

Life-sized

Silhouettes

Created by the Students of the Hood Canal Institute

At the Hood Canal Watershed Project Center

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Silhouettes

Bird *Silhouettes* provide a quick life-sized reference for some common birds with identifiable physical characteristics. One of the first clues to bird identification is size. These silhouettes give a real-life reference. Recognizing a crown, a forked tail or posture of a correctly sized bird helps to create confidence by building the correct image.

Search Image

When placed or displayed in a location that mimics the behavior of the bird, you are creating the correct search image. For example, with similar sized birds, you are likely to find a Junco on the ground, a Chickadee within the tree branches, and a Nuthatch in a head-down position on the bark of a tree.

Field Guides

Field guides provide references to important diagnostic features, range, behavior and song/call. These silhouettes are designed as learning tools to be used in conjunction with field guides.

The *NatureMapping* students of the Hood Canal Institute create these silhouettes at the Theler Wetlands. These North Mason students were looking for a way to assist all wetland visitors in identifying the birds of the wetlands. They are made of durable recycled x-ray film.

SET A Bufflehead, Grebe, Mallard, Pintail, Kingfisher, Jay (w/crest), Robin, Waxwing, Crow.	\$10.00	
SET B Barn Swallow, Swallow sp., Junco, Chickadee, Woodpeckers (Downy/Hairy), Flicker, Pileated woodpecker, Screech owl, Great-horned owl.	\$10.00	
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