

CBJ DRAWING LESSONS

#D19-10 "Songbird"

DIRECTIONS: P-I-E (Pencil, Ink, Erase) First use PENCIL, Draw the Red ink in each step. Then INK all lines, ERASE Pencil. COLOR

#1. In pencil, lightly make guidelines to draw a series of ellipses. Two of them nest together with the smaller one resting closer to the right side of the large one.

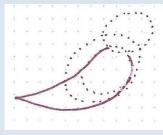
#2. The third oval is on the upper-right and just slightly overlaps the middle oval.

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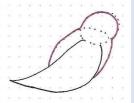
#3. Use the guides to draw a wing. The upper portion follows the middle oval along the left side and ends in an upswept point on the

upswept point on the back. The front of the wing starts on the middle oval then drops down to follow the large oval before joining the first line at the wing tip.



#4. Follow the back of the large oval up, indent slightly at the joining of the two ovals, continue over the head and back down to another slight indent at the other join on the

indent at the other join on the right side. Finish by following the body down to the front of the wing.



#5. Draw a back wing by echoing the sweep and point of the front wing, stopping in the center of the back.

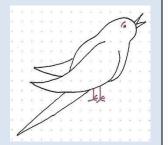
#6. Add a long, pointed tail.

#7. Add an open beak. Note that the upper beak is longer than the lower.

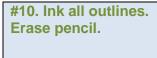


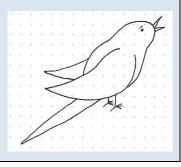
#8. Add eye and brow.

#9. Add two legs straight down and feet with one claw to the back and three claws to the front.



#11. Color as desired. There are any number of songbirds with varied color markings. You can look them up in Pinterest or Google Images or a book on birds for reference photos to guide your coloring.





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