

PROJECT SLIDE EXAMPLE OF A ROBIN (DO NOT USE THIS AS YOUR EXAMPLE)

Innate Behavior

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- **Behavior Description:** Robins show innate behavior in the form of nest building. When it's time to reproduce, male and female robins instinctively gather materials such as twigs, grass, and mud to construct a nest. They use their beaks and feet to weave these materials into sturdy structures, often in trees, shrubs, or ledges. This instinctual behavior helps robins have a safe place to lay their eggs and raise their young. It's programmed into them from birth, and they don't need to be taught how to build a nest; they know how to do it instinctively.



Works Cited

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