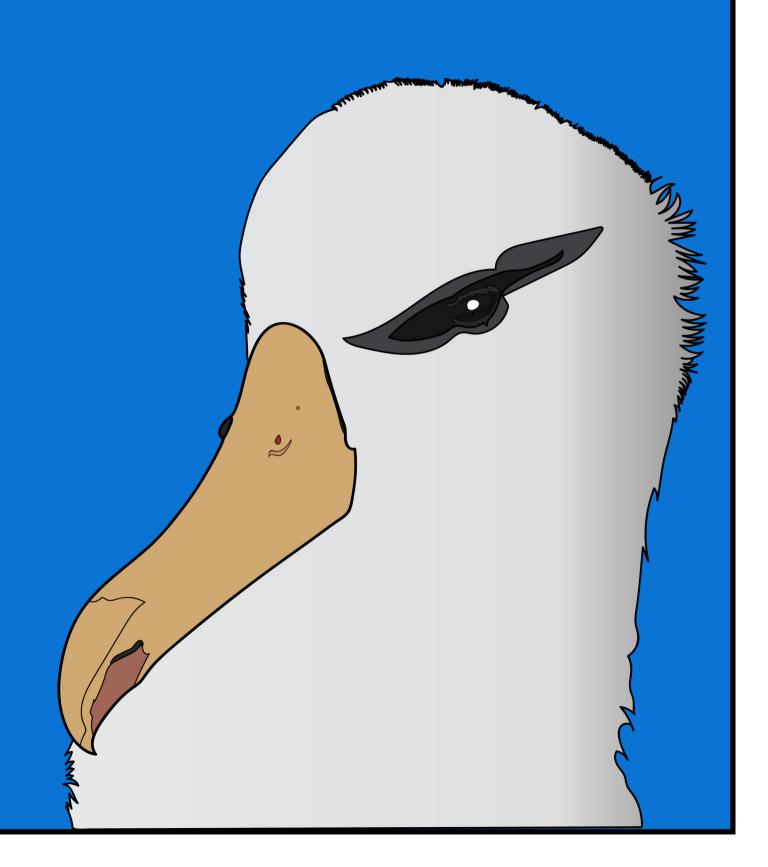
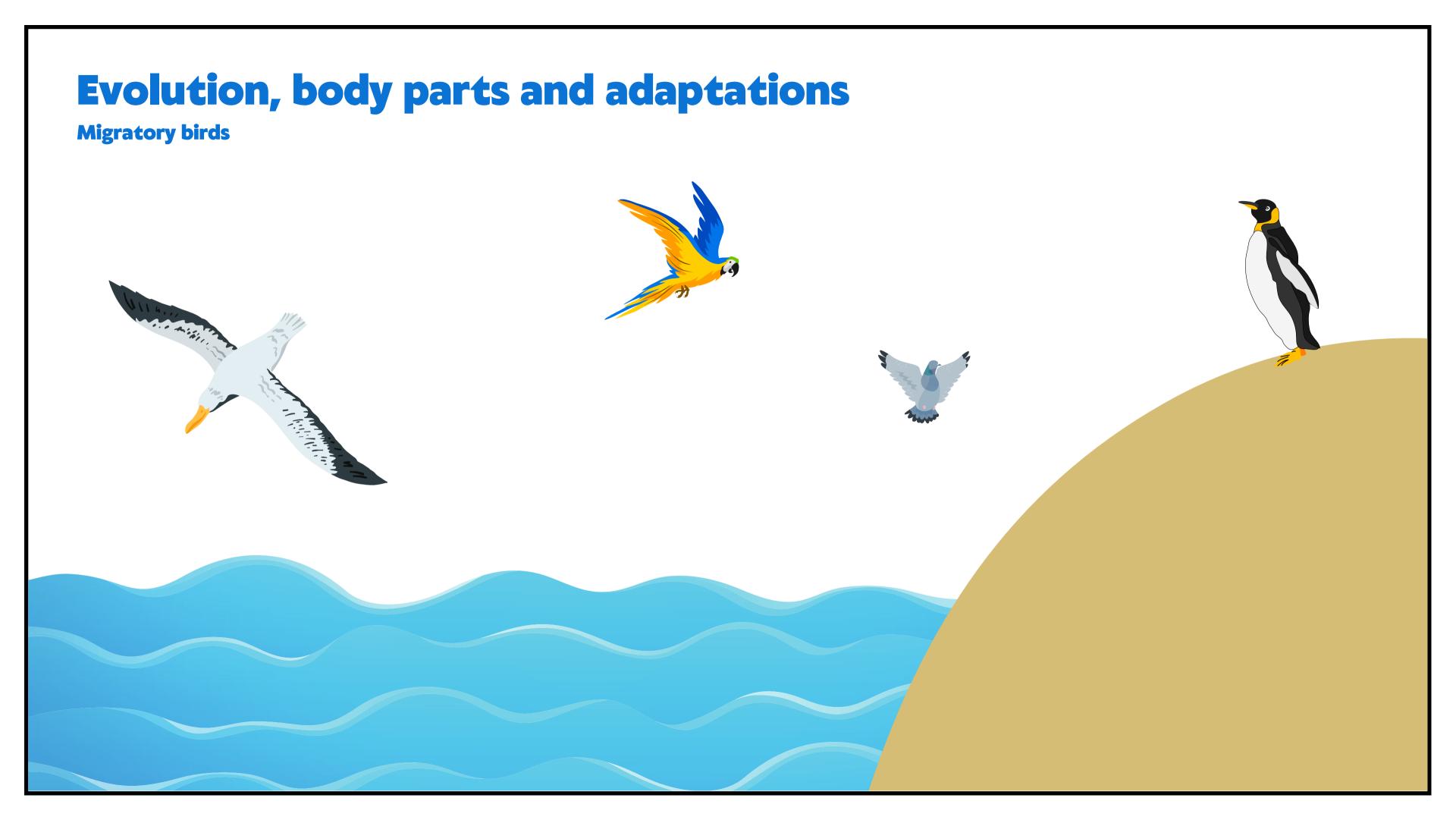


