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Book Review

Book Title: Birds Take Flight

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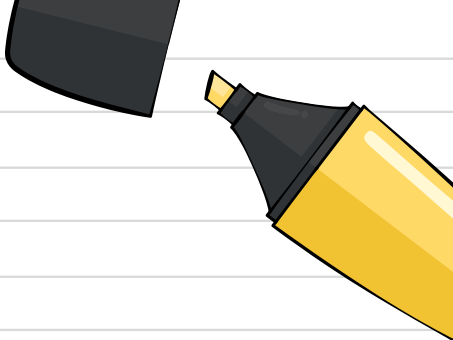


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Notice

The main characters in the story that I read are birds. The Double Crested Cormorant have a unique way of eating fish. They throw the fish in the air and swallow it. Canvasback ducks are known for being fast and high fliers. Canvasback ducks breed in western Canada and the northwestern United States in summertime. Whooping Cranes live in North America. Whooping Cranes have their necks stretched out in front and fly long distances when they migrate

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Annotate

In my opinion the most important sentence in the story is when the book says that airplanes started to use vortex which saves energy. The second important part is when airplanes use vortex they save up to 30 percent of fuel. Another important part is when I read how birds navigate through the dark. The fourth important part is when the book explains the migration routes that some birds use. The fifth important part is when the book says why birds migrate. The last important part is when the book says what a flock is.

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Vocabulary

I have been learning about the word migrate. I was able to figure out what migrate is when they say in the text cranes fly long distances when they migrate. A word that is unfamiliar with me is conservationist. I was able to understand the meaning when I read that Whooping Cranes are endangered and conservationists are trying to help protect them. Another word that is unfamiliar with me is vortex. I was able to understand what it means when I read that birds flying in a v formation can glide part of the time because the bird in front of it creates a vortex when it flaps its wings.

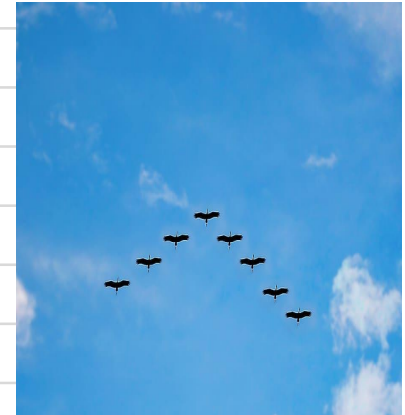
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Connection

I was most able to connect with the word migrate. The second thing I was most able to connect is that my story is about birds and in school we read a passage about birds. My favorite part of the book is when I read that the V formation of birds saves energy. The first speech I really enjoyed is when airplanes use the V formation of birds saves energy which is good for the environment. My second favorite speech is when airplanes fly in a V formation which reduces the fuel usage by 30 percent.

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Summary

On the first page migrating birds have their own unique migration habits. On the next page the book explains for us why birds migrate. On the third page Spring is a good time of the year for birds to build nests and lay eggs. On the fourth page the book explains the migration routes that the birds take while migrating like the atlantic flyway. On the fifth page the book shows us the North American migration flyways and where they lead to. On the last page the book says one day passenger airplanes will fly as a group in a formation similar to birds.

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About Book Reviewer

The reason I chose this book is that I like birds and was interested in how they migrate. The thing that drew me to it is the information about birds and the amazing ways of how they migrate. I would recommend this book to people who are interested in science and birds because it gives us good facts and information. I read this book whenever I had free time. I read the book rather than playing computer games or watching TV. I didn't struggle to enjoy the book and had fun reading it.

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