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Pourquoi ces oiseaux sont-ils aussi mal coiffés ?

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Pourquoi est-ce que les bulbuls ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'ils ont une petite vague sur la tête.




Si j'avais la chevelure d'un bulbul, je
mettrais des barrettes.



Pourquoi est-ce que les huppés ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'elles ont un éventail à froufrous sur la tête.



Si j'avais la chevelure d'une huppe,
je mettrais un bandeau pour la plaquer en arrière.

An illustration on a blue background. On the left, a white swan with a long, black beak and a golden patch on its neck is perched on a dark brown branch. Its head is tilted back, and it has a large, spiky white crest of long, thin feathers radiating from its head. On the right, a young girl with dark skin, wearing glasses, a yellow vest over a white shirt, and white shorts, is also perched on the same branch. She has a large, white, braided hairstyle that mimics the swan's crest. She is looking towards the swan. Several green leaves are scattered around the branch. The overall style is simple and illustrative.

Pourquoi est-ce que les spatules ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'elles ont un vieux pinceau sur la tête.

Si j'avais la chevelure d'une spatule, je
me ferais une grande tresse.

Pourquoi est-ce que les lophophores ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'ils ont un petit plumeau sur la tête.



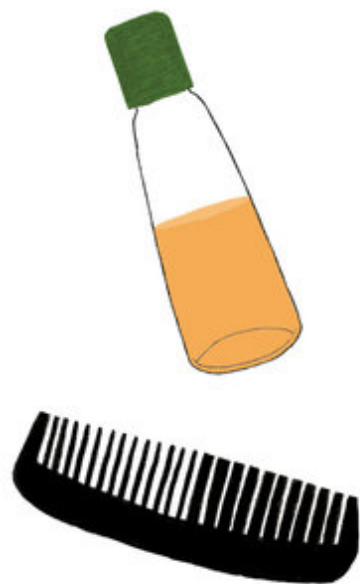
Si j'avais la chevelure d'un lophophore, je
l'attacherais avec de jolis rubans.

Pourquoi est-ce que les hiboux ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'ils ont deux chenilles poilues sur la tête.



Si j'avais la chevelure d'un hibou, je
me ferais des couettes.

Pourquoi est-ce que les drongos ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'ils ont un balai à franges en bataille sur la tête.



Si j'avais la chevelure d'un drongo,
je mettrais du gel et je me peignerais.

Pourquoi est-ce que les calaos ne se coiffent pas ?
On dirait qu'ils ont un casque sur la tête.



Si j'avais la chevelure d'un calao,
je passerais la journée sur mon scooter.

Pourquoi est-ce que les vautours n'ont pas de cheveux ?
Ils sont chauves comme des cailloux.



Si j'avais une tête d'œuf comme eux, je
n'aurais pas besoin de me coiffer !

