



## LESSON 20 WILDLIFE ID

### STUDENT EXERCISE WORKSHEET

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Use the “Critters Of Massachusetts” book to complete this worksheet on the:

**Species: Black Bear**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How? \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Do males and females look different? How? \_\_\_\_\_
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9. What time of day am I most active? \_\_\_\_\_
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11. Do I have any predators? \_\_\_\_\_



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**Species: White-tailed Deer**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How?  
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  - b. Do males and females look different? How?  
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Use the “Critters Of Massachusetts” book to complete this worksheet on the:

**Species: Eastern Wild Turkey**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
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**Species: Eastern Coyote**

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3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
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**Species: Moose**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How?  
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**Species: Eastern Cottontail**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
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3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How? \_\_\_\_\_
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**Species: Ruffed Grouse**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How? \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Do males and females look different? How? \_\_\_\_\_
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Use the “Critters Of Massachusetts” book to complete this worksheet on the:

**Species: Common Loon**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How big am I? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How? \_\_\_\_\_
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**Species: Eastern Bluebird**

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3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How?  
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Use the “Critters Of Massachusetts” book to complete this worksheet on the:

**Species: Red-winged Blackbird**

1. Am I a game species? \_\_\_\_\_
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3. Describe my appearance \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Does it change by age or season? How? \_\_\_\_\_
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**Species: Black-capped Chickadee**

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**Species: Mallard**

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**Species: Wood Duck**

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**Species: Canada Goose**

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**Species: American Woodcock**

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**Species: Peregrine Falcon**

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