

## Birds USA Exclusive: Bird Grooming Quiz

### Test your knowledge on bird grooming basics

Birds spend much of the day preening their feathers.  
Courtesy Beverly Sholar, Michigan

Quiz Tip: Print out this page before you take the quiz and use it to record your answers for each question.

1. All parrots have an uropygial gland.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_

2. When trimming the wing feathers, only five to seven of the primary feathers should be trimmed.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Wing trimming is permanent.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Birds don't groom their nails.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Grooming the beak should only be done by an avian veterinarian.

- a) True
- b) False

Answer: \_\_\_\_\_ Points: \_\_\_\_\_

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