

Research and create a non-chronological report about the country you have been given for the World Cup.

You will need to include facts about the country:

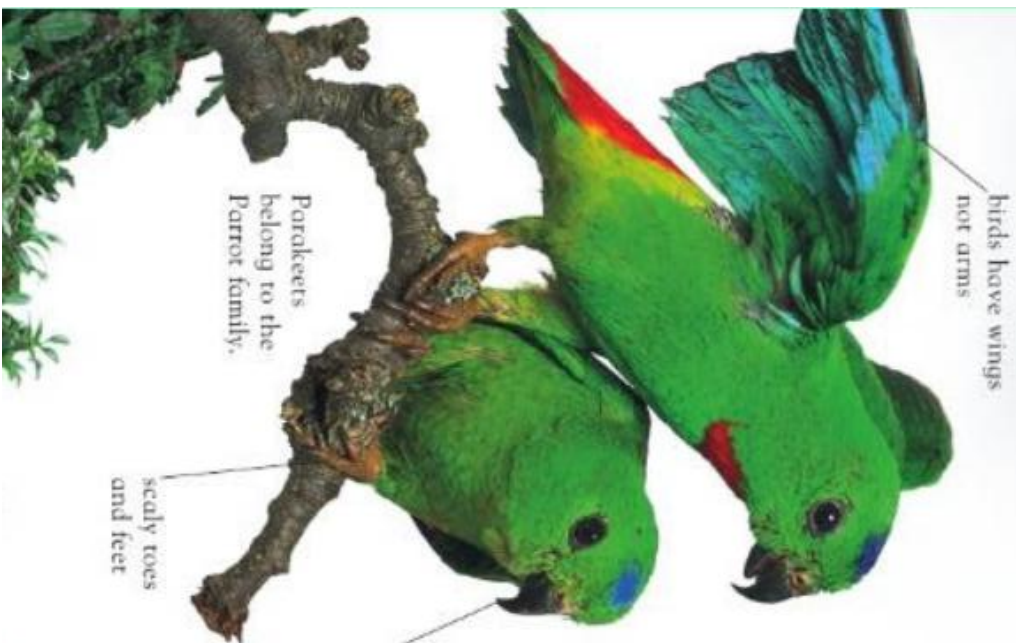
- What the country is famous for
- Famous landmarks
- The flag
- Capital City
- Famous people who live there
- Famous foods
- Any other interesting information

Think about how we have presented non-chronological reports in class. Follow the checklist below as well as the example to help you.

Features of a Non-Chronological Report	
Topic title covers the whole subject.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brief introductory paragraph giving the who/what/where overview.	<input type="checkbox"/>
The information is organised into paragraphs.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Each category has a sub-heading.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Use factual language.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Present tense verbs (unless it is a historical report).	<input type="checkbox"/>
Written in third person.	<input type="checkbox"/>

What is a bird?

There are about 9,000 different species of birds living on Earth. They all evolved from reptiles millions of years ago. Birds live almost everywhere, from the icy Antarctic to steamy tropical rainforests.



birds have wings
not arms

Parakeets
belong to the
Parrot family.

scaly toes
and feet

Bones

Birds have bones that are hollow, like straws. Solid bones would make birds too heavy to fly.

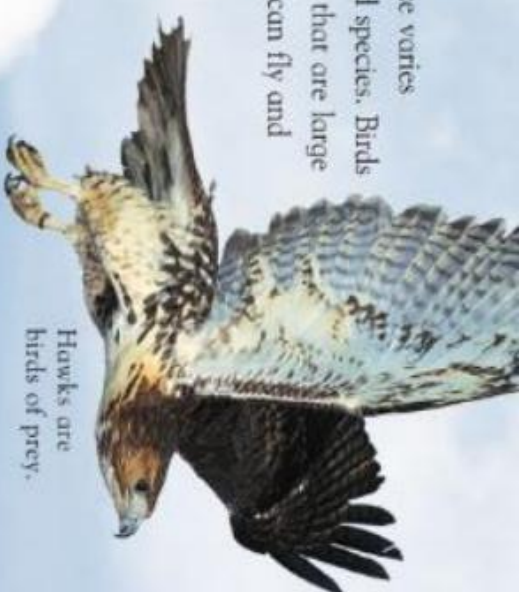
Digestion

Birds cannot chew food as they do not have any teeth. Instead they have a special grinding organ called a gizzard, which is a part of the stomach. Food is crushed as it passes through the gizzard.

birds have a strong horny beak, and no teeth

Wings

Wing shape and size varies hugely between bird species. Birds of prey have wings that are large and strong so they can fly and soar for hours.



Hawks are
birds of prey.

Feathers

Feathers are essential for flight, but they also keep birds warm, act as camouflage, and can be used in mating displays. Each bird has several different types of feathers, including down, body, and flight feathers.



down
feather

body
feather

flight
feather

Bird families

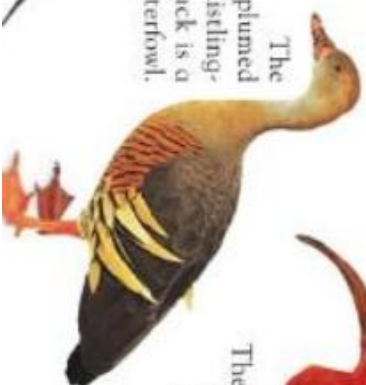
The many thousands of bird species are divided into families. The families include birds of prey, songbirds, parrots, waterfowl, and waders.



The
plumed
whistling-
duck is a
waterfowl.



The chaffinch
is a songbird.



The scarlet
ibis is a
wading
bird.

