

LEARNING RESOURCE PACK

Bringing Science and Art Together in Best Nest

Explore bird biology and learn to draw an owl with an artist.

Subject: STEM and Creative Arts (Drawing) **Grades:** K – 6

Activities



Best Nest by Lyndsay Wasko uses beautiful illustrations and fun facts that will teach your students about different birds. With the virtual resources below, students will investigate the internal systems of organisms and be able to explain how they support vital biological processes. They will also explore different ways to draw and how to refine their art through an artist demonstration.



Best Nest, read aloud by the author.

Length: 3.5 minutes

calgarylibrary.ca/read-best-nest





Learn how to draw a cartoon burrowing owl.

Length: 6 minutes

calgarylibrary.ca/cartoon-owl



Make sure your students have a pencil or pencil crayon, a thick marker, and a piece of paper for this activity.



Watch the full program with Lyndsay Wasko.

Length: 24 minutes

calgarylibrary.ca/world-wildlife-day



If these videos were a hoot with your students, check out these book read-alikes to learn even more about birds.



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