The life of a seabird





Evolution, body parts and adaptations **Species of the marine ecosystem**



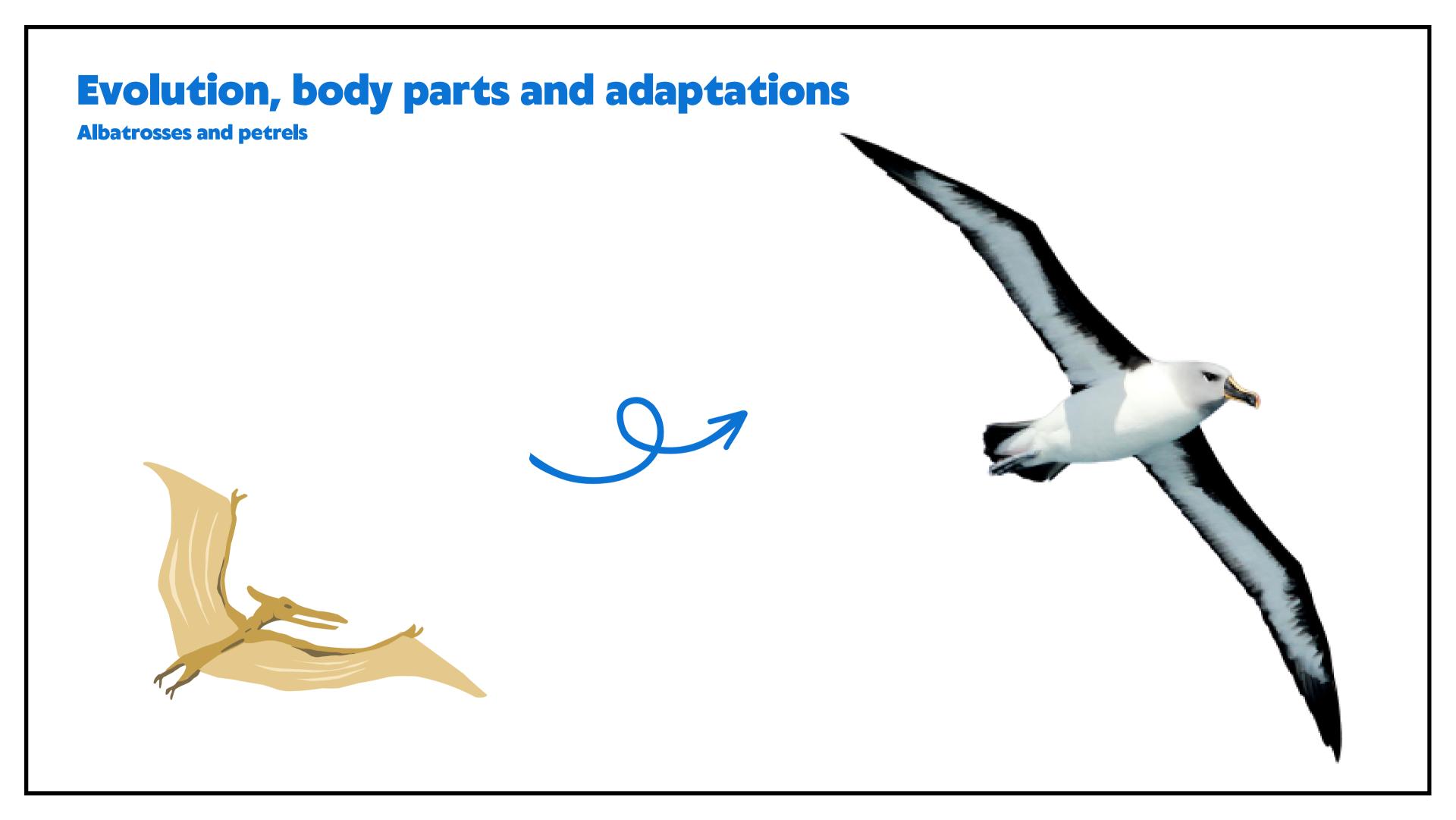
Migratory birds



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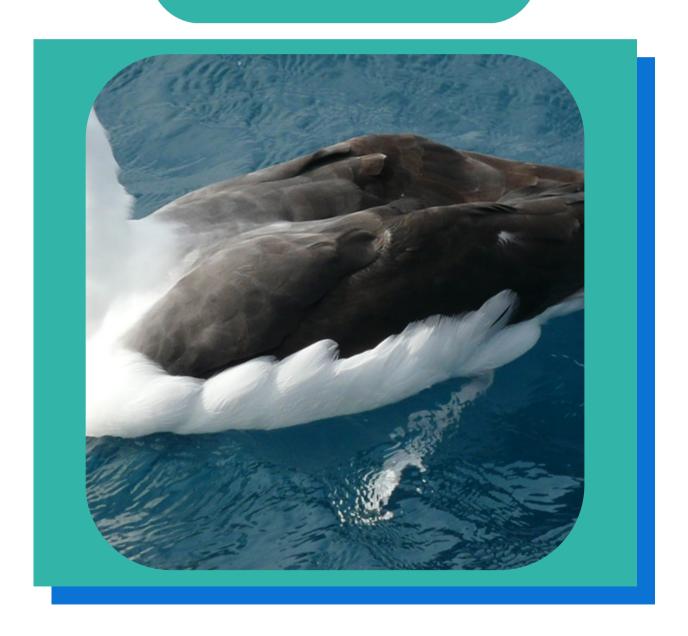
