Facts About Fledglings in Perinton



Leave us where you found us. We will be flying on our own soon



A bird is in the fledging stage if it has feathers and can hop or attempt to fly. It may appear helpless at times, but this is all a normal aspect of learning to fly.



If you observe a baby bird stumbling on the ground, hardly able to fly, possibly wailing for its mother, leave them there. They are most likely not orphans and are being cared after by their parents.



As heartbreaking as it may seem, you are not abandoning the newborn bird, it's best chance of survival is always with its parents. They will ensure that the youngster is nourished and sheltered during this difficult stage, which usually lasts only a few days.



You may help safeguard the fledglings by keeping cats indoors and encourage your neighbors to do the same.