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Animal Fact Sheet

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Noisy Miner

Manorina melanocephala

The Noisy Miner is a highly social and vocal bird native to eastern and southeastern Australia. Recognizable by its predominantly grey plumage, black crown and cheeks, and distinctive yellow patch be…

Quick facts

Classification: Bird
Family: Meliphagidae
Habitat: Open woodland, suburban parks, and urban gardens
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 8-12 years
Weight: 60-80 grams
Scientific name: Manorina melanocephala

Did you know?

- Despite their name, Noisy Miners are beneficial in controlling insect pests due to their high consumption of insects, especially during breeding seas…
- Noisy Miners are not actually related to the true miner birds found in Africa but are honeyeaters. They form complex social structures with cooperati…

What I learned

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