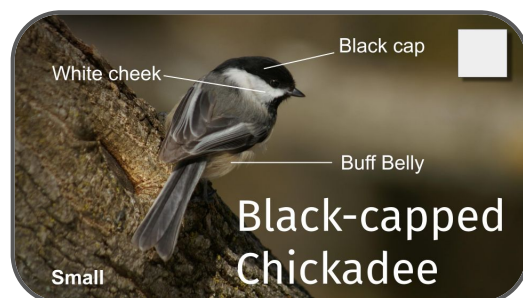
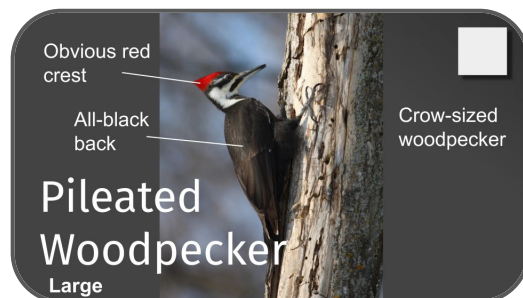
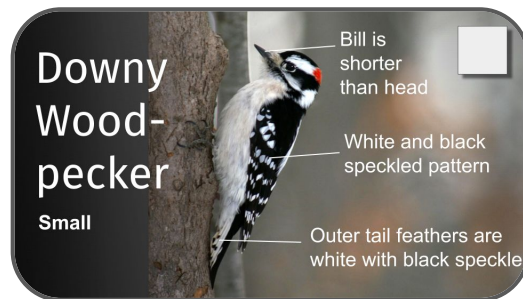
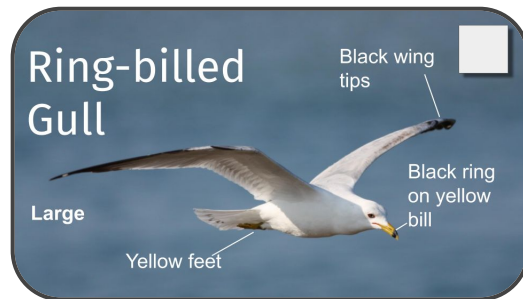
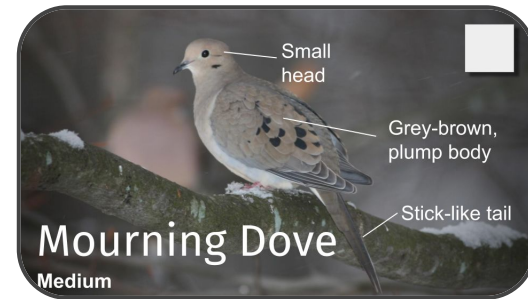
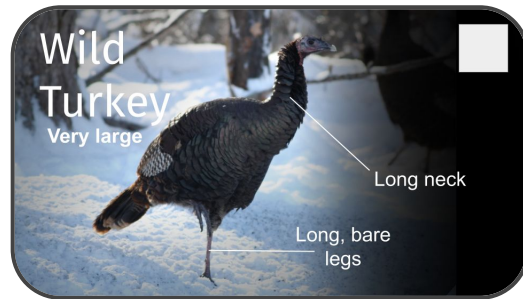
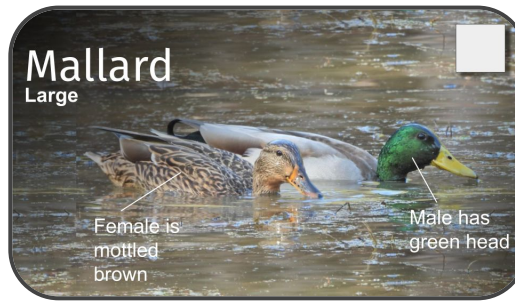


# WRDSB WINTER BIRDS

## Instructions:

1. Match any birds you see, to the pictures below.
2. In the white box tally how many you see of each species with ✓ marks.
3. On a computer, tablet or phone enter your observations at:

[www.wrdsb.ca/winterbirdcount](http://www.wrdsb.ca/winterbirdcount)





## Red-breasted Nuthatch

Small

Black 'eye-line'

Often walks head first down the tree

Blue back

'Rusty' front

## White-breasted Nuthatch

Small

Black cap

White cheek and front

Blue back

Often walks head first down the tree

## Brown Creeper

Curved beak

Looks mouse-like

Brown, speckled back

Crawls up bark from low to high

Very Small

## American Robin

Medium

White eye-ring

Grey/brown back and wings

Rusty-orange chest

## European Starling

Medium

Yellow beak

Speckled Chest

## Cedar Waxwing

Medium

Black mask and throat

Yellow-brown body

Yellow tipped tail

Crest

## House Sparrow

Small

Faint eye stripe

Female

Overall creamy-brown color

Grey forehead

Black chin

Male

## House Finch

Small

Red head and throat

Male

Wedge shaped beak

Stripes

Grey body colour

Female

## Common Redpoll

Small

Red 'poll', or top

Males have pink 'wash' on front

White 'wing bar'

Streaked body

## Evening Grosbeak

Medium

Yellow 'eyebrow'

Large yellow beak

Black wings with large white patch

Yellow body

## Pine Siskin

Small

Brownish overall body colour

Streaked body

Yellow 'wing bar'

## American Goldfinch

Small

Overall yellow/olive colour

Black wings and tail

White/creamy 'wing bar'

## American Tree Sparrow

Small

Dark grey 'dot' on front (not visible here)

Yellow lower beak

White 'wing bar'

Red-brown head

Streaked, brown back

## Dark-eyed Junco

Small

Dark grey back

White belly

Mainly feeds on the ground

White outer tail feathers

## Song Sparrow

Small

Streaky chest with obvious 'dot' in the middle

Rusty-brown stripes on crown and through eye

Brown back, wings with a long tail

## Brown-headed Cowbird

Medium

Wedge-shaped bill

Brown head

Black body, wings, and tail

## Northern Cardinal

Medium

Orange beak

Black mask

Crest

Other birds I saw:

