



BIRD SCAVENGER HUNT

We recommend using the phone app Merlin Bird ID, for a handy bird identification guide. Scan the QR code to download. Then press "explore birds" for a photo list of local birds.



Bird Tally

Every time you see a bird draw a tally line in the box. If you know what type of bird it is, you can list that too!

Example:

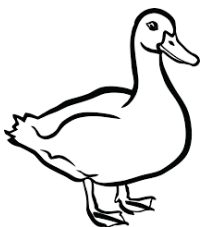
American Robin ||||

Even when you don't see birds, there are still plenty of signs that birds are near. Search for.....

- Feathers
- Nest
- Berries (birds like to eat these!)
- Bugs (birds also like to eat these!)
- Bird tracks
- A bird call

Head close to the water to look for waterfowl. Waterfowl is a name given to birds that spend a lot of time in or around water.

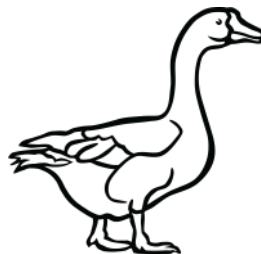
Circle the waterfowl that you spot!



DUCK



GULL



GOOSE



CORMORANT

ORNITHOLOGIST FIELD NOTES

When scientists study birds, they make observations by drawing sketches and writing descriptions of what they see.

Look for a bird and make you own observations by drawing and answering the questions below.



Date and Time of Sighting

Location (Where did you see the bird?)

Bird Behaviors (What was it doing?)

Appearance (What did it look like?)