when an animal travels when the seasons change to find food, better living conditions or to breed.





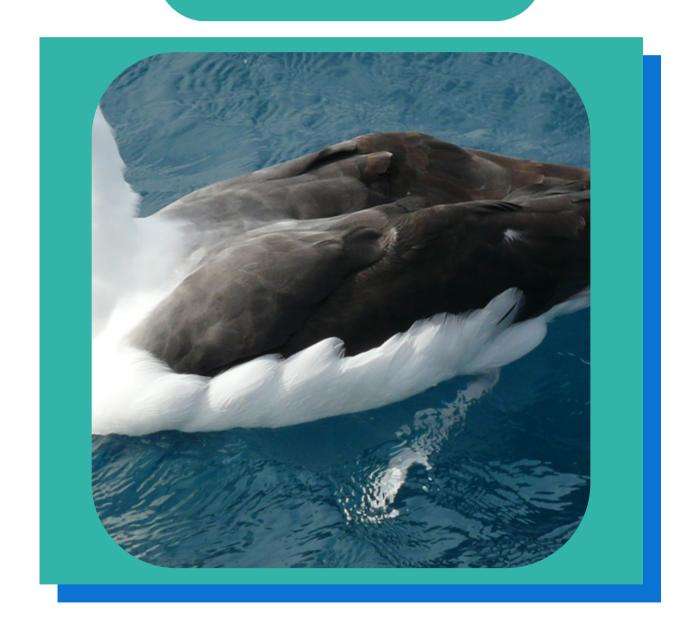
Albatrosses and petrels

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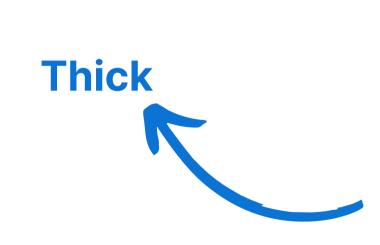


