**Owl Facts – Eyes**

* Owls’ eyes are ‘fixed’. This means that an owl cannot move its eyes.
* Because it cannot move its eyes, an owl can move its head almost

all the way round. Extra vertebrae in its neck make this possible.

* Owls don’t see colours in detail. Their world is pale and almost colourless.
* The colour of the eyes tells us (in most cases) at what time of day the owl hunts:

Yellow, or white = diurnal (daytime hunters)

Orange = crepuscular (dawn / dusk hunters)

Black, or brown = nocturnal (night hunters)

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