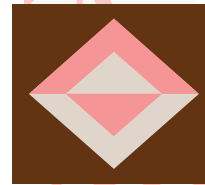


# Whip-Poor-Will



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## Introduction

Have you ever seen a Whip-poor-will? Have you ever heard of a Whip-poor-will? You might have heard the call of a Whip-poor-will but have you ever heard of a report on the bird Whip-poor-will.

Well a Whip-poor-will is a bird that looks like some bark or dead leaves and the purpose of this essay is to inform you about the Whip-poor-will. Two interesting facts about it are the whip-poor will is also known as the goat sucker because it sucks goats outers for milk when it's young. Another interesting fact is that it is that the whip poor will is called because of its call that sounds like Whip-poor-will.

## Habitat and Food

The Whip-poor-will lives in forests in the northeast, northwest, and east. In the forest the Whip-poor-will lives on the ground {which helps it blend in} in open spaces. It eats insects like Grass hoppers, mosquitoes, and flies.

## Young

*The Whip-Poor-Will lays two to three eggs. Then they hatch February to August and the parents keep them for about nine months. They don't know how to fly till age one to two.*

## Conclusion

*In conclusion the Whip-poor-will is an odd bird in many ways but its spectacular in many ways as well. The one thing I learned about this bird that is unique is that it's named after its call. They also can be pretty annoying with that loud call of WHIP-POOR-WILL!!!! Although the Whip-poor-will is annoying, yet I think its amazing how they live.*

## Description

*A Whip-poor-will's color is the color of dead leaves which helps them by blend in or camouflage. The male and female are different in color the males has white tips on the end of its tail. The female has the tips on its tail buffed. The size of the Whip-poor-will is about ten inches [twenty-five centimeters]. The Whip-poor-will is an irregular shape on its head it has a large head and a small beak.*



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