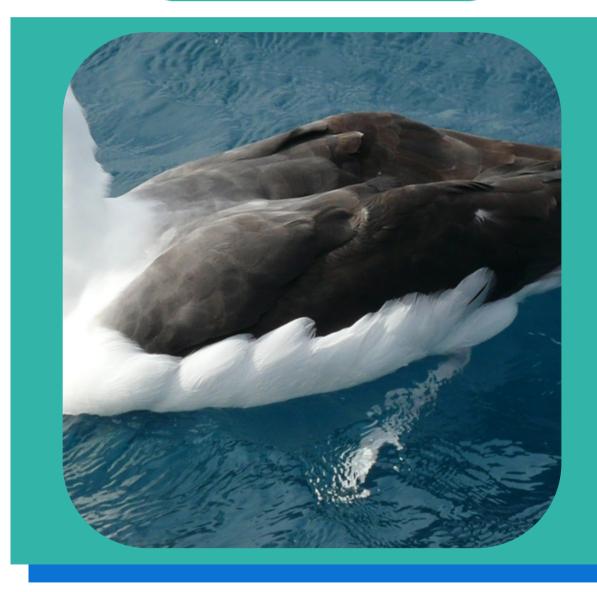
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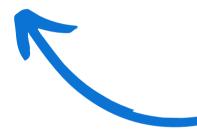


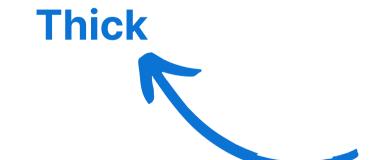




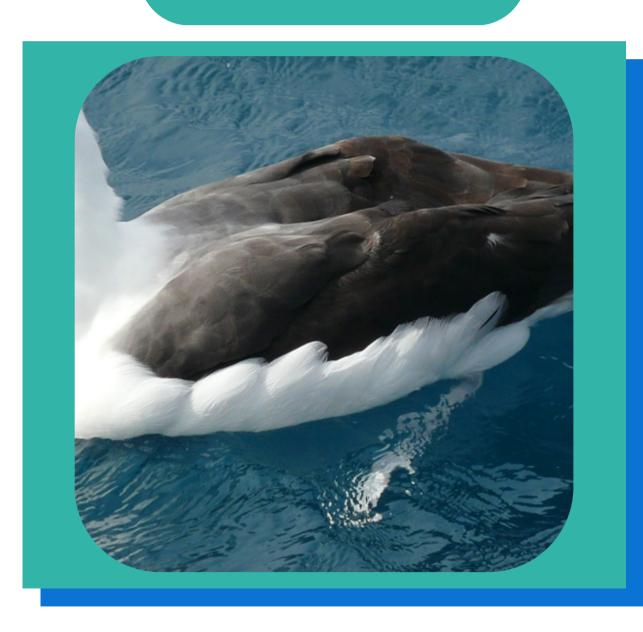
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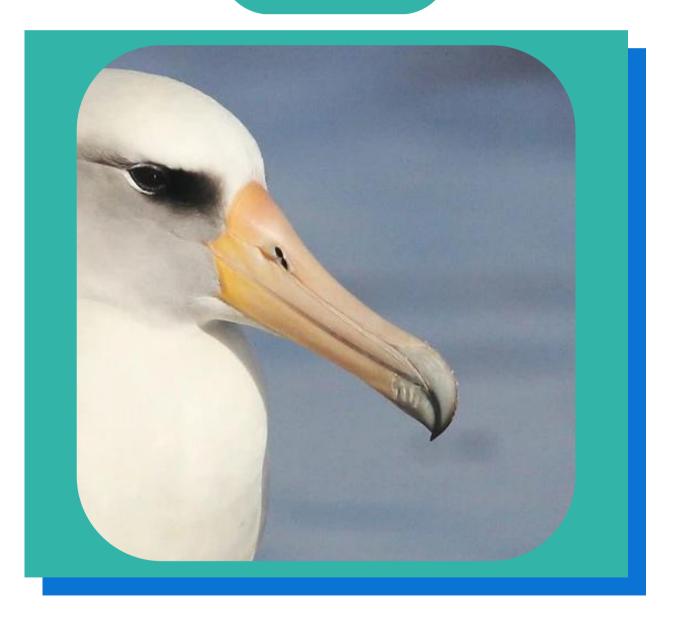
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To keep them warm and dry at sea, in cold climates

