

# take flight

Portraiture and observation drawing

Get up close to the fabulous array of birds in our Museum collections. Pupils can learn about different birds and have the opportunity to appreciate them, then draw them at close range.



## Choose from:

- Owls: barn owls, eagle owls, little owls, tawny owls, short-eared and long-eared owls
- Carrion: crows, ravens and rooks
- Birds of prey: kestrels, hobbies, hen harriers and buzzards
- Water birds: moorhens, coots, herons, bitterns, and a variety of ducks



**materials used:**

- Pencil, biro, crayon, charcoal
- Ink, watercolour  
(2 hour session only)

**techniques:**

Mark making, drawing, light, shade, tone, proportion

**suggested topic links:**

Habitats, life cycles, interdependence and adaptation

**suitable for:**

KS2 / KS3 / KS4

Appropriate parking needs to be made available to allow resources to be carried into school.



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