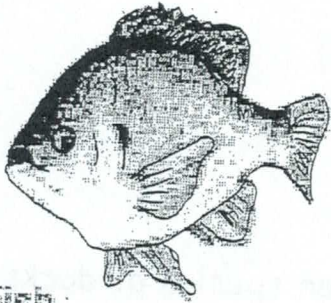
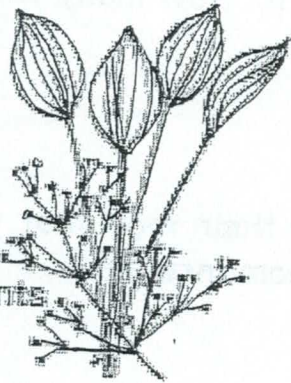


BIRD BEAKS AND BILLS

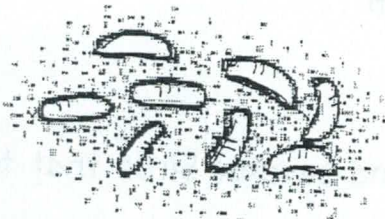
By looking at the beaks of the birds below, can you tell what they are likely to eat? Draw a line from the bird to the food it eats.



Fish



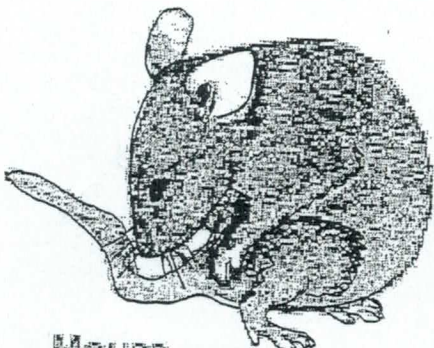
Water Plants



Insect Larvae



Seeds

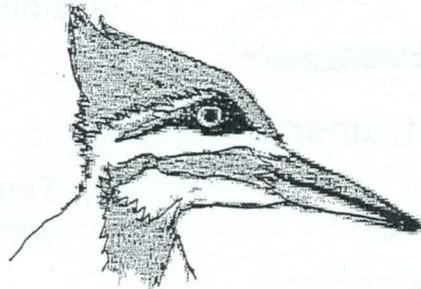


Mouse

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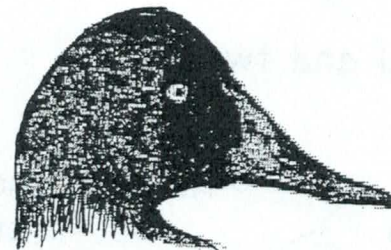
Red-tailed hawk



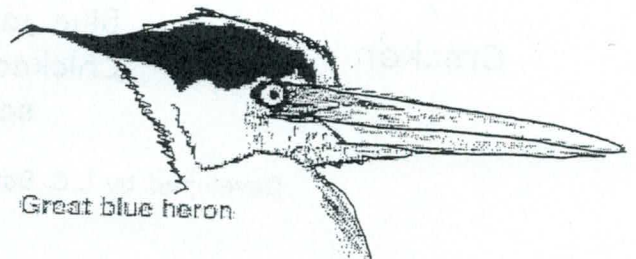
Pileated woodpecker



Cardinal



Canvasback duck



Great blue heron

Bird Detectives: Can you find the bird with beaks like these?

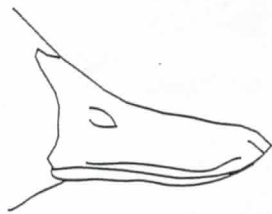


Shredder

There are many raptors or birds of prey in the museum. They all have sharp, curved beaks.

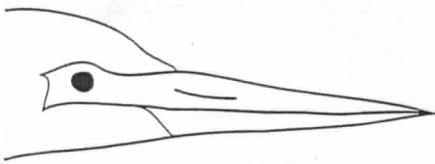
Look for: Owls (7 species)
Hawks (10 species)
Eagles (2 species)

How many can you find?



Strainer

There are more than a dozen species of ducks and geese in the Bird Room. How many with strainer bills can you find?



Spear

The birds that fish for their food that you will find in the Bird Room include:

Great blue heron
American bittern
Green backed heron
Common loon
Belted kingfisher



Chisel and tweezers

In the Bird Room you will find several birds that tap trees, including:

Hairy woodpecker
Yellow bellied Sapsucker
Pilleated woodpecker



Cracker

The birds that crush nuts and seeds include:

Northern cardinal
Sparrows (7 species)
Blue jays

Chickadees and nuthatches also love nuts and seeds in their diet.