

The Beak Book

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The Beak Book and illustrations focus on the many uses, shapes and sizes of bird beaks.

Do you think bird beaks (or bills) are only for pecking? Tap. . .tap. . .tap! Most of the baby birds around the world use their beak to crack their eggshell. Some birds have a special egg tooth attached to their beak. What happens to the egg tooth after the baby bird emerges from the eggshell?

What does a bird beak look like? Bird beaks are different in sizes and shapes. Some birds have short beaks, long beaks, straight beaks, flat beaks, spoon-shaped beaks and more.

Different sizes and shapes of beaks have different uses. A hummingbird uses its long slim beak to sip nectar. The macaw uses its hooked beak to grasp branches and climb trees. What can other birds do with their beaks?

The Beak Book is for grade levels Preschool – third grade. It is a nonfiction STEM picture book with beautiful illustrations of birds from around the world. The Beak Book is 40 pages and 10 x 0.3 x 10 inches in size – perfect for a young child's hands. I give this book 5 Stars

The Beak Book by Robin Page will be available in the future in our School Garden Library

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