Wild Wetlands

Many animals have camouflage to survive in the wetland habitat. The **American Bittern** is a type of heron that lives near the wetlands. The Bittern’s body feathers help it hide in the freshwater marsh and sneak up on its prey.

1- Choose a place where you would like to make your Bittern hide
2- Color the feathers to match the colors of the spot you chose
3- Cut out the Bittern outline and all the feathers
4- Glue the feathers to the Bittern outline, with feathers overlapping and smaller feathers by the Bittern’s head and belly
5- Hide your completed Bittern and see if another group can find it!
body feathers

tail feathers

face & belly feathers

body feathers