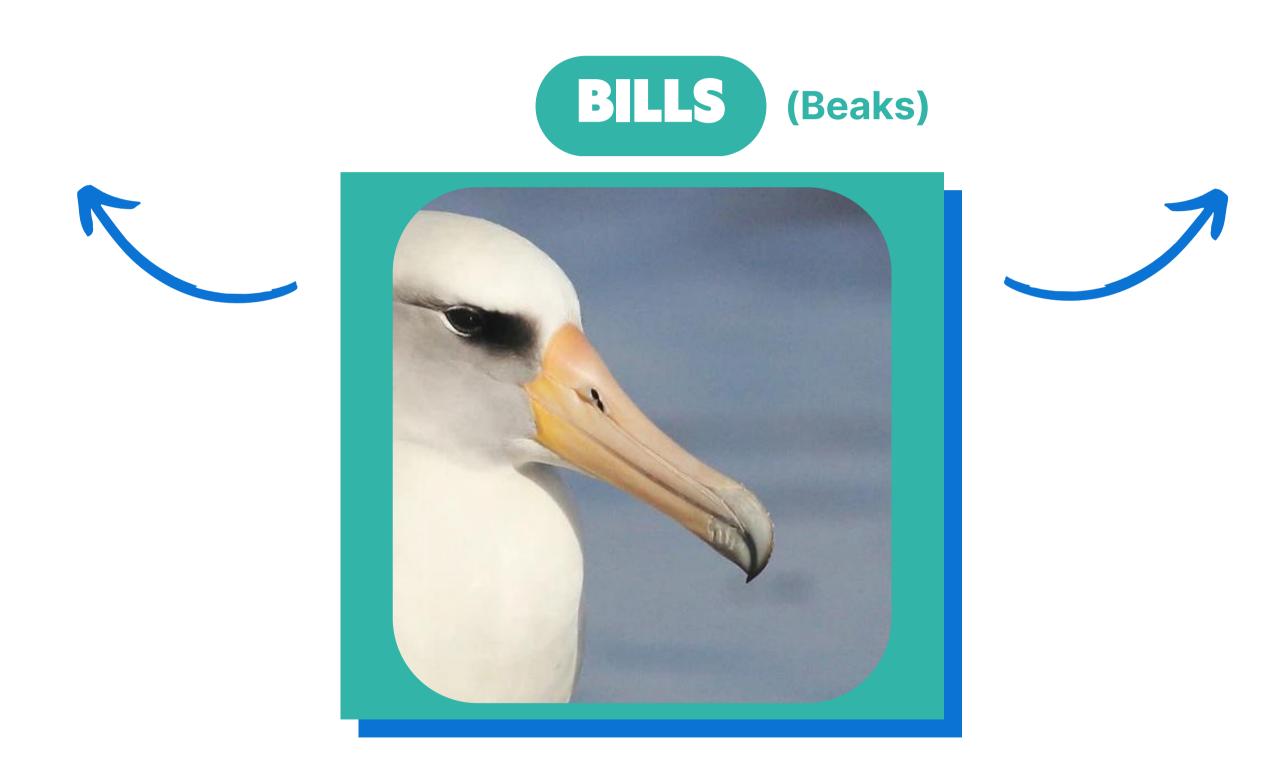
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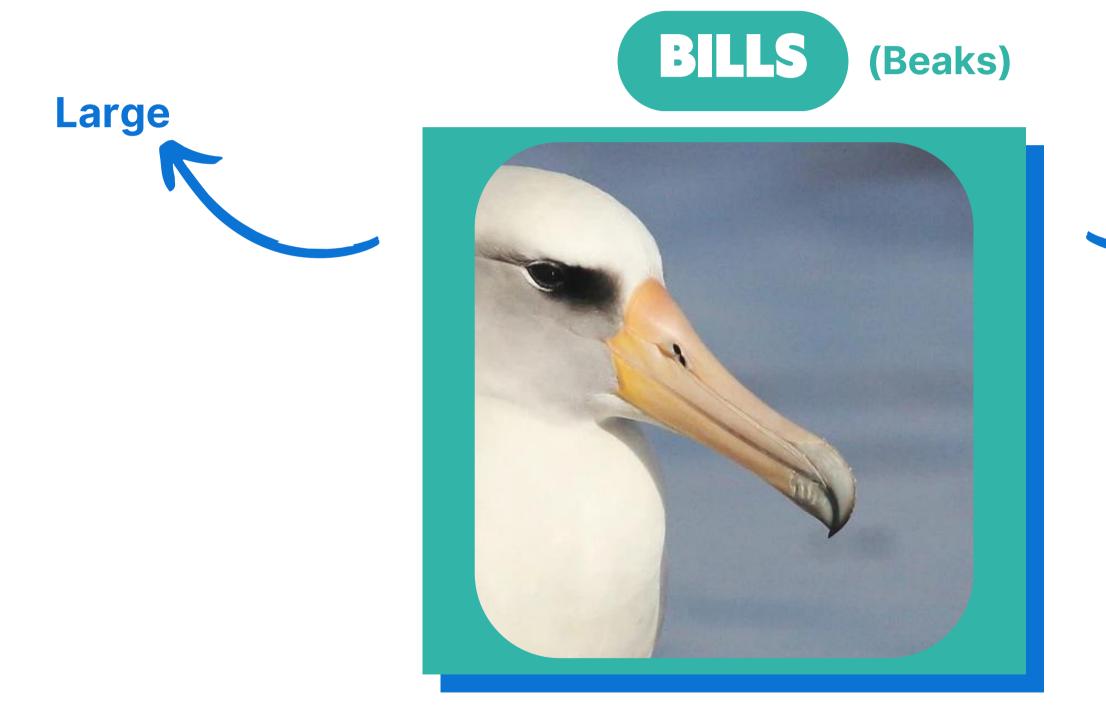






