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HUMMINGBIRDS

Have you ever seen the tiny bird that never stops flying? Do you know its name? Have you seen how its wings flap so fast? Have you heard a bird humming?

It is called a hummingbird. It is one of the smallest birds. It is shorter than a pack of gum. Its long bill helps it drink the juice out of flowers. The juice is called nectar.

Hummingbirds have tongues to catch insects. Their tongues are sticky. Flying makes them very hungry. That is why they are always looking for flowers. They are always drinking nectar.

They live in forests, deserts, parks, and in the mountains. They live in fields and in valleys. Hummingbirds build nests for their babies anywhere they can find a quiet spot. They hunt for bugs and juice. The mother brings the food back to feed the babies.



If you see a bird that is flying quickly and is very tiny, it might be a hummingbird! Keep watching!

STORY QUESTIONS

1. A **synonym** is a word that means the same thing. *Quickly* means . . .
- a. hunt.
- b. slow.
- c. fast.
- d. quiet.

2. Where do hummingbirds live?
- a. forests, deserts, and parks
- b. lakes and rivers
- c. oceans
- d. in tall trees

3. What is the name for the juice in the flower?
- a. juice
- b. nectar
- c. sticky
- d. hungry

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