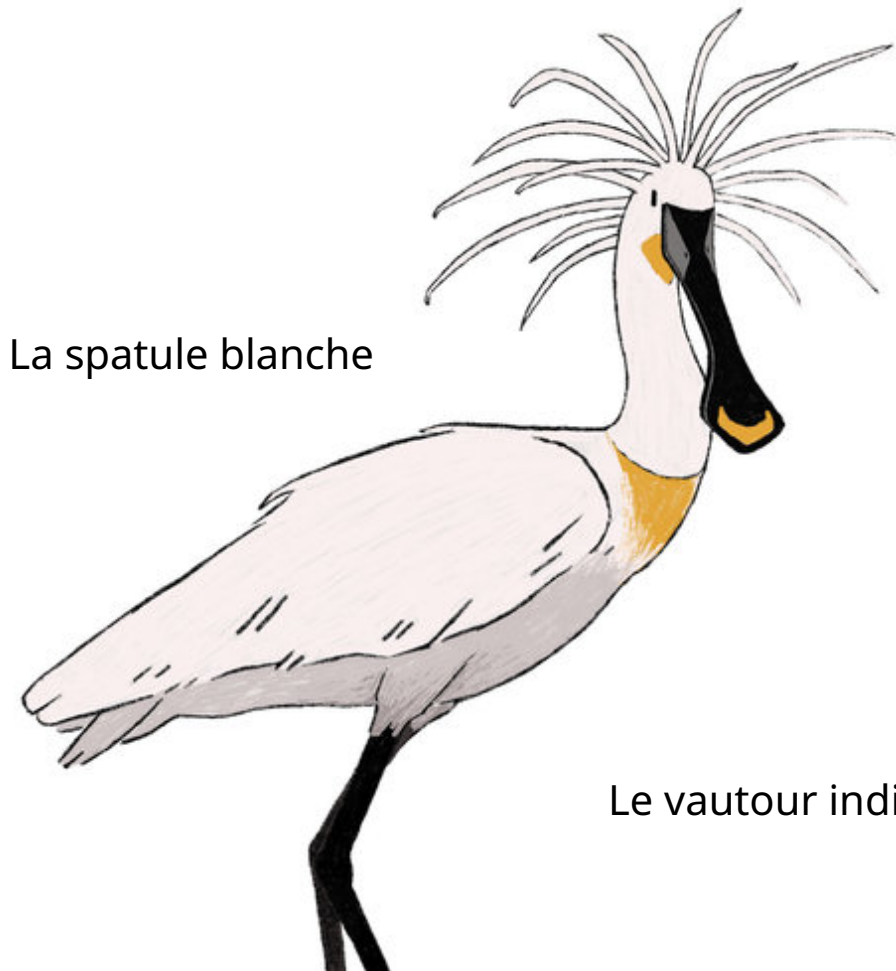
**Voici quelques oiseaux qui sont
coiffés bizarrement !**



Le lophophore resplendissant



La huppe fasciée



La spatule blanche

Le vautour indien



Le bulbul orphée



Le calao bicorne



Le hibou pêcheur

Le drongo à raquettes



Les oiseaux ont-ils des cheveux ?



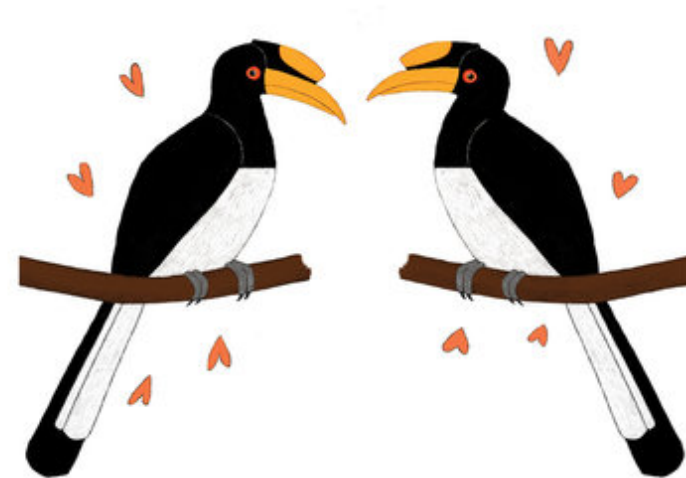
Certains oiseaux ont l'air d'avoir de vrais cheveux sur la tête, mais ce ne sont pas des cheveux comme les nôtres. Ce sont des plumes très fines qui forment une **crête**.

Les crêtes sont très utiles. Elles permettent d'attirer les individus de sexe opposé. Certains oiseaux sont capables de hérissier leur crête ou de la replier pour communiquer entre-eux. Certains hérissent leur crête pour faire fuir leurs congénères ou d'autres animaux.



Les chenilles poilues qui ornent la tête du hibou sont des aigrettes. Ce ne sont pas des oreilles, mais des touffes de plumes. Elles permettent au hibou de se camoufler facilement dans les arbres. Elles lui permettent également d'attirer les individus de sexe opposé ou de faire fuir des oiseaux ou des animaux.

Le bec du calao est surmonté d'un casque. Comme les aigrettes et les crêtes, ce casque permet au calao d'attirer les individus de sexe opposé. Doté d'un bec rendu très puissant grâce à ce casque, le calao peut cueillir des fruits et se nourrir facilement.





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Certains oiseaux sont dotés de chevelures aux formes étonnantes. Que ferais-tu si tu étais comme eux ? Viens faire la découverte d'oiseaux extraordinaires dans ce livre.

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