



Critter Characteristics & Habitats: Eastern Bluebird

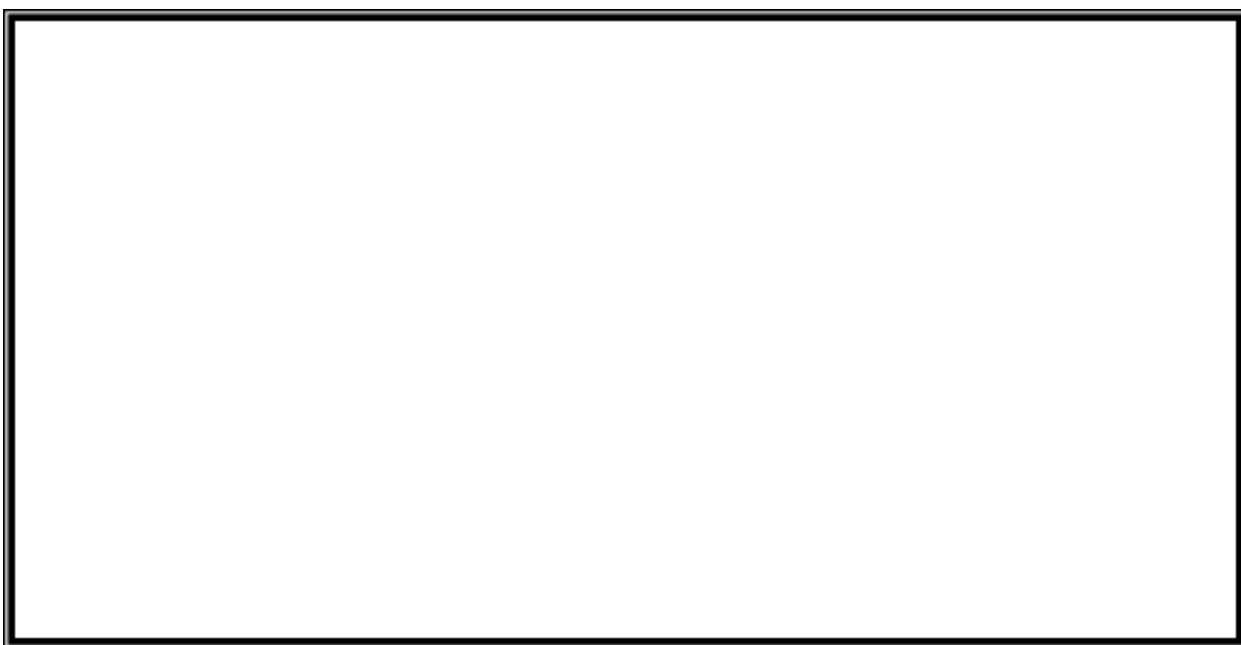
Caution - Be careful not to harm any wildlife or their habitats.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Explore your habitat lab and look for an Eastern bluebird.

Use the Alabama Wildlife Federation's Wonders of Wildlife
Eastern Bluebird webpage to help you answer the questions below.

1. Draw a picture of the animal.



2. What colors does it have? _____

black blue brown gray green orange purple red yellow white

3. How many legs does it have? _____









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4. Estimate how long (or tall) it is: _____feet _____inches









5. Put a checkmark next to the feature(s) it has.



- ☐ Fur 
☐ Feathers 
☐ Thin Wings 
☐ Hard Covering 
- ☐ Hard Shell 
☐ Scales 
☐ Smooth Skin 
☐ Bristles 

6. What type of animal is it?

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☐ other invertebrate 
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7. What type of "babies" does it have?

- ☐ Live baby (not in egg) that looks similar to parent (*typically a mammal*)
- ☐ Hard-shelled eggs with babies that look similar to parent (*typically a bird or reptile*)
- ☐ "Soft" tiny eggs in water with larvae that change (morph) into adult (*amphibian or insect*)
- ☐ "Soft" tiny eggs on plants or in soil with larvae that change (morph) into adult (*insect*)

8. What is the Latin name of this animal?

9. Where does this animal typically live? (you can choose more than one)

- ☐ grassland
 ☐ tundra
 ☐ desert
 ☐ woodland
 ☐ meadow
 ☐ wetland
- ☐ creek
 ☐ pond/lake
 ☐ river
 ☐ ocean
 ☐ other: _____

10. Where did you find it in the habitat lab?

- ☐ in the grass
 ☐ on the ground
 ☐ in the soil
 ☐ in a tree or bush
 ☐ in water or a pond
 ☐ on a flower
 ☐ in nesting box

11. Describe its habitat needs including the specific food, water, shelter and places to raise its young it needs to survive:

