

**Birds of Prey Scavenger Hunt V1 (to be used with the birds-of-prey exhibit)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. The American kestrel is the only falcon known to nest in \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The color of the California condor's head may change depending on its \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Golden eagles are sometimes confused with immature \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The feet of the osprey are specially adapted to grip \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The harpy eagle, the national bird of \_\_\_\_\_, may spend up to \_\_\_\_\_ hours a day waiting patiently for its prey to emerge. Its five-inch talons may be larger than the claws of a \_\_\_\_\_.
6. Although the diet of the great horned owl included skunks, birds, and small mammals, it will occasionally take \_\_\_\_\_. The presence of a great horned owl may be revealed by a collection of \_\_\_\_\_ - indigestible masses of bones and fur that the owl regurgitates that often accumulate below its roost.
7. The majestic bald eagle is sometimes referred to as "lazy" because it will gladly \_\_\_\_\_ fish from ospreys and smaller gulls. Like many raptors, populations of bald eagles were decimated by the pesticide known as \_\_\_\_\_ - which is illegal to use today.