



Reptiles & Birds

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REPTILES

Chameleon

- Specialized Lizard
- 160 species that come in many colors:
 - Pink, green, blue, orange, teal, red, and yellow.
- Long tongue and stereoscopic eyes.



Gecko

- Have no eyelids and lick eyes to clean and moisten.
- Over 1500 species.
- Have specialized toe pads that allow them to climb vertical smooth surfaces.
- Have excellent night vision.



Iguana

- Native to Mexico and Costa Rica.
- The Green Iguana is a popular pet.
- Can be four to six feet long.
- Spines on the back and sharp claws.



Lizard

- More than 9000 species exist.
- Differ from snakes as they have feet and external ears.
- Many lizards can detach their tails as a method of escape from predators.



Bearded Dragon

- Live in rocky arid regions.
- Great climbers.
- Broad triangular heads and flattened bodies.
- Spines on neck and in groups along back.
- Popular pets
- 12-24 Inches long.



Snake

- Elongated, legless, carnivore.
- Covered in overlapping scales.
- Good at escaping cages.



Turtle

- Characterized by a special bony or cartilage shield developed from their ribs and acting as a shield.
- Land turtles have short sturdy feet.



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Frog

- Have stout bodies and protruding eyes.
- Frogs can be a lot of work to feed as a pet.



Toad

- Dry, leathery, and bumpy skin.
- Raising toads as pets can be difficult because they require different temperatures and humidity's



BIRDS

Cockatiel

- Small Size
- Easy to Train
- Great Beginner bird.
- Variety of colors



Cockatoo

- Large Breed
- White Bodies
- Have a large vocabulary
- Can be loud and can scream for attention.



Love Birds

- Small and varied in color.
- Great in cages.
- Originated in Ethiopia.
- Easy to tame when young.



Parakeet

- Variety of colors but have black bars over wings and tail feathers.
- Small and easy to care for
- Originated in Australia.



African Gray Parrot

- One of the most intelligent birds.
- Threatened in their natural habitat of the African Rainforest.
- Many sold and traded as pets.



Canary

- Small Breed
- Solid and Brightly Colored.
- Popular Pets that love to sing.
- Need larger cages due to activity needs.



Macaw

- Large Breed
- Variety of Bright colors.
- Smart and get into trouble easily.
- Need protection from cold weather.



Mynah

- Medium sized with strong feet.
- Plumage is dark usually brown to black.
- Nest in holes.
- Noisy birds but can also learn to say words.



Rainbow Lorikeet

- Species of Australian Parrot.
- Medium sized brightly colored bird.
- Heads are blue with a greenish collar



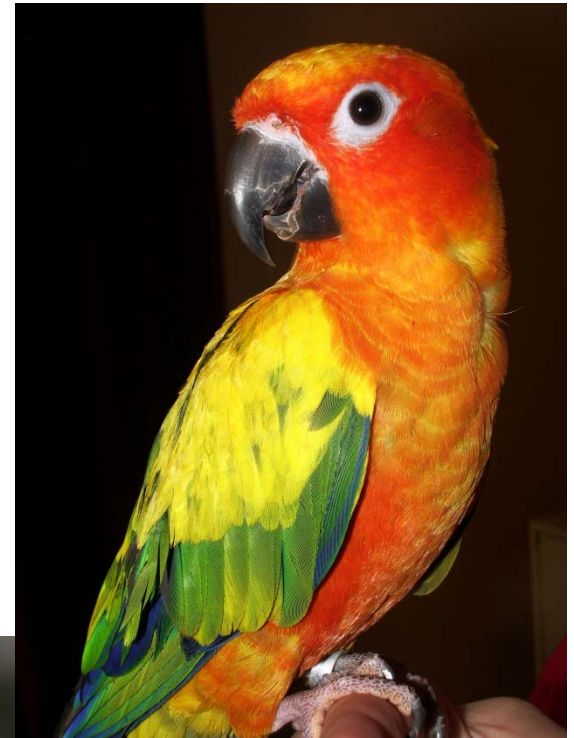
Society Finch

- Very Small breed.
- Easy to care for.
- Originated in Australia and Africa.
- Males are more vocal.



Sun Conure

- Medium Sized
- Variety of Colors
- Originated in South America.
- Active and Playful.



Zebra Finch

- Small bird
- Soft chirping
- Native to Australian Grasslands.
- Live 4-8 Years



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