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## Horned Puffin

*Fratercula corniculata*

The Horned Puffin is a striking seabird known for its bold black and white plumage, bright orange beak, and the small fleshy black 'horns' above its eyes, which give the species its name. This puffin...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Bird

**Family:** Alcidae

**Habitat:** Coastal cliffs and offshore islands

**Diet:** Carnivore

**Conservation status:** Least Concern

**Lifespan:** 15-20 years

**Weight:** 500–700 grams

**Scientific name:** *Fratercula corniculata*

### Did you know?

- Horned puffins spend most of their lives far out at sea, sometimes not touching land for months at a time.
- Horned puffins can carry multiple fish crosswise in their beak at once thanks to a specialized hinge in their jaws. Unlike the similar Atlantic puffi...

### What I learned

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