

# TYPES OF BEAKS

## SEED EATING BEAK:-

They exhibit very strong, short conical beak.

They strong powerful beaks are also used for crushing large and hard shelled seed and fruits

Ex= sparrow



## Cutting beaks

- ▶ Some birds are long and sharp and slender beaks
- ▶ Which are used in various ways
- ▶ Ex= crow

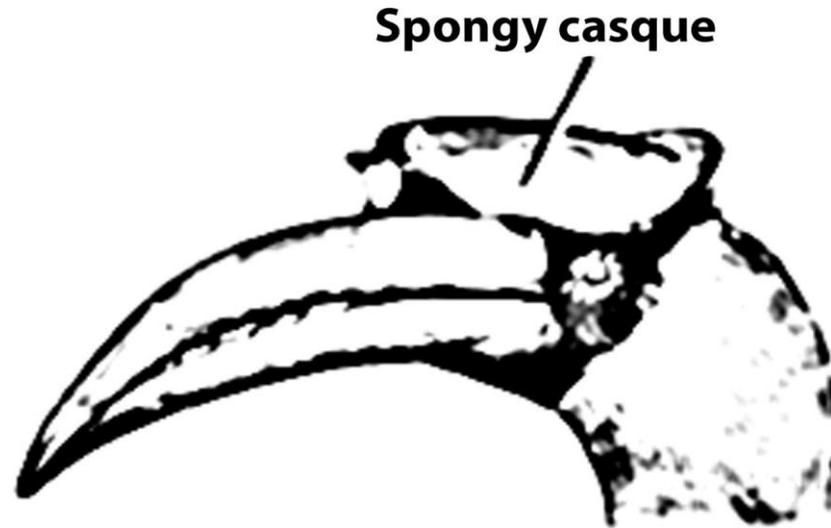
**Long slender beak**



**Cutting Beak - Crow**

## Fruit eating beak

- ▶ Many birds feed on fruits hence their beaks adapted for breaking hard fruits nut seed
- ▶ In case of parrot beak is very sharp massive and deeply hooked
- ▶ Ex= harnbill



**Fruit eating beak- Hornbill**

# Insectivorous beak

- ▶ Many birds are insectivorous hence their beaks are adapted for catching the insects
- ▶ The beaks is small wide and delicate
- ▶ Ex=hoopoe



## Wood chiselling beak

- ▶ This type of beak is long ,straight
- ▶ Which is useful for drilling into dark or wood for insect larava
- ▶ Ex=woodpecker



## Tearing and piercing beak

- ▶ The carnivorous birds which feed on carrion
- ▶ Such as eagles, owl, kites
- ▶ The hooked beaks for tearing flesh
- ▶ Ex=vulture, eagle



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