

Do Ahead

Game Cards

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GO
Sunny day. Perfect day for flying. **Fly on to the next stopover.**

GO BACK
Wetland is GONE! Someone built an apartment building. **Go back 1 stopover to rest and eat.**

YIELD
POURING! Heavy rain. **Stay here until you count to 100. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

STOP
OH NO! Eaten by a predator. **Die a dramatic death. Log your death.**

GO
Catch a breeze! **Fly on to the next stopover.**

YIELD
OUCH! Diving for a fish, you get a hook in your wing. **Stay at this stopover until an Audubon volunteer removes it. Stretch your wings 5 times. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

YIELD
Caught! A scientist is banding your legs so your flight can be tracked. **Kick and flap your wings 10 times. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

STOP
Bright lights ahead! Whoa, the lighthouse beam confused you. You crashed into it. **Die a dramatic death. Log your death.**

GO
Ride'em...barge? Caught a ride on a barge. **Go to the next stopover.**

YIELD
Smell that! It's your favorite food. You stay to eat your fill. **Sing a happy song. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

GO BACK
Holy frozen fish! Pond stopover is still frozen. **Go back 1 stopover.**

STOP
Watch OUT. Airplane ahead. Oh No! You flew into it. **Die a dramatic death. Log your death.**

GO
Mmmm good! A farmer has planted your favorite berries. **Fly on to the next stopover.**

YIELD
BRRRRR Frost last night. **Flap your wings 10 times to warm yourself. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

YIELD
Whew! You have been flying all night and are very tired. **Count to 100 while you rest some more. Then fly on to the next stopover.**

STOP
OH NO! You flew into the side of a glass building. **Die a dramatic death. Log your death.**



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<p>GO</p> <p>Flying high! You flew high enough to catch a fast tailwind. Fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Yuck! Someone sprayed the field with pesticide. Roll on the floor and moan 6 times. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Tornado blew you off course. Spell “migration” aloud 5 times. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>GO</p> <p>Hooray! You made it to a National Wildlife Refuge! You’re protected here. Fly on to the next stopover.</p>
<p>GO</p> <p>Do you hear birds singing! Sing your favorite song. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>You spotted a potential mate. Do a courtship dance! Flap your arms and run in circles while you count to 50. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>GO</p> <p>Yum. School kids planted some of your favorite food. Now you’re all fueled up. Fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>STOP</p> <p>OH NO! You got caught by someone’s cat. Die a dramatic death. Log your death.</p>
<p>GO</p> <p>Mayflies are hatching! Mayflies are hatching! Eat up and fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Holy Hurricane, Batman! Blown off course. Circle the stopover 10 times. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Watch Out! Almost hit by a jet ski. Lie down and count to 10. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Pea Soup? Fog? Draw a picture of yourself as a bird as you wait for the fog to clear. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>
<p>STOP</p> <p>OH NO! You perched on a faulty power line. Die a dramatic death. Log your death.</p>	<p>YIELD</p> <p>Hold up! The youngsters need to rest. Hop on 1 foot and recite the 4 times table. Then fly on to the next stopover.</p>	<p>STOP</p> <p>OH NO! You cannot find a safe place to stop! You become too tired to go on. Die a dramatic death. Log your death.</p>	<p>GO</p> <p>Students created bird habitat in their schoolyard! It’s the perfect place to eat and rest. Fly on to the next stopover.</p>



Stopover Labels

Copy this page 1-sided and cut each label out. To add your city park or another regional stopover, adjust your copier so that the light gray box description does not copy. Enlarge these labels on the copier as necessary. Then fill in your regional stopover. Suggestion: Have students draw, paint or build dioramas for each stopover.

Canada

Upper Mississippi River NWFR, MN

Upper Mississippi River NWFR, WI

Upper Mississippi River NWFR, IL

Upper Mississippi River NWFR, IA

Two Rivers National Wildlife Refuge, IL

Riverlands Migratory Bird Sanctuary, MO

Great River National Wildlife Refuge, MO

Delta National Wildlife Refuge, LA

Central America

(Your City Park)

NWFR = National Wildlife and Fish Refuge