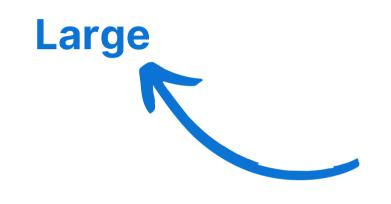


Albatrosses and petrels



Tubenose

Albatrosses and petrels



To catch food easily





Tubenose

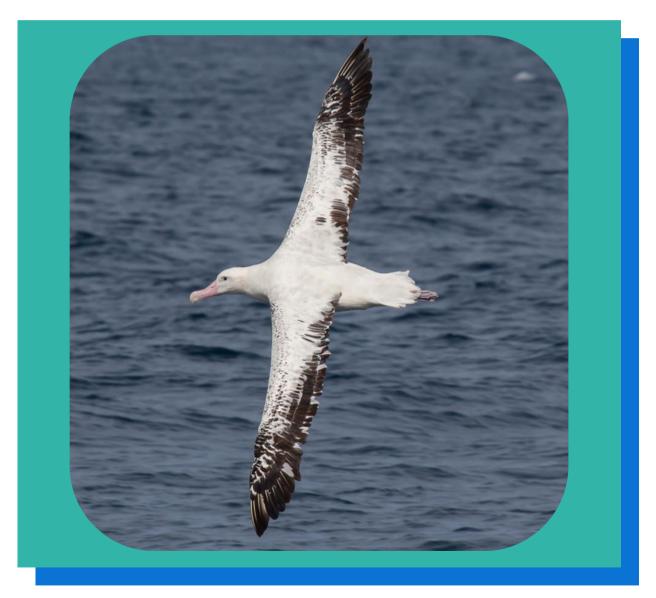


To detect food from far away

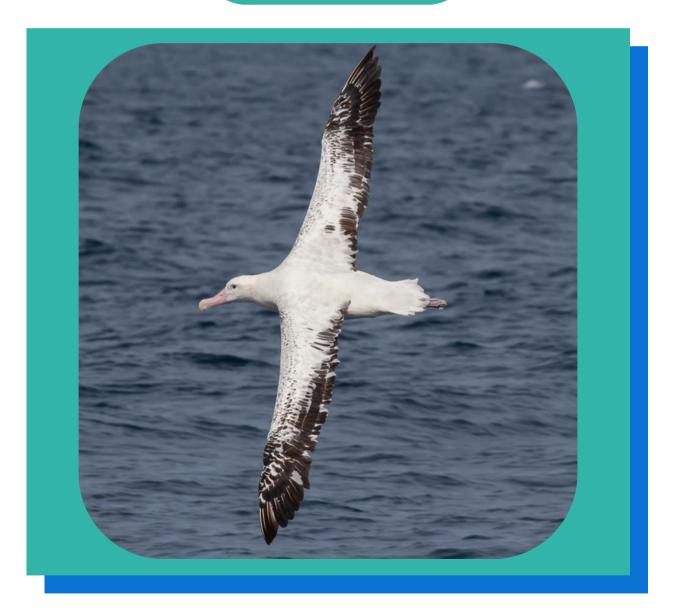
To push out salt

To measure airspeed to decide which direction to soar



