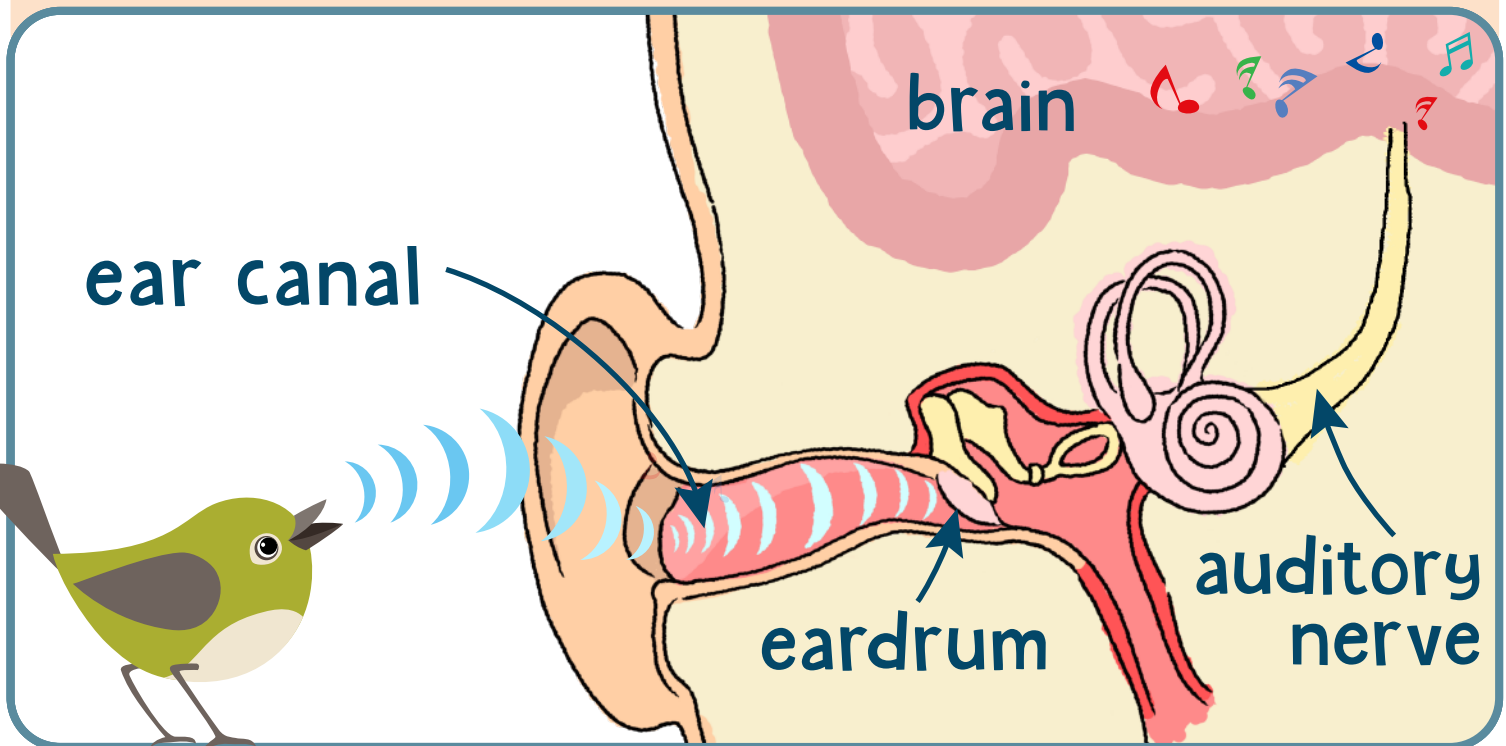


How We Hear Sounds

Read the text and look at the picture to learn how we hear sounds. Then, answer the questions by checking off the correct answers.

We hear sounds thanks to our **ears**. The outer part of the **ear** gathers sound from the outside and directs it through the **ear canal** to the **eardrum**. Tiny bones in the ear **vibrate**. Those vibrations become a **sound signal**, which travels to our **brain** through the **auditory nerve**.



1 What do our ears gather from the outside world?

sounds

light
waves

smells

2 What goes to our brain through the auditory nerve?

vibrations

sound
signals

images