

# Animal Fact Sheet

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## Red-whiskered Bulbul

*Pycnonotus jocosus*

The Red-whiskered Bulbul is a medium-sized passerine bird recognizable by its prominent black crest, white cheeks, and distinctive red patches below its eyes, which give it its common name. Native to...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Bird

**Family:** Pycnonotidae

**Habitat:** Forests, gardens, shrublands, and urban areas

**Diet:** Omnivore

**Conservation status:** Least Concern

**Lifespan:** 11-15 years

**Weight:** 23-42 g

**Scientific name:** *Pycnonotus jocosus*

### Did you know?

- Despite their small size, Red-whiskered Bulbuls can aggressively defend their territory from much larger birds.
- Red-whiskered Bulbuls often build their nests close to human dwellings and are popular in the pet trade for their melodious songs. In some places whe...

### What I learned

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