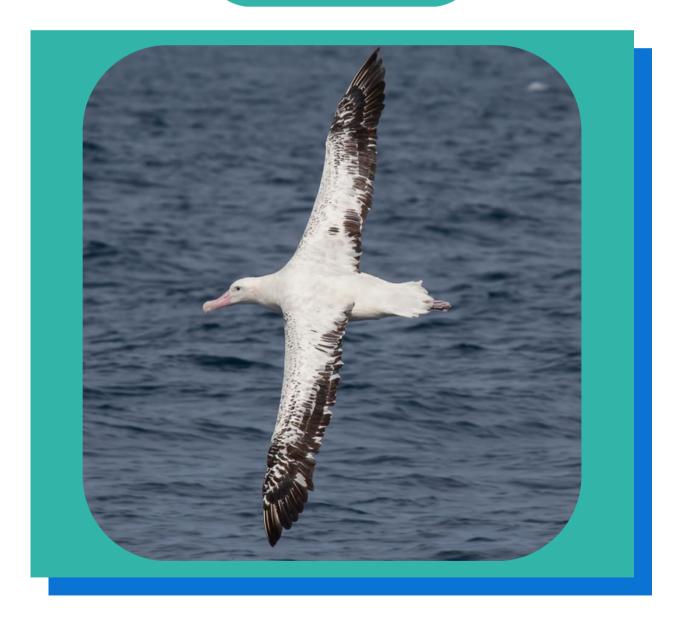












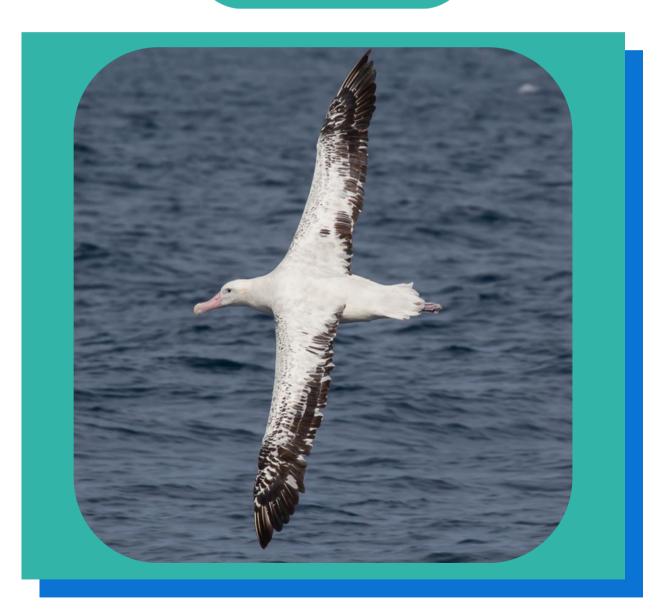


Albatrosses and petrels

Large wingspan



WINGS



Wing-locking system



Albatrosses and petrels

Large wingspan



To soar long distances to find food

WINGS



Wing-locking system



To save energy whilst travelling long distances without flapping their wings - up to 1000 km!

