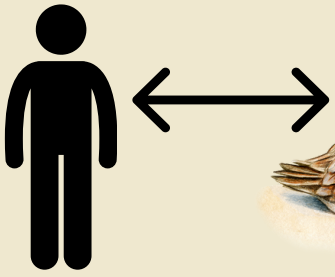


#SHARETHESHORE

Hi Friend! We can totally share the beach if you follow the tips below. It will definitely help me and other shorebirds to safely nest and raise our chicks.



WATCH YOUR DISTANCE

Sure these birds know how to camouflage but if you do find a nest, give them space. Getting too close can alarm the parents causing them to use precious energy in nest defense behavior.



RESPECT POSTED AREAS

Do not wander into roped off or fenced in areas.



NEVER FORCE BIRDS TO FLY

These birds spent a lot of energy arriving here, shorebirds and seabirds make some of the most impressive migrations! Don't chase these little beach runners.



KEEP PETS AWAY FROM NESTING AREAS

Even the most well trained dogs can be tempted to chase birds. It's always best to keep your pets on a leash near nesting sites.



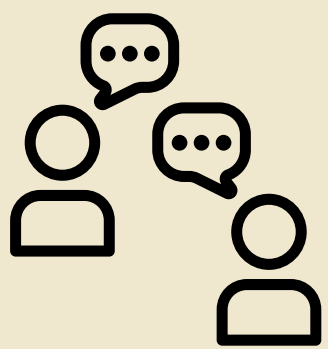
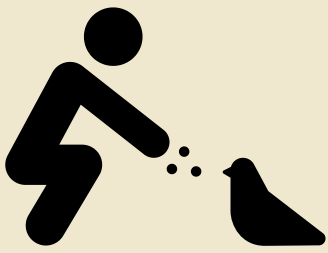
HELP KEEP THE BEACH CLEAN

Seabirds and shorebirds have some of the highest ingestion rates of plastic - help those little fluffs get the proper nutrition they need by using bins, if provided, or taking a garbage bag with you to the beach.



DO NOT FEED THE WILDLIFE

Growing fluff balls have specific nutrition requirements that parents can provide.



SPREAD THE WORD

If you see people disturbing nesting shorebirds, gently remind them of the consequences their actions have. Some areas even have hotlines to report offenders.



I need my energy to look for food!



THANK YOU!
For giving me space

