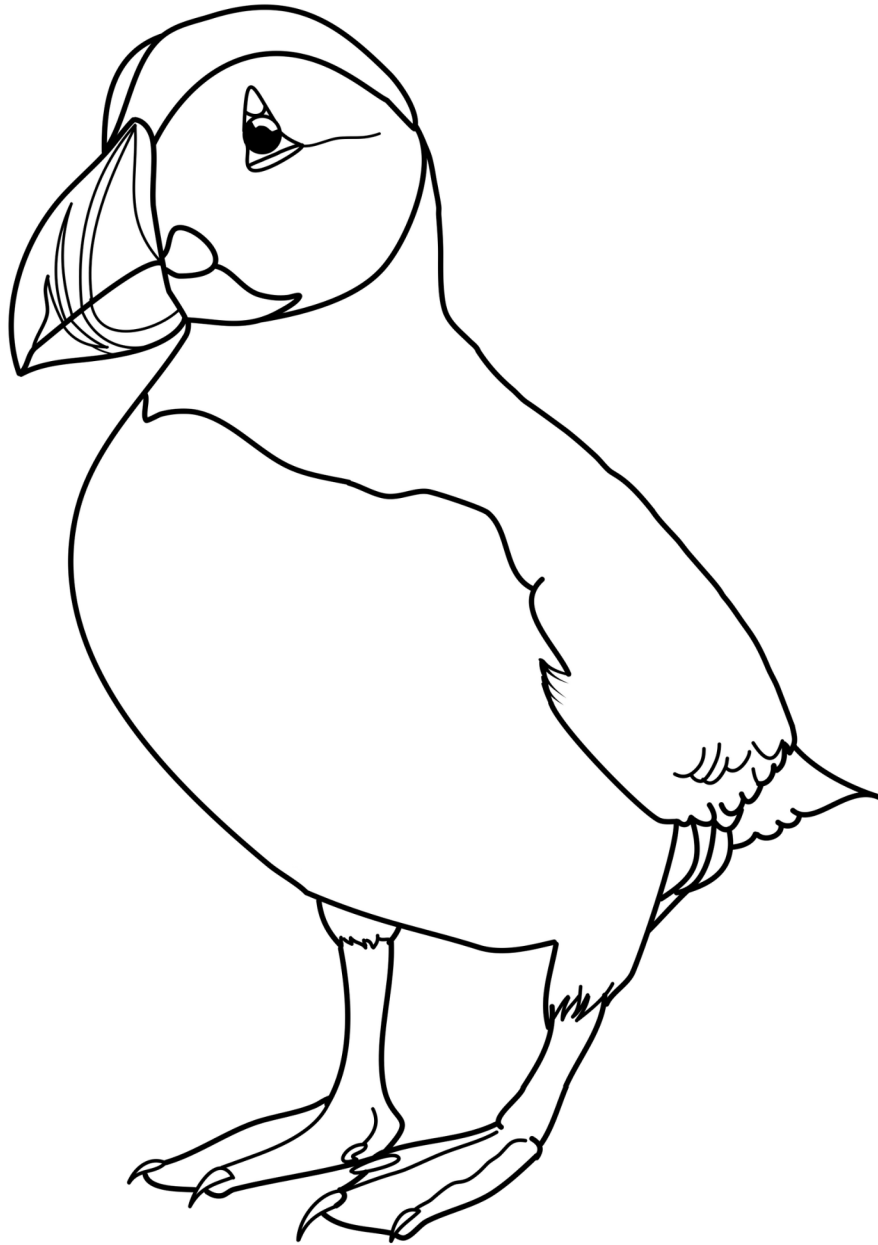


ATLANTIC PUFFIN

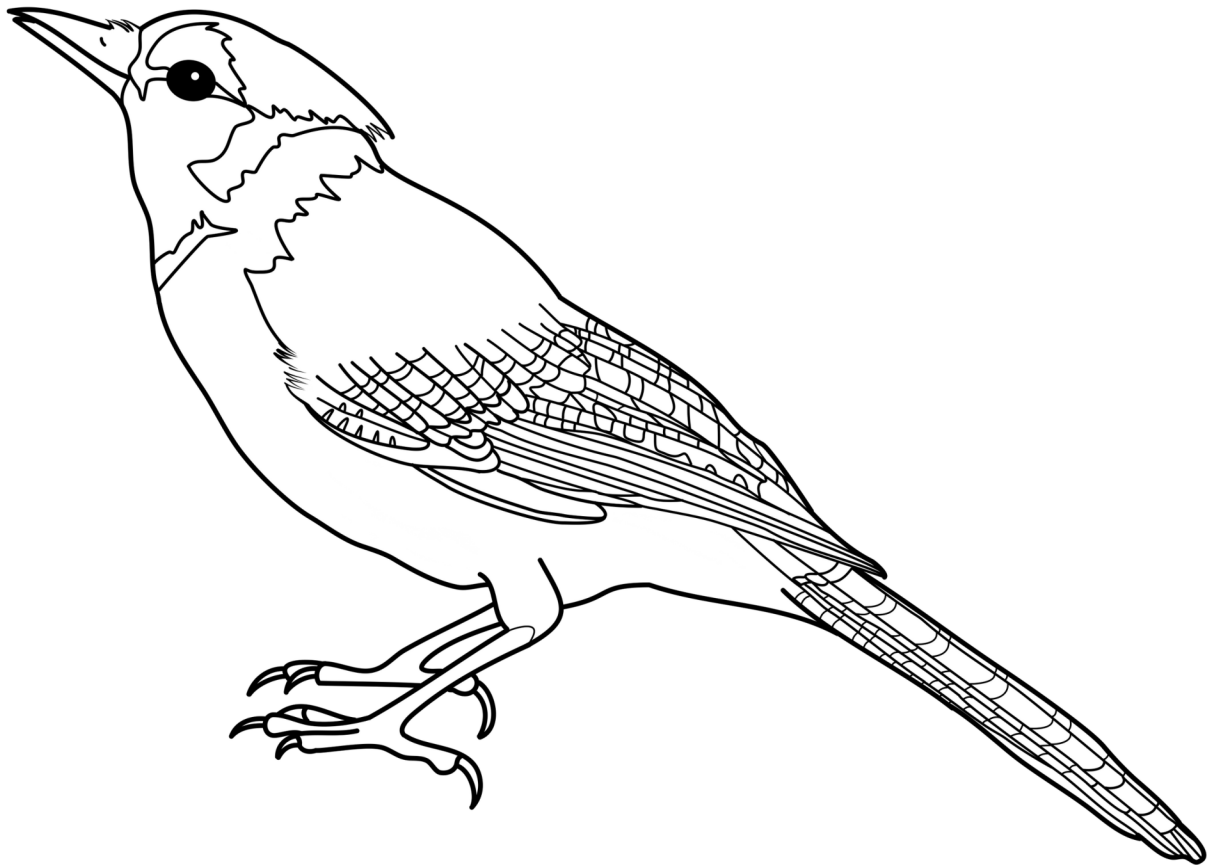
NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR



