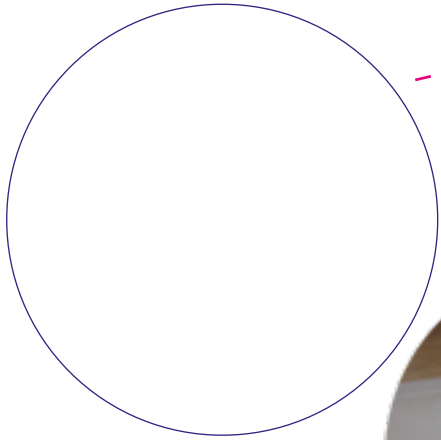


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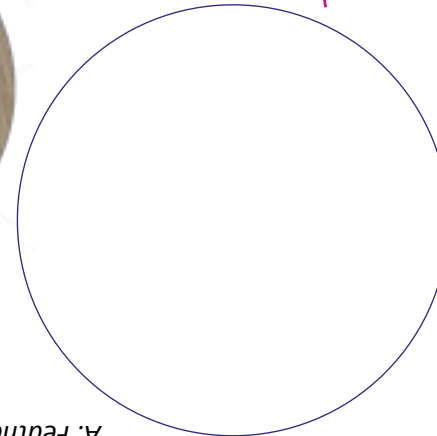
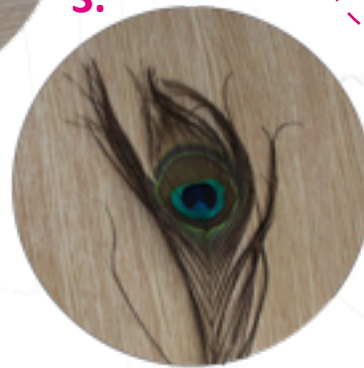
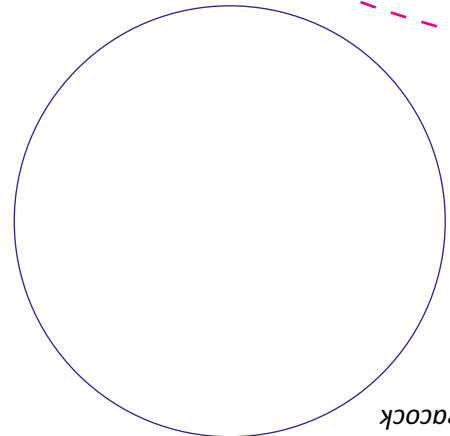
Have you seen our Forest of Birds in the Nature Gallery? There are birds from the UK like the Tawny Owl and birds from the other side of the world like the Kakapo from New Zealand.



Birds have very distinct feathers that can be used to identify them.

Can you guess what the birds look like by looking at these feathers? You might recognise some of them...

Draw what you think they'll look like in the circles.



Did you know?

Feathers are made of the same material as our fingernails - keratin!

Birds are the only living creatures to have feathers - do you know which group of extinct animals also had feathers?

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How many of these birds can you spot? Try looking in a garden, a park or even on your walk to school.
Keep a tally of the number as you count them.

You might see some other birds too, why not draw them in the empty boxes?



Name: Blue Tit
Where:



Name:
Where:



Name: Starling
Where:



Name:
Where:



Name:
Where: