




Birds of the Fleurieu Peninsula


Crested Pigeon





(Crest on head)

 Granivore
 Ground

Spotted Turtle Dove*



(White spots on neck)

 Granivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Ground

Feral Pigeon*



(Dark grey feathers usually with a shiny green neck)

 Granivore
 Ground

Noisy Miner



(Black head, yellow around eyes)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore, Omnivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Ground,Air


New Holland Honeyeater





(Black and yellow wings, Black and white striped chest)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Air


Eastern Spinebill





(Black, white and reddish-brown feathers)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Shrubs,Air

White-plumed Honeyeater



(White lines on neck)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Ground,Air

Singing Honeyeater



(Black stripe across eye, yellow patch on cheek)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Shrubs,Ground

Red Wattlebird



(Yellow-orange belly, red wattles)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Air


Little Wattlebird




(No orange on belly, no wattles)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Air


Welcome Swallow




(Flies around ovals and other grassed areas, forked tail)

 Insectivore
 Air

House Sparrow*



(Very small)

 Granivore
 Ground

Silvereeye



(Silver ring around eye)

 Omnivore
 Trees,Shrubs

Striated Pardalote



(Yellow face, black & white streaked crown, white wing streaks with red spot)

 Nectarivore & Insectivore, Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs

White-browed Scrubwren



(Black or brown mask with white eyebrow, reddish-brown rump)

 Insectivore
 Shrubs,Ground,Air


Yellow-rumped Thornbill





(Spotted black & white crown, yellow rump)

 Insectivore
 Trees,Shrubs,Ground


Superb Fairy-wren





(Breeding male bright blue and black head; non-breeding male, juvenile and female brown)

 Insectivore
 Shrubs,Ground


Willie Wagtail





(Black and white, tail wags from side to side)

 Insectivore
 Ground,Air


Australian Magpie





(Black and white feathers, large beak)

 Omnivore
 Ground

Magpie-lark



(Smaller beak and body than Australian Magpie, white patches above and below eye)

 Insectivore
 Ground

Little Raven



(Black feathers, beak and legs)

 Omnivore
 Ground

Rainbow Lorikeet




(Bright blue head, green wings, yellow & orange chest)

Nectarivore & Insectivore,Herbivore

Trees,Shrubs

Musk Lorikeet



(Red stripe around eye)

Nectarivore & Insectivore,Omnivore

Trees,Shrubs

Purple-crowned Lorikeet




(Purple crown, yellow patch behind eye)

Nectarivore & Insectivore,Herbivore

Trees,Shrubs

Adelaide Rosella




(Blue cheek)

Herbivore

Trees,Shrubs,Ground

Eastern Rosella




(White cheek)

Herbivore

Trees,Shrubs,Ground

Red-rumped Parrot



(Head all green, red rump)

Granivore,Herbivore

Trees,Ground

Yellow-tailed Black-cockatoo



(Yellow feathers on tail and side of head)

Granivore

Trees,Shrubs,Ground

Galah




(Grey wings, pink chest & face, pale-pink crest)

Granivore,Herbivore

Trees,Ground

Sulphur-crested Cockatoo



(White feathers, yellow crest)

Herbivore

Trees,Ground

Common Blackbird*



(Breeding male black with bright yellow beak; non-breeding male, juvenile and female brown)

Omnivore

Ground

Common Starling*



(Dark with glossy purple and green feathers)

Omnivore

Ground

Nankeen Kestrel




(Large talons)

Omnivore

Trees,Ground,Air

Pacific Black Duck




(Dark on top of head [crown], light stripes around eye, green patch on out-stretched wing)

Herbivore

Water,Ground

Australian Wood Duck



(Brown head with grey body)

Herbivore

Ground

Laughing Kookaburra



(Large beak)

Omnivore

Trees,Ground

White-faced Heron




(Blue-grey body, white face, long beak)

Aquatic Organisms

Water

Australian White Ibis



(Black head with long curved beak)

Aquatic Organisms,Insectivore

Water,Ground

Great Egret




(Long-necked bird with yellow beak and facial skin. Beak is black and facial skin pea-green in breeding season)

Piscivore, Aquatic Organisms

Water

Masked Lapwing




(Yellow skin around face hanging below the beak)

Insectivore

Ground

Silver Gull



(Silver-grey and white with black wing tips, orange-red legs)

Omnivore

Water,Ground

Feeding Types

- Herbivore
- Insectivore
- Nectarivore & Insectivore
- Omnivore
- Granivore
- Aquatic Organisms
- Carnivore
- Piscivore

Feeding Layers

- Tree
- Shrub
- Ground
- Air
- Water

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