Meet the Atlantic Puffin, the colorful clown of the sea. These funny-looking (but adorable!) birds spend most of their lives out on the ocean waves, diving deep to catch fish for dinner. With their bright orange beaks and feet, they're easy to spot bobbing on the water's surface. When it's time to start a family, Atlantic Puffins gather in large colonies on rocky cliffs, burrowing into the earth to make cozy nests. Keep your binoculars handy and watch as these comical characters take to the sky with their flapping wings—what a sight to see!

BLUE JAY

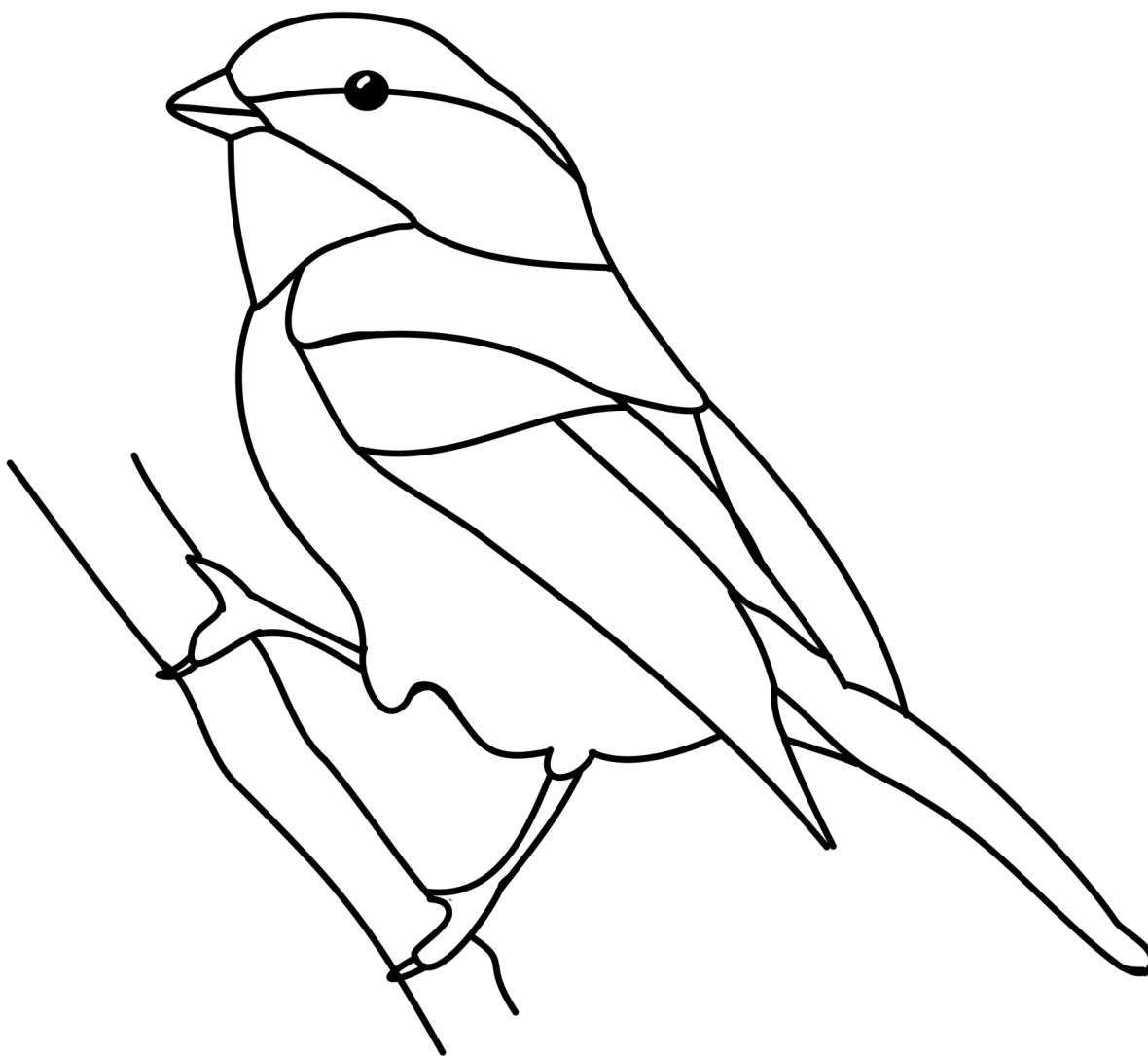
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



Say hello to the Blue Jay, the bold and beautiful bird of the forest. With its vibrant blue feathers and noisy personality, this bird is hard to miss. Blue Jays love snacking on seeds, nuts, and insects, and they're not afraid to defend their territory from intruders. They build their nests in trees, using twigs, grass, and feathers to create cozy homes for their families. Keep your eyes peeled for flashes of blue and listen for their raucous calls—you never know when a Blue Jay might drop by for a visit!

