

Fun Facts and Resources for

Feathers, Flight, & Song



- Birds sing for a variety of reasons and different bird species sing at different times of the day: dawn, afternoon, and night.
- Birds sing to communicate. It's also an important part of their survival strategy.
- Birds sing to declare their territory and let other birds know when they have claimed a site where their food and nesting sites are located.
- Birds also sing to attract mates. Most singing birds are male, but some species of female birds also sing.
- Birds don't usually sing to alert other birds of danger, but when singing birds suddenly stop singing it can be a sign that there is a predator in the area.
- It is possible that birds also sing because they enjoy it!

For more information about bird **song** check out this website and listen to some recordings of birds singing.

<https://academy.allaboutbirds.org/birdsong/>