

Animal Fact Sheet

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White-throated Dipper

Cinclus cinclus

The White-throated Dipper is a small, robust bird renowned for its striking white throat and chest, which contrast sharply with its dark brown-black plumage. It is commonly found near fast-flowing st...

Quick facts

Classification: Bird**Family:** Cinclidae**Habitat:** Fast-flowing freshwater rivers and streams**Diet:** Carnivore**Conservation status:** Least Concern**Lifespan:** 5-8 years**Weight:** 46–70 g**Scientific name:** *Cinclus cinclus*

Did you know?

- Unlike most songbirds, the White-throated Dipper has a special membrane that covers its eyes when submerged, allowing it to see clearly underwater.
- White-throated Dippers can dive and swim underwater, using their wings like flippers to search for prey beneath rocks. Their dense plumage and unique...

What I learned