BLACK-CAPPED CHICKADEE

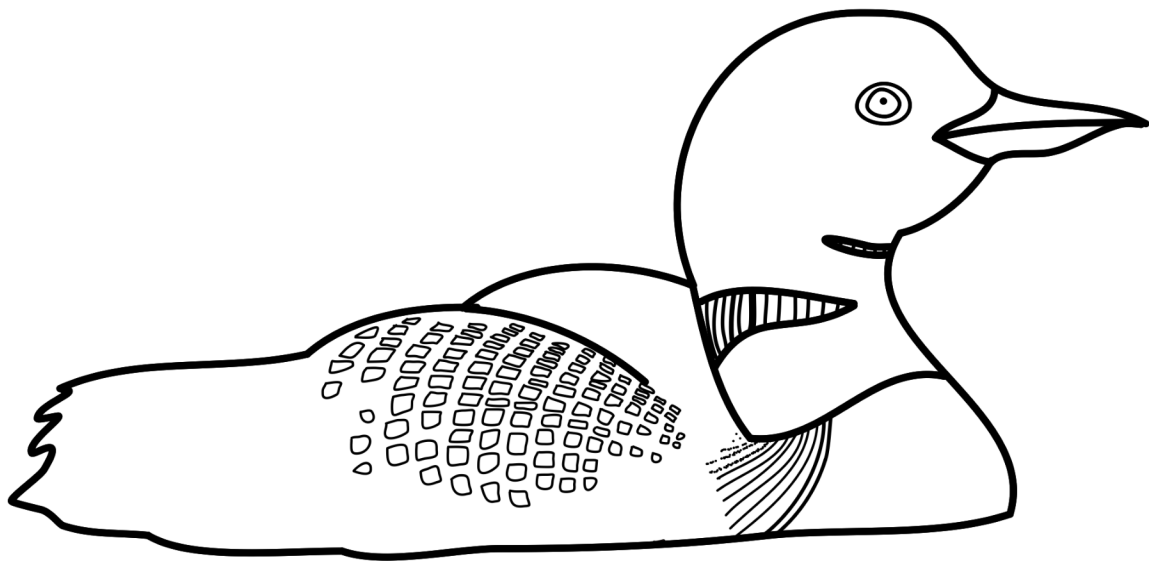
NEW BRUNSWICK



Meet the Black-Capped Chickadee, the cheerful little bird that brightens up the woods. With its black cap and bib, this tiny bird is easy to spot as it flits from branch to branch. Black-Capped Chickadees love snacking on seeds and insects, and they're not shy about visiting bird feeders in your backyard. When it's time to nest, they cozy up in tree holes or nest boxes, lining their homes with soft moss and feathers. Keep your ears open for their distinctive "chick-a-dee-dee-dee" call—it's like they're saying, "Hello, friend!"

COMMON LOON

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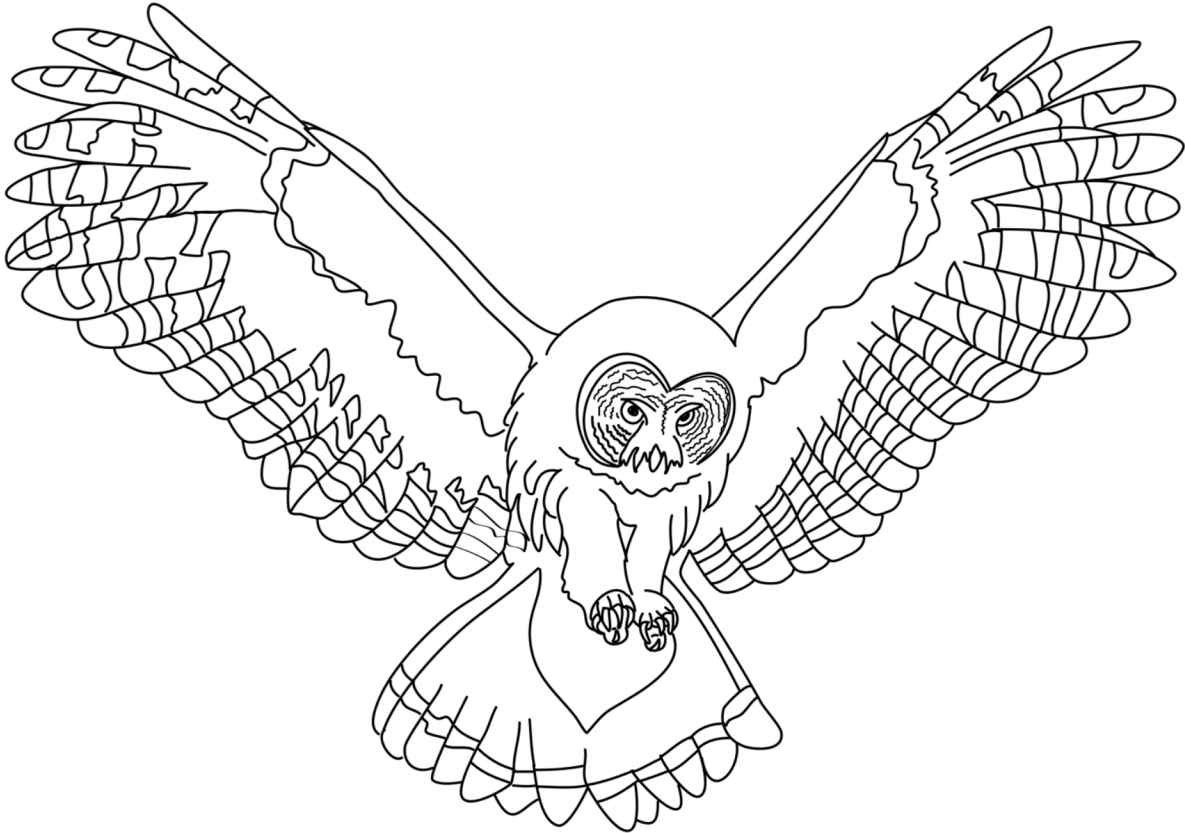


Meet the Common Loon, the haunting call of the northern lakes. With its sleek black-and-white feathers and ruby-red eyes, this bird is a true symbol of the wilderness.

Common Loons dive deep beneath the water's surface to catch fish, using their powerful webbed feet to propel themselves through the waves. They build their nests close to the water's edge, often on small islands or in marshy areas. Keep your ears open for their eerie, echoing calls across the lake—it's like music to the ears of any nature lover!

GREAT GRAY OWL

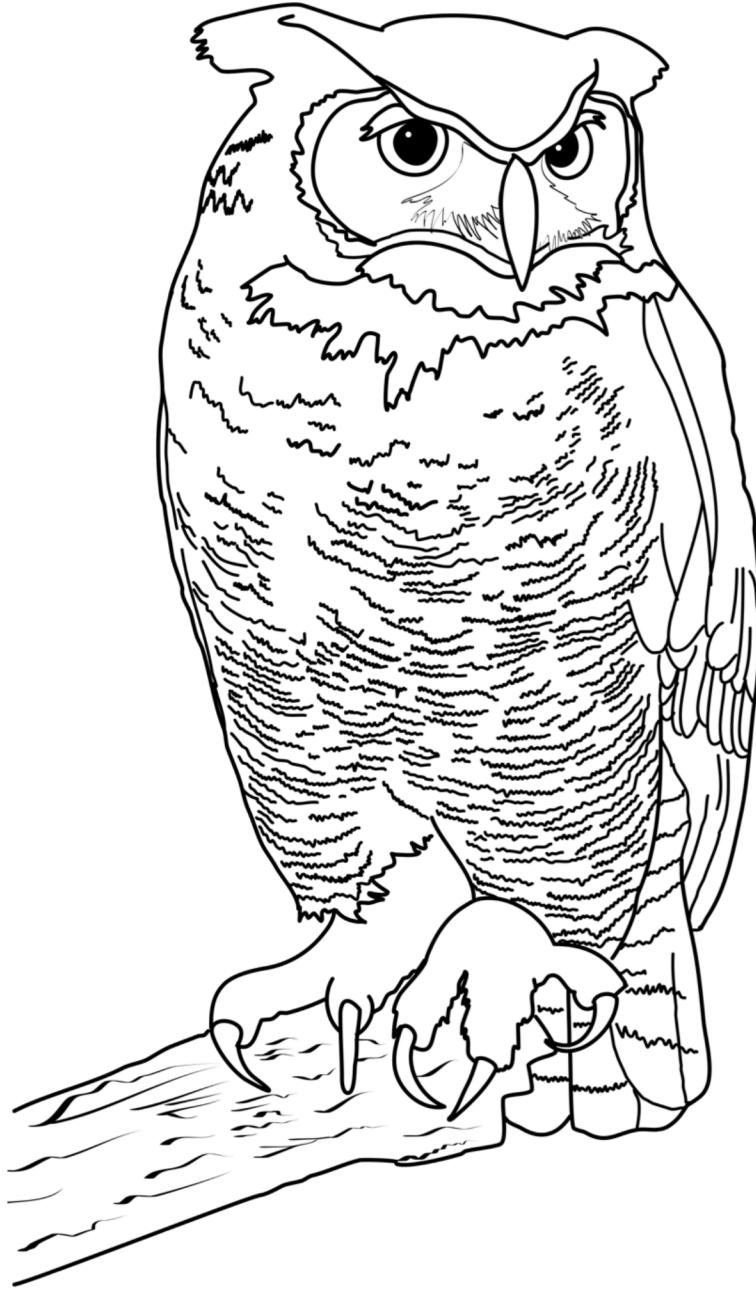
MANITOBA



it's the Great Gray Owl soaring through the forest! These big, beautiful birds love hanging out in dense forests, especially where they can find open spaces to hunt. They're like stealthy ninjas, using their super hearing to catch mice and voles hiding under the snow. Great Gray Owls make their homes in trees, and they're not too picky about where—they'll use old nests from other birds or find a cozy spot to settle down. Keep your eyes peeled for these silent hunters—they might just be watching you from above!

