

Aeroplanes vs Albatross

Aeroplanes have many similarities with the amazing albatross. Below are 4 features that both have in common. Use a variety of research tools to find out how the natural design of the greatest flying bird of all time helped engineers design our modern day aeroplanes and write your findings in the boxes below.

Tail



Orville Wright piloted the first flight, which lasted for 12 seconds and covered a distance of approximately 120 feet (36 meters).

Wings



Nose



Body Shape

Albatross can fly up to 1000km in a single day. That's from Melbourne to Sydney.