



I read and answer

The Great Tit

The Great Tit will often come if you put some nuts or fat on a string for it to eat. It plays on the string and will make you laugh at its tricks. It makes its nest in holes in trees. If you are its friend, it may use a nest-box that you put out for it. Its nest is made of moss and hair. It has one family in the year. With its thin, black bill it eats insects, nuts and seeds.

The Great Tit hops and creeps on the twigs, and does not spend much time on the ground. It sings well with a loud song. Some people say it sounds as if it says 'tea-cher'.

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