Wandering Albatross

Wingspan: 360 cm

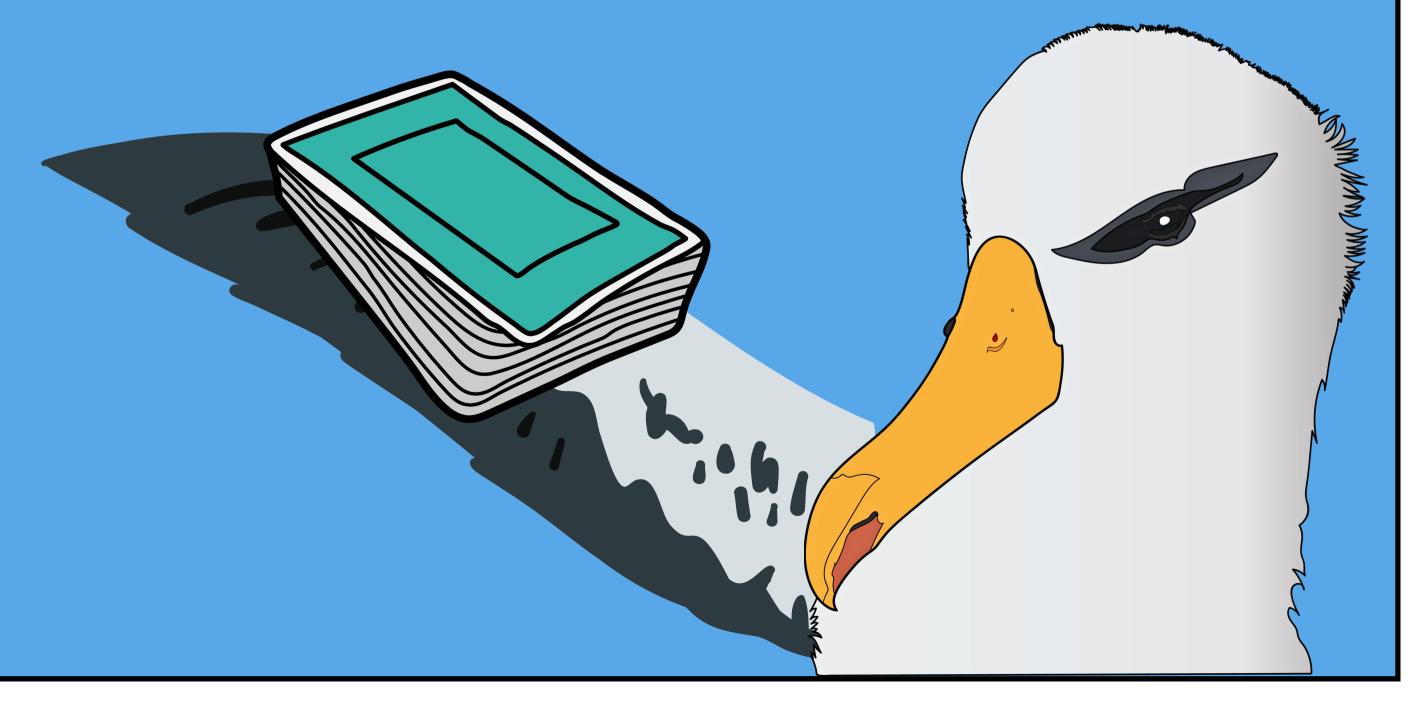
The largest seabird and longest wingspan on Earth!



Body length: 120 cm

Let's play!

Peak Beaks



Peak Beaks

Which seabirds won?

The seabird with the longest wingspan, which is _____, is the _____

The seabird with the longest body, which is _____, is the ____

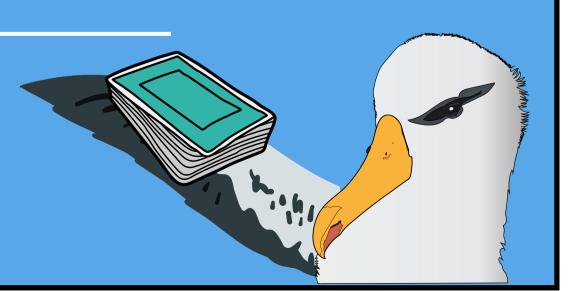
The seabird with the longest generation length, which is _____, is the _____

The seabird with the oldest first breeding age, which is _____, is the _____

The seabird with the largest population, which is _____, is the ____

The seabird with the most breeding territories, which is _____, is the _____

The heaviest seabird, which weighs _____, is the _____



Research activity: The life of a seabird

Create a visual biography of one national seabird species, including:

- Physical characteristics, including identification features and adaptations
- Locations, including breeding sites and migration routes
- Life cycle
- Diet
- Threats and conservation
- Adult population, including population trends

Create a **presentation** of your biography.