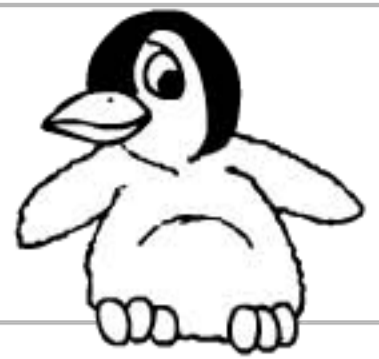


Penguins are birds, but unlike most birds they are not able to fly. They live in the southern half of the world. Many penguins are not afraid of people.



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Penguins are very social and live in colonies. They are very cute, very sturdy, and are excellent parents.

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A male penguin offers a pebble to a female penguin. If she takes it, they become partners. Some penguins don't build nests, instead they carry their eggs on their feet.

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To move quickly penguins flop on their bellies and slide. The legs and feet are set far back on the body, which gives them their upright posture on land.

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Penguins can't fly, but they are great swimmers. They use their wings like paddles to swim through the water.

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Feet are small so that penguins don't lose too much heat as they stand on the cold ice.

They help each other to stay warm: they gather together and keep shuffling around.

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Penguins eat seafood. Their main diet is fish and krill. Some penguins don't drink water. Instead they eat snow.