**. weak.
- 7) Some birds use their **sharp** claws. dull.
- 8) Some animals are very **fast**. low.

**D** Write your own sentences using the same pattern.

be good at ~ing

Sea birds **are** very **good at fishing**.

- 1) I am good at cooking.
- 3 I am not good at diving.
- 4) I am good at dancing.

Answers can vary

reading

cooking

speaking

diving

swimming

dancing

running

# Comprehension

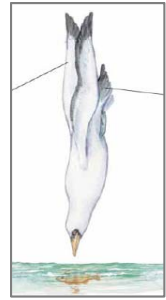
## A Answer the following questions.

1) The purpose of this book is give information.

- a) to entertain
- b) to persuade
- ☒ c) to give information

2) How does masked booby catch fish? (p.p. 6~7)

They dives deep into the water to catch fish.



3) How does the beak of a frigate bird look like? (p.p. 8~9)

It looks like a hook.



4) Why do long distance fliers need long pointy wings and short bodies?

They fly along way over the ocean looking for food.

Their wings and bodies help them to fly.



5) How do stalkers find food? (p.p. 12~13)

These birds have long legs and sharp beak to spear their prey.

## B Read and circle "T" for true or "F" for false.

6) Sea birds eat fish and must be able to catch food.

☒ T / F

7) All birds must fly long distances.

T / ☒ F

8) Birds have different beaks to get food.

☒ T / F

9) High divers fold their wings when they dive.

☒ T / F

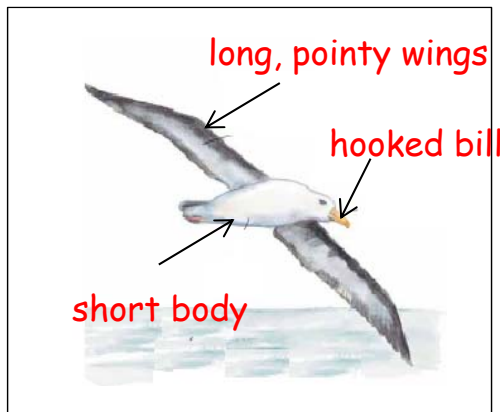
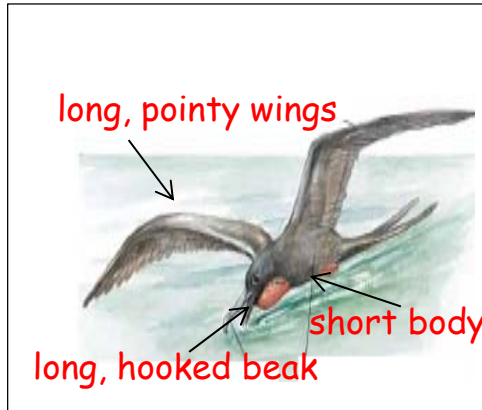
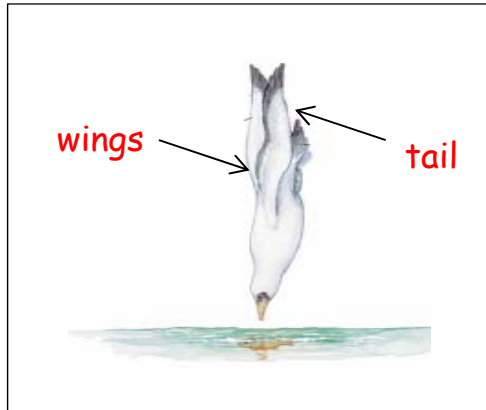
10) Stalkers don't have good eyesight so they only use long and sharp beaks to fish.

T / F

# Comprehension

## C Labels

Label the body parts of birds.



## Expression

bill  
beak  
wings  
body  
tail  
legs

long  
short  
sharp  
pointy  
strong  
powerful  
hooked

## D Write and Speak

Choose and write about a sea bird from the story.

Lava heron have special adaptations that enable them to survive.

They are stalkers.  
high divers/ skimmers/ long distance fliers/ stalkers

They eat fish, crabs and lizards.

These birds have long legs and strong necks.

They use long, sharp beak to spear prey.

Draw the picture of a bird

