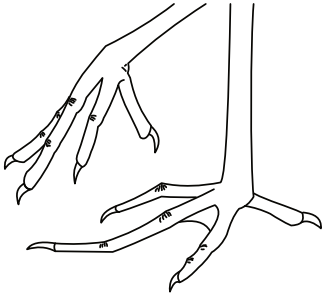


# Great blue heron

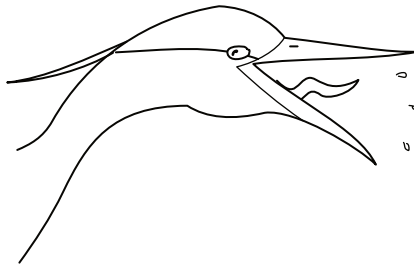
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## FACT or FICTION?

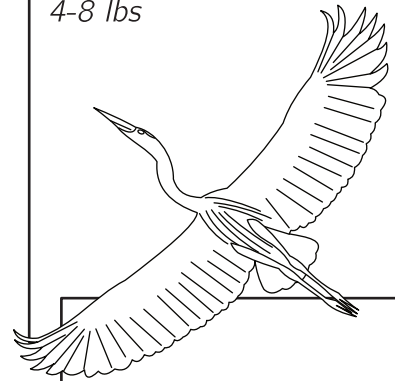
Great blue herons have semipalmate feet



Great blue herons have a beautiful, melodious call



Great blue herons have a six foot wingspan but only weigh 4-8 lbs



## CHARACTERISTICS:

### Diet

- ☐ Avivore
- ☐ Carnivore
- ☐ Herbivore
- ☐ Insectivore
- ☐ Piscivore
- ☐ Omnivore

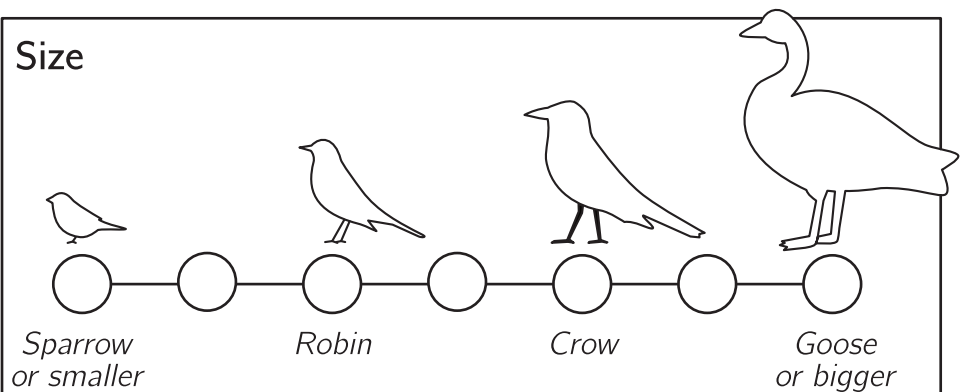
### Nest

- ☐ Burrow
- ☐ Cavity
- ☐ Nest
- ☐ Mound
- ☐ Scrape
- ☐ Other

### Feet

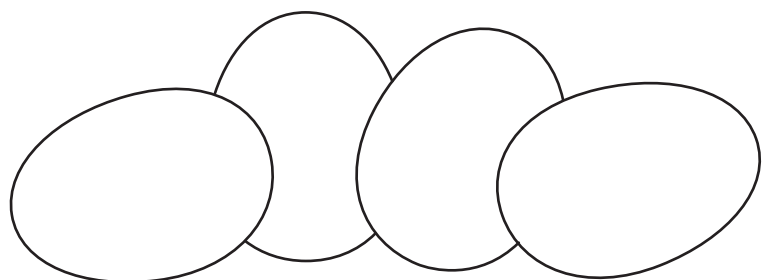
- ☐ Palmate  
(Fully webbed)
- ☐ Semipalmate  
(Partially webbed)
- ☐ Lobate  
(Toes edged with skin)