GREAT HORNED OWL

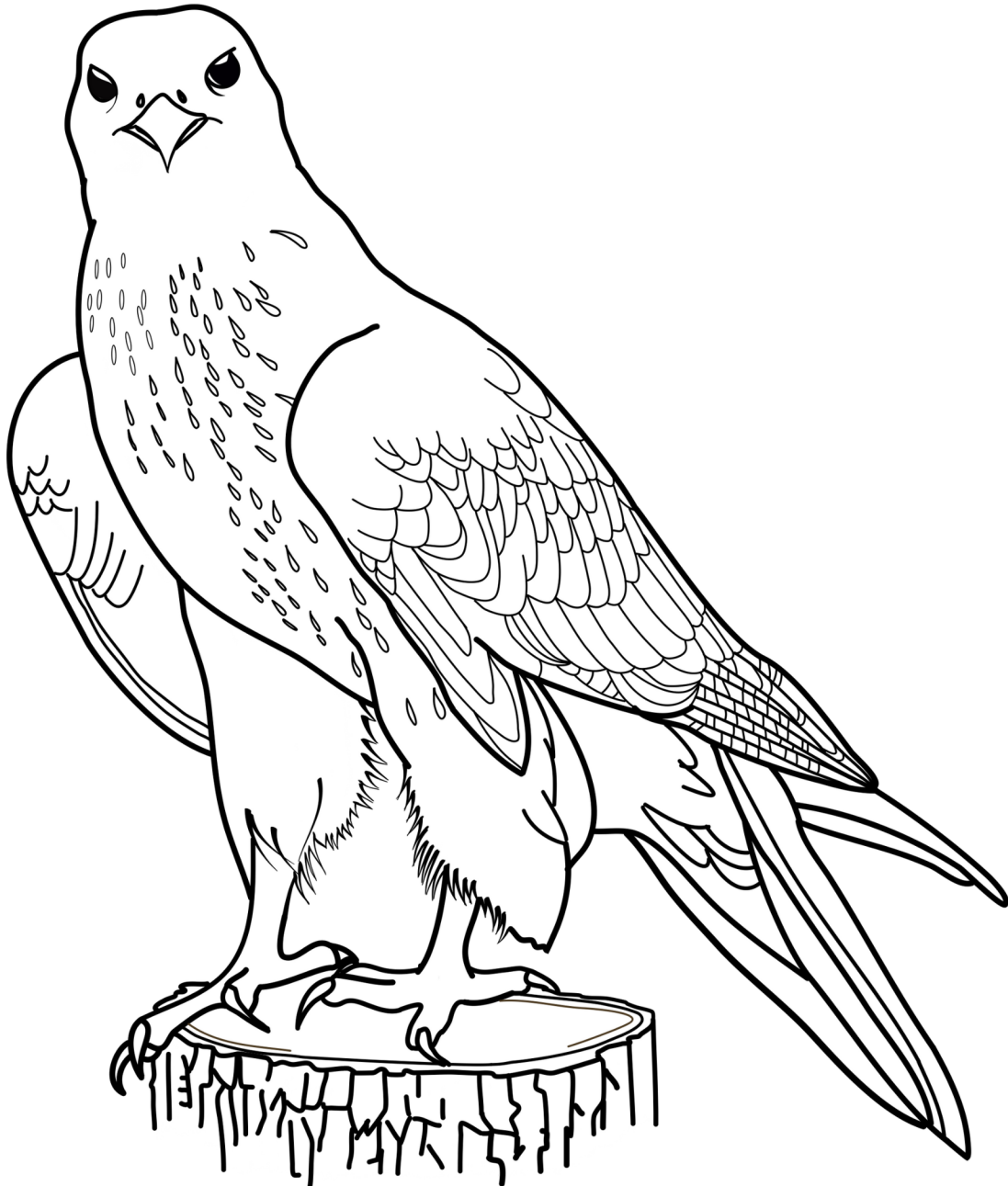
ALBERTA



Meet the Great Horned Owl, the wise old bird of Alberta! You can find these magnificent creatures in forests, swamps, and even in some cities. They have big, golden eyes that help them see in the dark, and they're great hunters, catching mice, birds, and sometimes even snakes for dinner. Great Horned Owls make their homes in trees, using old nests or sometimes just finding a cozy spot to rest. Look out for their hooting calls at night—it's like they're saying hello!

GYRFALCON

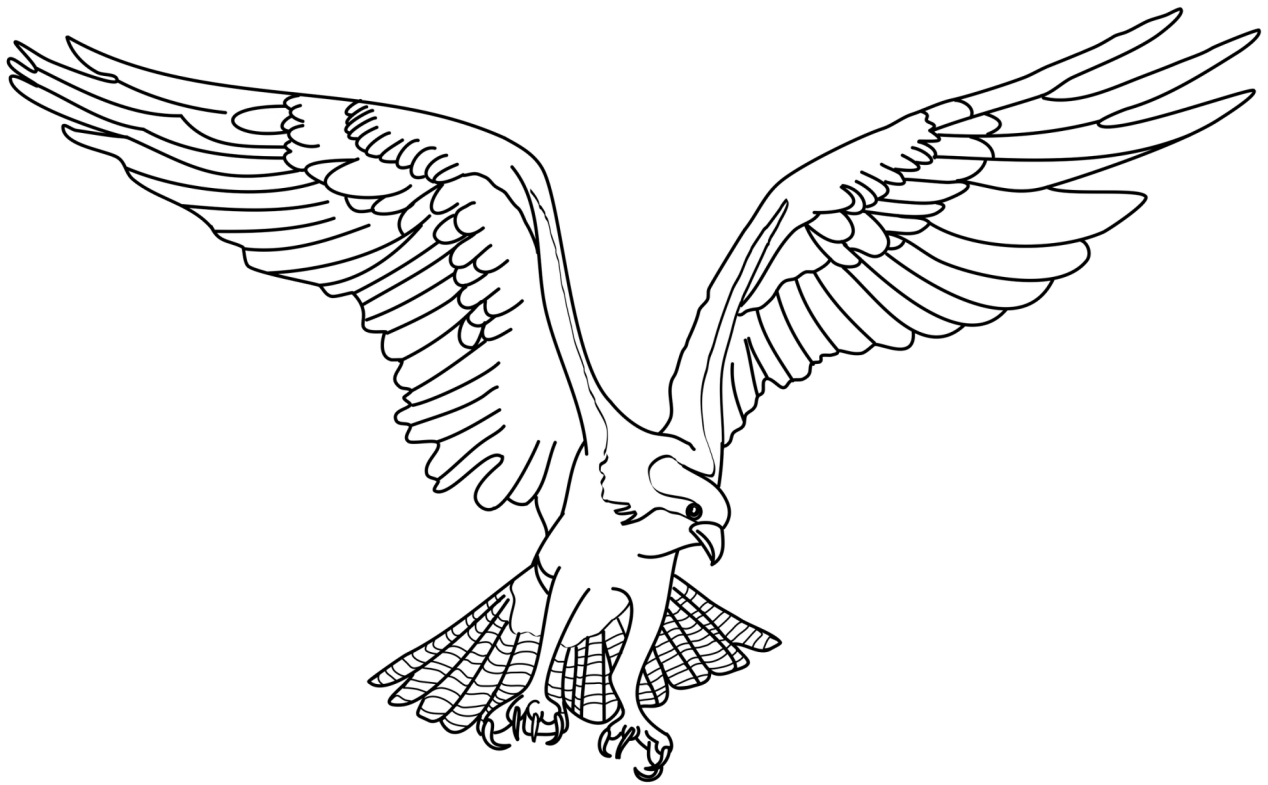
NORTHWEST TERRITORIES



Say hello to the Gyrfalcon, the swift hunter of the northern skies. With its sleek white feathers and sharp eyesight, this bird of prey is a true master of the Arctic wilderness. Gyrfalcons hunt other birds like ptarmigans and waterfowl, using their incredible speed and agility to swoop in for the catch. When it's time to nest, they make their homes on high cliffs or rocky outcrops, keeping a watchful eye on their surroundings. Keep an eye on the horizon—you might just spot one of these majestic hunters soaring through the sky!

