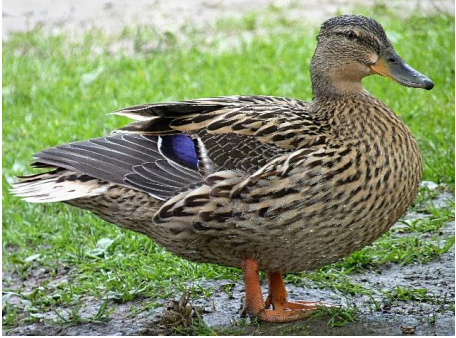




HOUSE CROW <i>Corvus splendens</i>	MEASUREMENTS	HEAD AND NECK	BODY	HABITAT
	Body length 40 – 43cm Wingspan 76 – 85 cm	Black face and throat. Grey breast and neck. Bill is pointed, black and medium sized.	Medium sized slender body with shiny black plumage except around breast, nape and mantel where the plumage is grey.	Urban and industrial areas. Frequent rubbish dumps where they scavenge for food.

GUTTURAL TOAD <i>Sclerophrys gutturalis</i>	SOUND	COLOUR
	Deep, guttural, pulsed snore. Resembles bounces of a dropped ping-pong ball. Usually calls during breeding season, between September and February.	Light to dark brown with pairs of darker brown patches, smaller scattered spots sometimes occur between the larger patches, sometimes with a brown line down the back. Pale prominent cross on head formed by two sets of dark brown patches. Dirty white/yellowish underside. Red infusion on hind leg.

MALLARD DUCK <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>			
MALE MALLARD DUCK	HEAD AND NECK	FOREGROUND	TAILS
	Shiny green head with narrow white collar just above the chest.	Chestnut-coloured breast with light grey sides and wings. Purple patch on lower wing.	Males have a characteristic curved tail.

FEMALE MALLARD DUCK	HEAD AND NECK	BACKGROUND
	Light brown to grey with darker black streaks. White eyebrow stripe with a darker stripe running through the eye. Light grey bill, often with yellow infusions.	Light brown with darker black infusions throughout the wings and body. On the lower wing there is a dark blue speculum – a purple patch bordered by white.

HYBRID MALLARD DUCK	COLOURATION
	White quackers and ducks with orange coloured feet are defined as mallard hybrids.