Spotlight on Science
LESSON STARTERS

Birds blind to the danger of windfarms: how green is green energy?
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Learning objectives:
By the end of this lesson you should be able to:
1. Understand the challenges that birds have moving around their environment?
2. Consider the impacts that green energy can have on the environment?

Points to discuss:
• What is happening to vulture populations around the world?
• Why do we care about vultures? What ecosystem services do they provide?
• What are the reasons behind this decline in vulture populations around the world?

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