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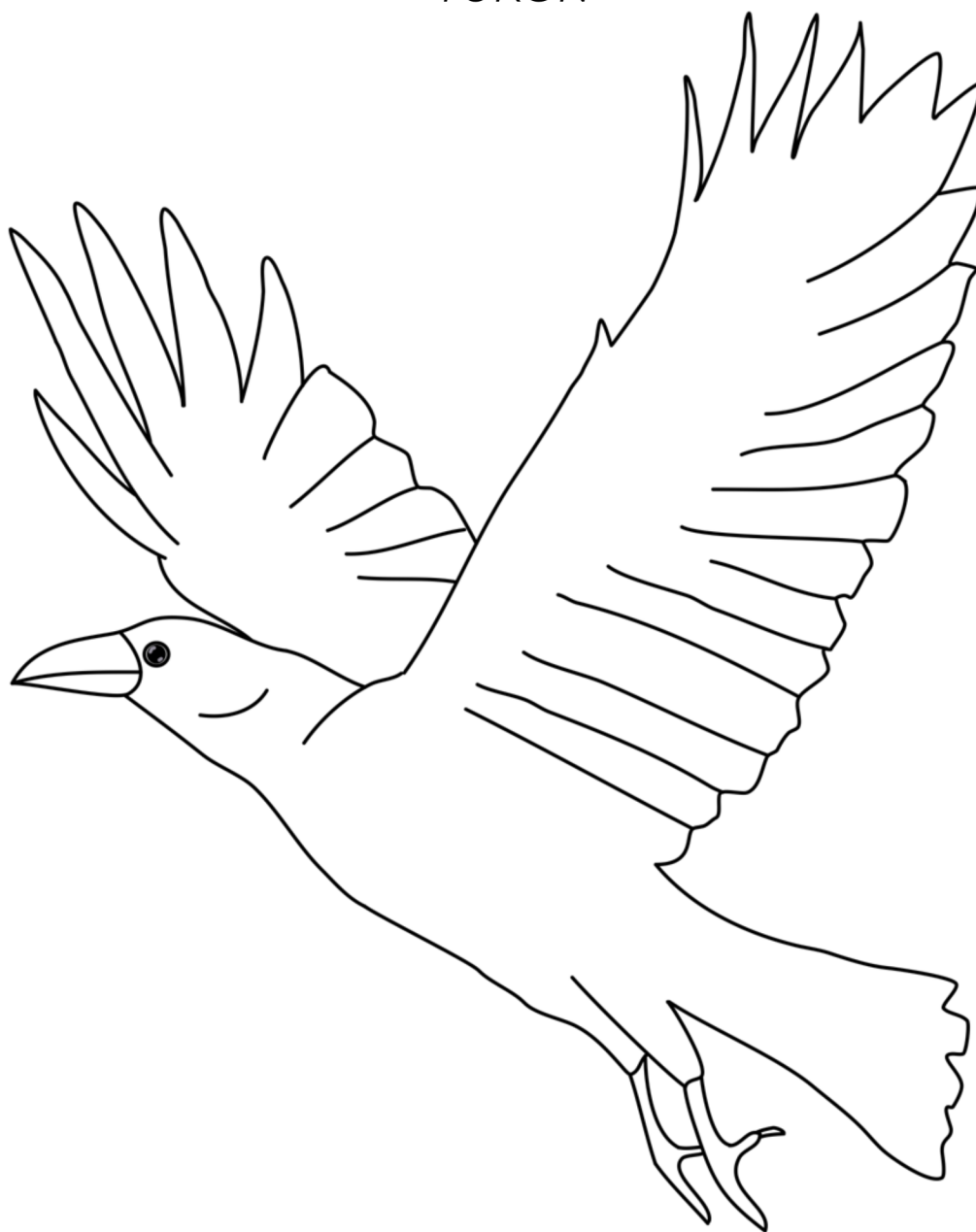
NOVA SCOTIA



Meet the Osprey, the fish-loving bird of the coast. With its wings spread wide, this majestic bird soars high above the ocean, scanning the water below for a tasty fishy meal. Ospreys have sharp talons to snatch their prey right out of the water with ease. They build their nests in tall trees or on man-made structures like telephone poles, lining their homes with soft materials like moss and seaweed. Keep an eye on the shoreline, and you might catch a glimpse of an Osprey diving gracefully into the waves!

