

# Meet the Robin!



Robins are birds that live in many parts of the world.

They have an orange-red front and brown back

and wings. Robins like to hop around

on the ground, to look for food like worms, bugs, and berries. In the spring,

robins build nests in trees or bushes. The nests are made of sticks, grass,

and mud. Female robins lay blue eggs in their nests and sit on them to keep

them warm until they hatch. Baby robins are born without feathers and

with their eyes closed. The robin mom takes good care of them. She brings

them food until they are old enough to fly and find food on their own.

Robins like to wake up early in the morning and sing songs. Their songs are

a sign that spring is here! Next time you see a robin hopping around in your

backyard, say hello! They are friendly birds that help make our world a

better place. Robins are birds that bring joy to many people with their

happy songs.

1. Read the passage about 'Meet the Robin'
2. Underline each word that you could not read.
3. Circle each word that took you more than 1 try.
4. Answer the follow up questions.

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Answer according to the reading passage:

**1. Robins are:**

- a. orange-red and brown
- b. yellow and orange
- c. brown and red

**2. Robins like to \_\_\_\_\_ on the ground.**

- a. hop
- b. run
- c. jump

**3. A robin's eggs are:**

- a. white and blue
- b. white
- c. blue

**4. Baby robins are born without:**

- a. feet
- b. feathers
- c. beaks

**5. A sign of spring is the robin's:**

- a. colors
- b. eggs
- c. song

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## Open Response Questions

### Open Response Questions for Thinking Skills:

1. *Inferring*
2. *Making Connections*
3. *Summarizing*
4. *Visualizing*

1. Why do you think Robin's build their nests in trees?
  2. Why do you think the robins hop along the ground?
  3. What are the main foods robins like to eat?.
  4. Describe what you think a baby robin looks like.
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- Why do you think robins wake up early in the morning to sing?
  - How might robins find their food in all four seasons?
  - What three questions would you ask a robin if you could?
  - How do you think baby robins learn to fly?
  - Could this reading passage be true? Why or why not?