

Name that bird - Questions & Answers

Can your Brownies or Rainbows name all the birds featured below?

Here's some questions to get you thinking:

- Have you ever seen any of these birds before? If yes, then where did you see them? Did you see them in your garden, on a walk or did you see them in the city center or at school?
- Where do you think these birds live? In trees, in houses, on the water?
- What do you think these birds eat and do you think there is a particular time of year they might need help finding food to eat?

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Name that bird: Blue Tit

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Name that bird: Carrion Crow

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Name that bird: Chaffinch

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Name that bird: Great Tit

Working together to give nature a home:



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Name that bird: **Greenfinch** -----

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Name that bird: **House Sparrow** -----

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Name that bird: **Magpie** -----

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Name that bird: **Mallard** -----

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Name that bird: **Robin** -----

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Name that bird: **Song Thrush** -----

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Name that bird: **Wood Pigeon** _____

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Name that bird: **Black Headed Gull** _____



Some fun facts about some of the birds featured:

- Seagulls can live for up to 20 years.
- Blue tits weigh between 9 and 11 grams which is less than a Freddo bar.
- In 2015, the Robin was named England's first national bird. Robins often hang around gardens whilst soil is being turned as they are hoping to get easy access to worms.
- Crows and Ravens can be found on every continent of the world except for Antarctica and South America. There are over 40 species.
- Do your Brownies and Rainbows know how many Ravens there are supposed to be at the Tower of London? What will happen if they leave?
- Even though they are sometimes seen as a pest, pigeons are well known for having outstanding navigational skills. In WW1 and WW2 carrier pigeons were used to send messages across the channel. For their service 32 pigeons were awarded medals.
- The thrush is part of the same bird family as the blackbird and there are which are either black or brown in colour. In the UK there are two common types of thrush the mistletoe thrush and the song thrush.