

Birdlife in our Parks

There are many ways you can enjoy our company without feeding us. Why not challenge yourself to identify as many different duck or waterbird species as you can?



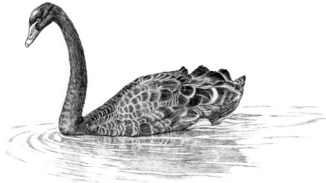
Australian White Ibis
(*Threskiornis molucca*)
Size: 75cm
Habitat: Most habitats including wetlands, pastures, grasslands, parks, gardens and waste facilities

Straw-necked Ibis
(*Threskiornis spinicollis*)
Size: 65-70cm
Habitat: Shallow freshwater wetlands and pastures

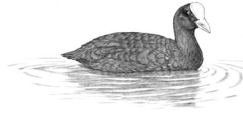


Little Egret
(*Egretta garzetta*)
Size: 55-65cm
Habitat: Wetlands and intertidal mud-flats

Black Swan
(*Cygnus atratus*)
Size: 106-142cm
Habitat: Large expanses of open water, from fresh through to salt



Eurasian Coot
(*Fulica atra*)
Size: 32-39cm
Habitat: Swamps and lakes



Australian Pelican
(*Pelecanus conspicillatus*)
Size: 160-180cm
Habitat: Freshwater and marine wetlands



Cattle Egret
(*Ardea ibis*)
Size: 46-54cm
Habitat: Pastures, among stock and shallows of wetlands

White-faced Heron
(*Egretta novaehollandiae*)
Size: 60-70cm
Habitat: Pastures, farm dams, parklands and most wetlands



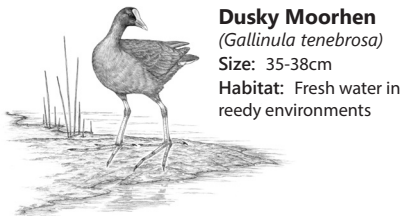
Purple Swamphen
(*Porphyrio porphyrio*)
Size: 44-48cm
Habitat: Swamps and marshy paddocks



Darter
(*Anhinga melanogaster*)
Size: 90cm
Habitat: Lakes, rivers and swamps



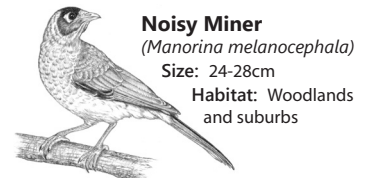
Pacific Black Duck
(*Anas superciliosa*)
Size: 47-60cm
Habitat: Deep permanent, thickly vegetated swamps, and open waters



Dusky Moorhen
(*Gallinula tenebrosa*)
Size: 35-38cm
Habitat: Fresh water in reedy environments



Black-faced Cuckoo
(*Coracina novaehollandiae*)
Size: 33cm
Habitat: Open woodlands and forests



Noisy Miner
(*Manorina melanocephala*)
Size: 24-28cm
Habitat: Woodlands and suburbs

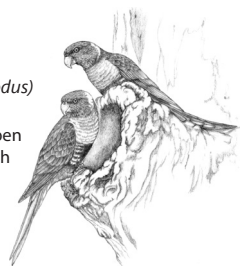
Brown Honeyeater
(*Lichmera indistincta*)
Size: 12-16cm
Habitat: Mangroves, forests, heath and suburbs



Pale-headed Rosella
(*Platycercus adscitus*)
Size: 30cm
Habitat: Open forests, woodlands and farm lands



Rainbow Lorikeet
(*Trichoglossus haematodus*)
Size: 28cm
Habitat: Rainforests, open forests, woodlands, heath and gardens



Blue-faced Honeyeater
(*Entomyzon cyanotis*)
Size: 25-32cm
Habitat: Open forests

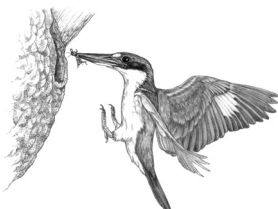


Figbird
(*Sphecotheres viridis*)
Size: 27-30cm
Habitat: Rainforest edges and parks

Little Pied Cormorant
(*Phalacrocorax melanoleucus*)
Size: 50-55cm
Habitat: Most aquatic habitats



Forest Kingfisher
(*Todiramphus macleayi*)
Size: 20cm
Habitat: Open forests, wetlands, mangroves and woodlands



Royal Spoonbill
(*Platalea regia*)
Size: 75-80cm
Habitat: Swamps and shallow reedy sections of lakes, rivers or streams. At times they stray to urban ponds.



Little Black Cormorant
(*Phalacrocorax sulcirostris*)
Size: 60-65cm
Habitat: Aquatic habitats