

Woodpecker Wonders: Glossary

extinct: (*adj*) no longer existing

Synonym: *dead, extinguished*

cockade: (*noun*) an ornament worn on a hat

Synonym: *feather, rosette*

forage: (*verb*) to search for food or supplies

Synonym: *graze*

chisel: (*adj*) an angled shaped tool used for scraping wood or stone

Synonym: *cut sharply*

chisel: (*noun*) to cut or shape

Synonym: *carve*

excavate: (*verb*) to hollow out, to dig out and remove

Synonym: *dig, uncover*

cavities: (*noun*) a hollow place

Synonym: *hole*

heartwood: (*noun*) older, harder, darker wood in the central part of tree trunk

resin: (*noun*) yellowish sticky substance from the sap or gum of some trees

barrier: (*noun*) something that blocks the way

Synonym: *obstacle*

endangered: (*adj*) threatened with extinction

stable: (*adj*) not changing, firmly established

Synonym: *constant*

