

Species Common Name: _____

Species Scientific Name: _____

Naturalist Completing Species Account _____

Visual Identification

Insert a picture of your species (size it so it stays on one page):

Any distinguishing markings?

Describe the song/call of your species:

Make up a pneumatic phrase that will help the class remember the song of your species:
(e.g., "who-cooks-for-you! Who-cooks-for-you-all)

Life History

Is this species native or exotic in New York State (if exotic, where does it originate?)?

What habitat characteristics does your species select to forage in?

What does it usually eat?

Is it found in urban or suburban areas? Does its habitat use or diet differ in cities?

What habitat characteristics does your species select to breed in? At what time of year does it breed?

How many young does it usually have each breeding season?

Conservation Status common rare endangered

Describe the relationship this animal has with humans, and the cultural view of this species (how do humans tend to feel about this species?).