



Wildlife Habitat Riddles

Directions: After reading or hearing each riddle, write the name of the species on the correct space below. Under the “Ecosystem” column, record in which ecosystem type the species would find habitat.

| Possible Wildlife Species: | | | Possible Ecosystem Types: |
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| Badger | Green Frog | Pileated Woodpecker | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coastal Dunes • Wetlands • Jack Pine Forest • Rivers • Michigan Forest (Deciduous Forest) |
| Black Bear | Herring Gull | Piping Plover | |
| Common Loon | Kirtland’s Warbler | Porcupine | |
| Crayfish | Mayfly | Red-backed Salamander | |
| Dragonfly | Monarch Butterfly | River Otter | |
| Eastern Bluebird | Muskrat | Spotted Turtle | |
| Great Blue Heron | Northern Flying Squirrel | White-tailed Deer | |

| Wildlife Species | Ecosystem(s) |
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| A. <u>Spotted Turtle</u> | <u>Wetlands</u> |
| B. <u>Kirtland’s Warbler</u> | <u>Jack Pine Forest</u> |
| C. <u>Porcupine</u> | <u>Forests</u> |
| D. <u>River Otter</u> | <u>Rivers</u> |
| E. <u>Green Frog</u> | <u>Wetlands</u> |
| F. <u>Piping Plover</u> | <u>Coastal Dunes</u> |
| G. <u>Pileated Woodpecker</u> | <u>Forests</u> |
| H. <u>Muskrat</u> | <u>Wetlands</u> |
| I. <u>Black Bear</u> | <u>Forests, Jack Pine Forest</u> |
| J. <u>Dragonfly</u> | <u>Wetlands</u> |
| K. <u>Herring Gull</u> | <u>Coastal Dunes</u> |
| L. <u>Mayfly</u> | <u>Rivers</u> |
| M. <u>Common Loon</u> | <u>Wetlands, Coastal Dunes</u> |
| N. <u>Eastern Bluebird</u> | <u>Jack Pine Forest</u> |
| O. <u>White-tailed Deer</u> | <u>Coastal Dunes, Jack Pine Forest</u> |
| P. <u>Red-backed Salamander</u> | <u>Forests</u> |
| Q. <u>Crayfish</u> | <u>Rivers</u> |
| R. <u>Badger</u> | <u>Jack Pine Forest</u> |
| S. <u>Monarch Butterfly</u> | <u>Coastal Dunes</u> |
| T. <u>Northern Flying Squirrel</u> | <u>Forests</u> |
| U. <u>Great Blue Heron</u> | <u>Wetlands, Rivers</u> |