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### Temperature

Although caged birds such as budgies, canaries and cockatiels are natives of hot countries they cannot necessarily tolerate excessively high temperatures and are most comfortable around 18 degrees Celsius. So keep this in mind when the summer sun is beating through your window on your sweltering canaries, and simply close the curtains or move the cage to a more shaded part of your home.

### Drinking Water

In addition, it is especially vital that you ensure your pet has fresh drinking water as just like us humans, birds also tend to drink more during the summer months when the weather is at its warmest. It's also a good idea to connect a bird bath to the cage (found in most pet stores) as this will give your pet the opportunity to have a splash about and cool down!

### The Great Escape!...

Finally, in the summer we tend to leave windows open more often so be aware of the possible instance of your pet attempting to make a quick get away through an open window, after all survival would be difficult without all their home comforts!