RAVEN

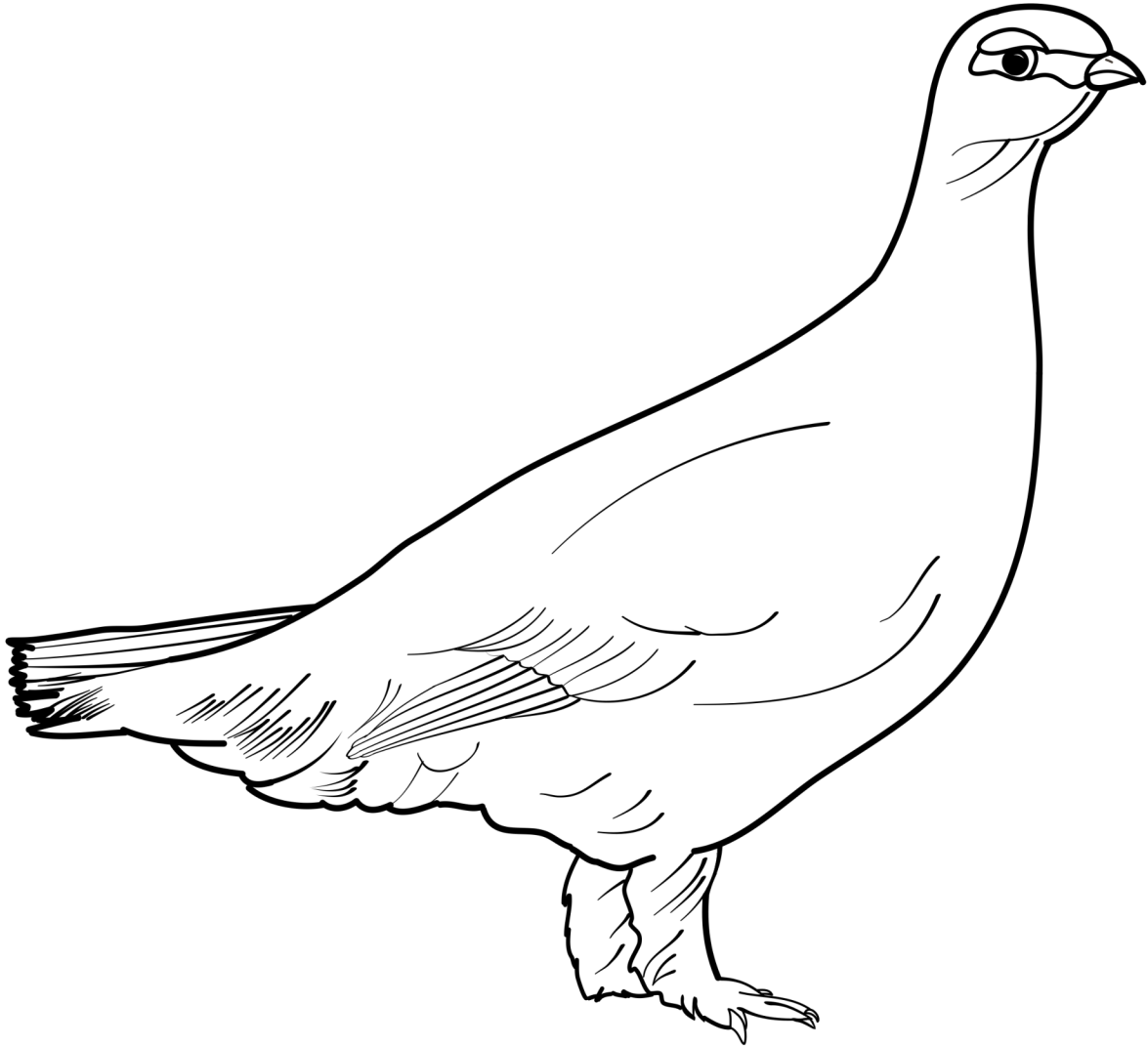
YUKON



Meet the Common Raven, the clever trickster of the northern skies. With its shiny black feathers and sharp beak, this bird is a true survivor in the wilderness. Common Ravens are scavengers, feeding on just about anything they can find, from berries and insects to carrion and human leftovers. They build their nests in trees, often high up in the branches or on rocky cliffs. Keep your eyes on the lookout for these intelligent birds—they're always up to something clever!