### Size



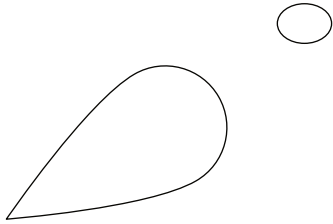
### Beak

- ☐ Spear shaped
- ☐ Hooked like a hawk
- ☐ Lamellate like a duck
- ☐ Something else

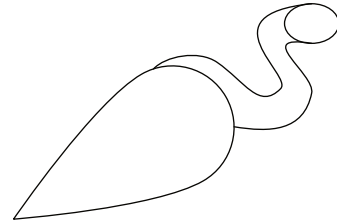


# How to draw a heron

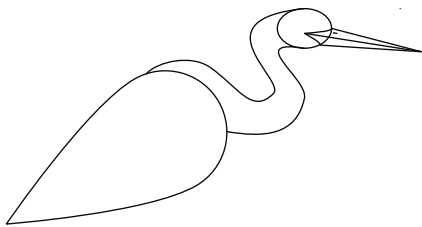
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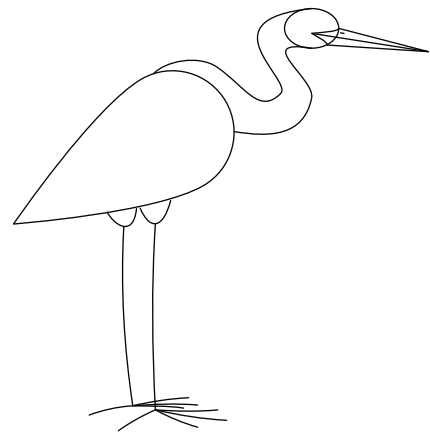
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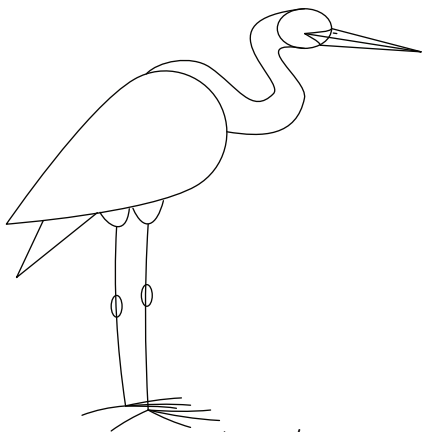
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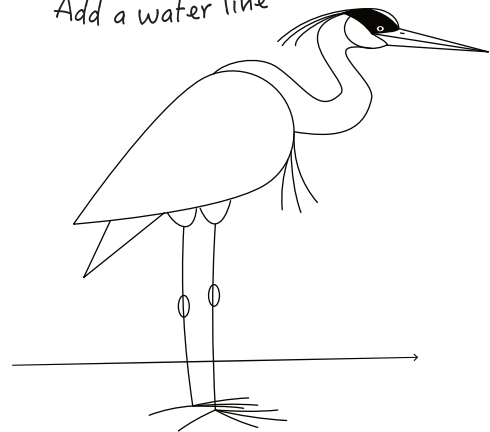


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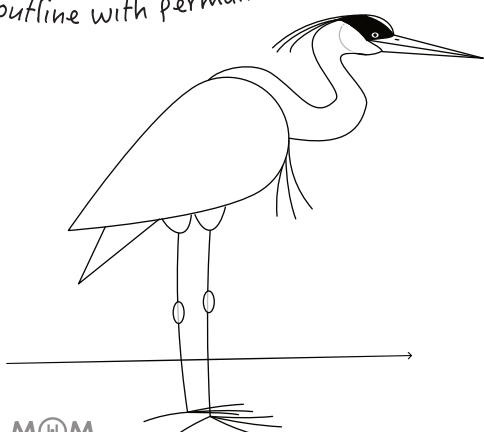
6.

Add a water line



7.

outline with permanent marker



8.

erase the pencil lines

