



BirdLife
MALTA

Children learn about the long migration journeys that millions of birds make, and why many visit Malta along the way.

On the Move



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- 1 Introduce bird migration by showing the children the *Bird Migration / Il-Passa tal-Ghasafar* presentation (Y5F in **Action Pack**).
- 2 Now that the children are familiar with why birds migrate, consolidate their knowledge through a language skills activity using the *What are they saying?* pages (**Resource File** pages 8–15). Discuss the pictures and invite the children to fill the speech bubbles. Situation information about each picture and suggested answers are on pages 16–17. You may wish to use these pages together with the children or use drawings to assess learning.
- 3 Once you are confident that the children have grasped the basics of bird migration, follow the instructions to make *Perching Swallows* (**Resource File** page 18) and play the game *Out of Africa* (**Resource File** page 19).
- 4 For consolidation you can play the game *The Long Journey* (Y5G in **Action Pack**) which emphasises the dangers that birds face during migration.

Use the Dinja Wahda Notice Board and tell the school about what you're doing.

Send photos of children

- ☐ filling in speech bubbles
- ☐ making swallow models

- ☐ playing *The Long Journey* game

