

Coastal

BONUS CREATURES SPOTTER'S GUIDE



STARFISH
COASTAL ROCKPOOLS

Fact: Starfish can regrow a new arm if they lose it to a predator.



OYSTERCATCHER
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Oystercatchers don't actually eat oysters!



SHORT EARED OWL
SKOMER ISLAND

Fact: Short Eared Owls can often be seen hunting in the day time.



RABBIT
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Skomer Island was once home to a rabbit farm, that's why the rabbits there are different colours.



KITTIWAKE
COASTAL CLIFFS

Fact: Kittiwakes are named after their call which sounds just like 'kitti-wake'.



GANNET
OFFSHORE - LOOK OUT FOR THEM FROM THE CLIFFTOPS

Fact: Gannets are the UK's largest seabird with a wingspan of up to 2m.



GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL
SKOMER ISLAND

Fact: These large seagulls can eat a rabbit whole!



FULMAR
SKOMER ISLAND

Fact: Fulmars spray predators with a smelly oil when they are in danger, phew!

Woodlands & Wetlands



SWALLOW
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Swallows always drink in mid-flight by skimming the top of the water.



BUMBLE BEE
WIDESPREAD

Fact: There are more than 20 species of bumblebee living in the UK.



BLUE TIT
WIDESPREAD

Fact: When feeding chicks blue tits can make 500 trips to the nest every day.



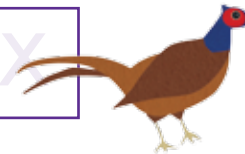
COAL TIT
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Coal Tits are tiny, weighing just 8-10g.



GREAT TIT
WIDESPREAD

Fact: They can make up to 40 different calls.



PHEASANT
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Pheasants are thought to have been introduced to the UK by the Romans.



ROBIN
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Some robins are so brave they will eat from a human's hand.



JAY
WIDESPREAD

Fact: Jays are shy but very noisy, making a screeching noise in woodlands.