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OWL



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There are about 200 species of owls.
Owls can be found all different types of habitats.



Owls are birds of prey, meaning they have to hunt for food to survive. So, they have very large, sharp talons used for catching their food.

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A group of owls is called a parliament.
The female owls are actually larger than the male owls.



Not only that, female owls are more colorful with a louder voice.

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Owlet is the name of young baby owls.
They can't fly, but can leave their nest and walk.



Most owls hunt insects, small
mammals and other birds.
Some owl species hunt fish.
It is also common for owls to eat
rodents, squirrels and bats.

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Owls can actually make many different sounds
,they can screech, hiss, and even growl!



Owls have superb hearing and can detect
prey hidden beneath leaves, plants, soil, and snow.

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Owls very rarely drink water, but they bathe.



Owls cannot actually chew their food because they do not have teeth. They have to use their beak to tear apart their food and eat it.

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Owls are active at night (nocturnal).
they are very silent fliers.
and can live up to 25 years.



Most owls do not go through the trouble of making their own nest, they use an old tree cavity or another's bird's old nest.

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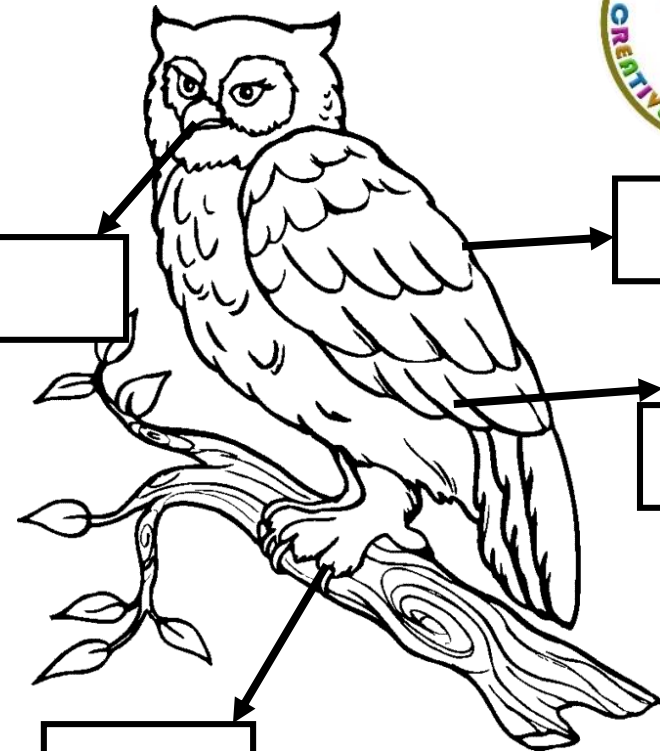
Read the sentences then complete with the correct words:

Owlets - nest - 25 - bathe - female - nocturnal -
beak - growl



1. Owls like to _____ but they rarely drink.
2. Most of the owls don't build their own _____, they use an old tree cavity.
3. Owls use their _____ to tear their food apart.
4. They are _____, they are active at night.
5. Owls can live up to _____ years.
6. _____ can't fly, but they can leave their nests and walk.
7. Owls can make many sounds like _____, screech and hiss.
8. The _____ owl is larger and more colorful with louder voice than males.

Label the Owl body parts:



wing - claw - feather - beak

write something you learned about owls.

Instructions:

Roll the dice then try to
answer the questions.



How many owl
species are
known?



Do owls drink
water?



How long do
owls live?



What is a
group of owls
called?



What is the baby
owl called?



Where can owls
be found?



Roll & Tell

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