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## How \& Why Animals Prepare for Winter



A flock of gulls takes to the air. Summer is over, and these birds are flying south. Winter will bring cold, ice, and snow. Food will be hard to find. But the gulls will have plenty to eat in the warm south.

Many birds migrate, or fly south for winter. None flies farther than the Arctic tern. This bird travels all the way from the Arctic, near the North Pole, to the Antarctic, near the South Pole. That's 11,000 miles!

