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The Owl and the Birds

Worksheet · Grades 2–8



Comprehension Questions

1. What advice did the Owl give to the Birds regarding the acorn?

2. Why did the Birds ignore the Owl's warnings?

3. What ultimately happened that made the Birds respect the Owl's wisdom?

4. What moral lesson can be derived from the story?

Vocabulary Matching Exercise

Match the words on the left with their correct meanings on the right.

Word	Meaning
1. Acorn	A) A type of bird known for its wisdom
2. Mistletoe	B) A seed from an oak tree

3. Archer	C) A plant associated with Christmas
4. Bird-lime	D) A person who uses a bow and arrow
5. Folly	E) A foolish act or mistake

Writing/Reflection Task

Reflect on the story and write your thoughts in the space below. Consider the following questions: Why is it important to listen to wise counsel? Have you ever ignored advice that you later regretted?