ROCK PTARMIGAN

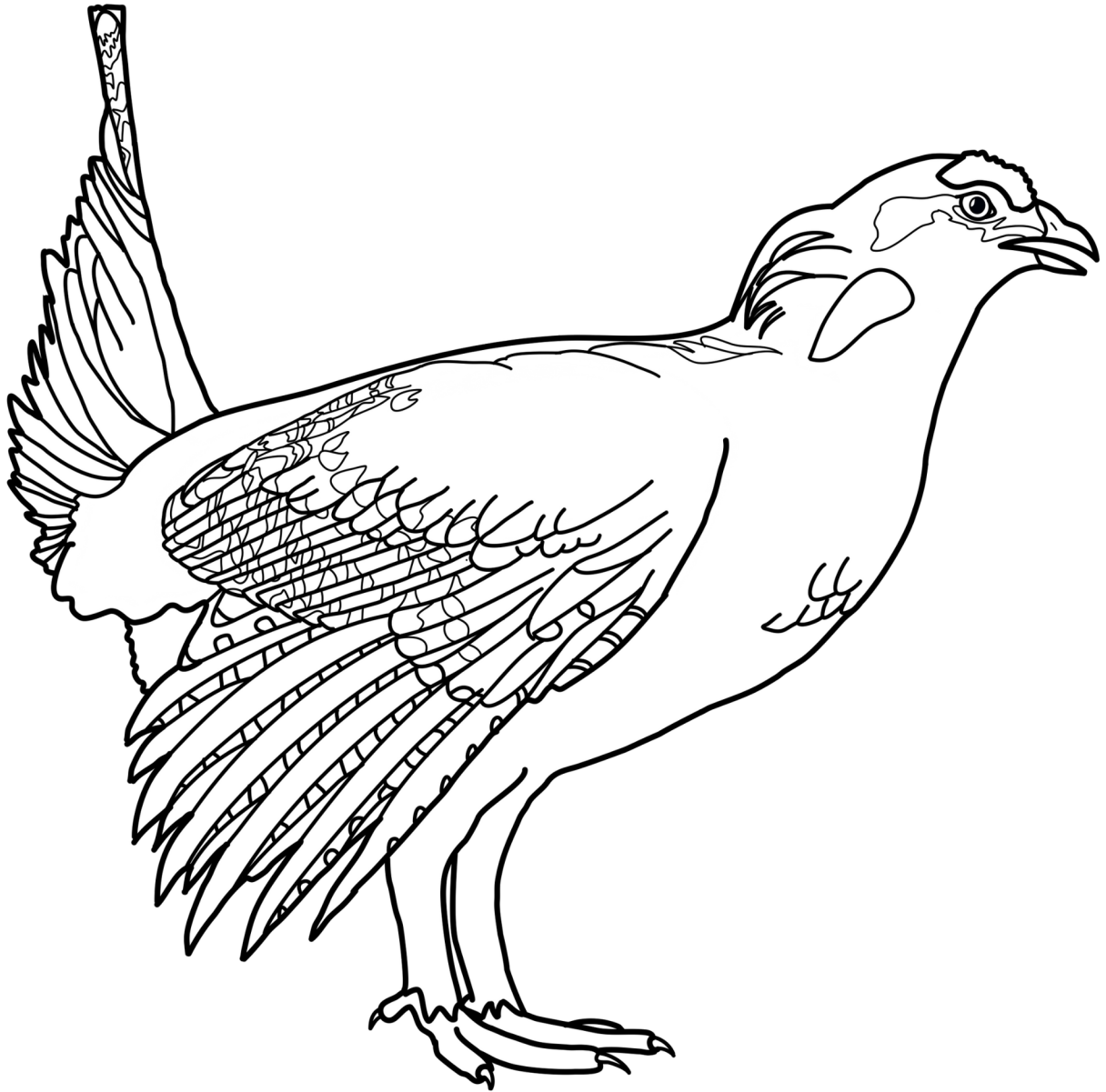
NUNAVUT



This is the Rock Ptarmigan, the tough little bird of the tundra. With its white winter coat and mottled brown feathers in summer, this bird blends right in with its rocky surroundings. Rock Ptarmigans munch on plants and berries, using their keen eyesight to spot food hidden beneath the snow. When it's time to nest, they scrape out a shallow depression in the ground and line it with feathers and moss. Keep your eyes peeled for these camouflaged birds—they might just be hiding in plain sight!

SHARP-TAILED GROUSE

SASKATCHEWAN

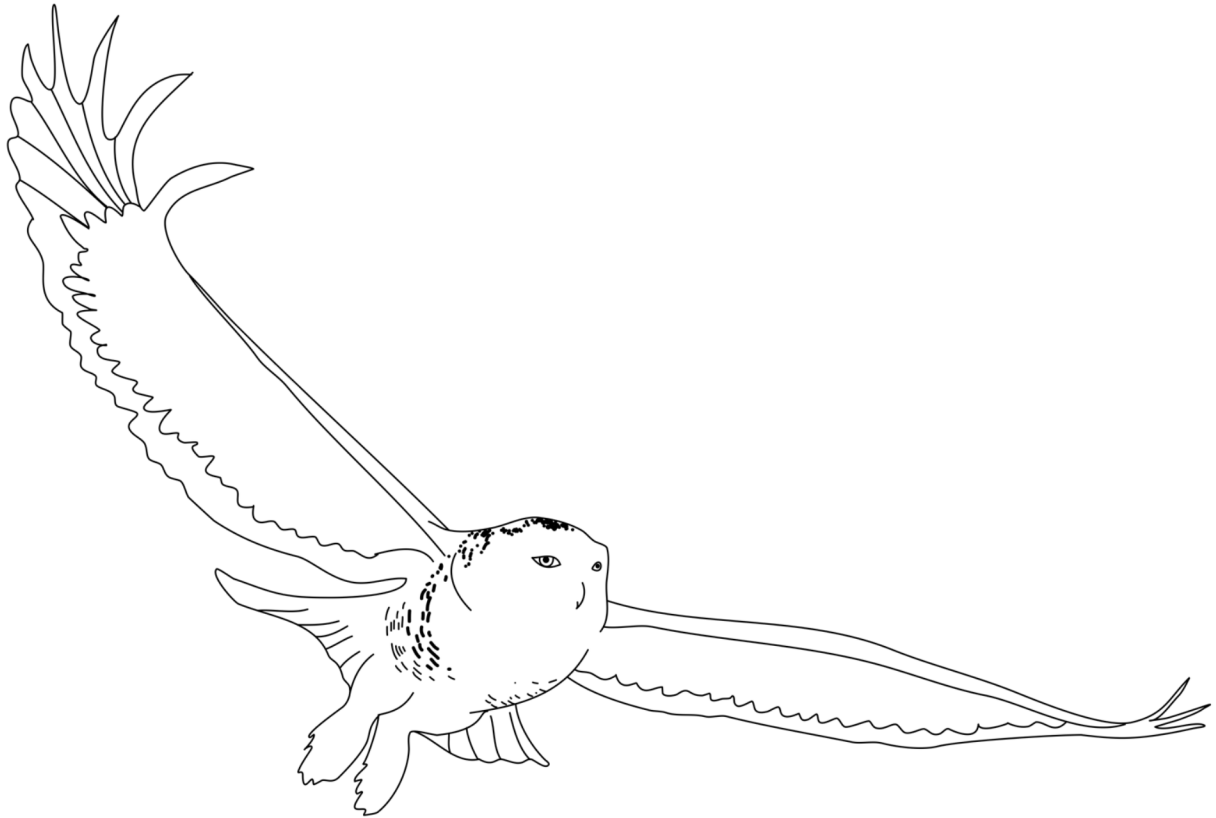


Say hello to the Sharp-Tailed Grouse, the dancer of the prairies. With its mottled brown feathers and pointed tail feathers, this bird is a master of camouflage in the grasslands.

Sharp-Tailed Grouse munch on plants and insects, using their sharp beaks to pick out tasty treats from the ground. During mating season, males perform elaborate courtship displays, stomping their feet and puffing out their chests to impress the ladies. Keep your eyes peeled for these ground-dwelling birds—they might just be putting on a show right in your own backyard!

SNOWY OWL

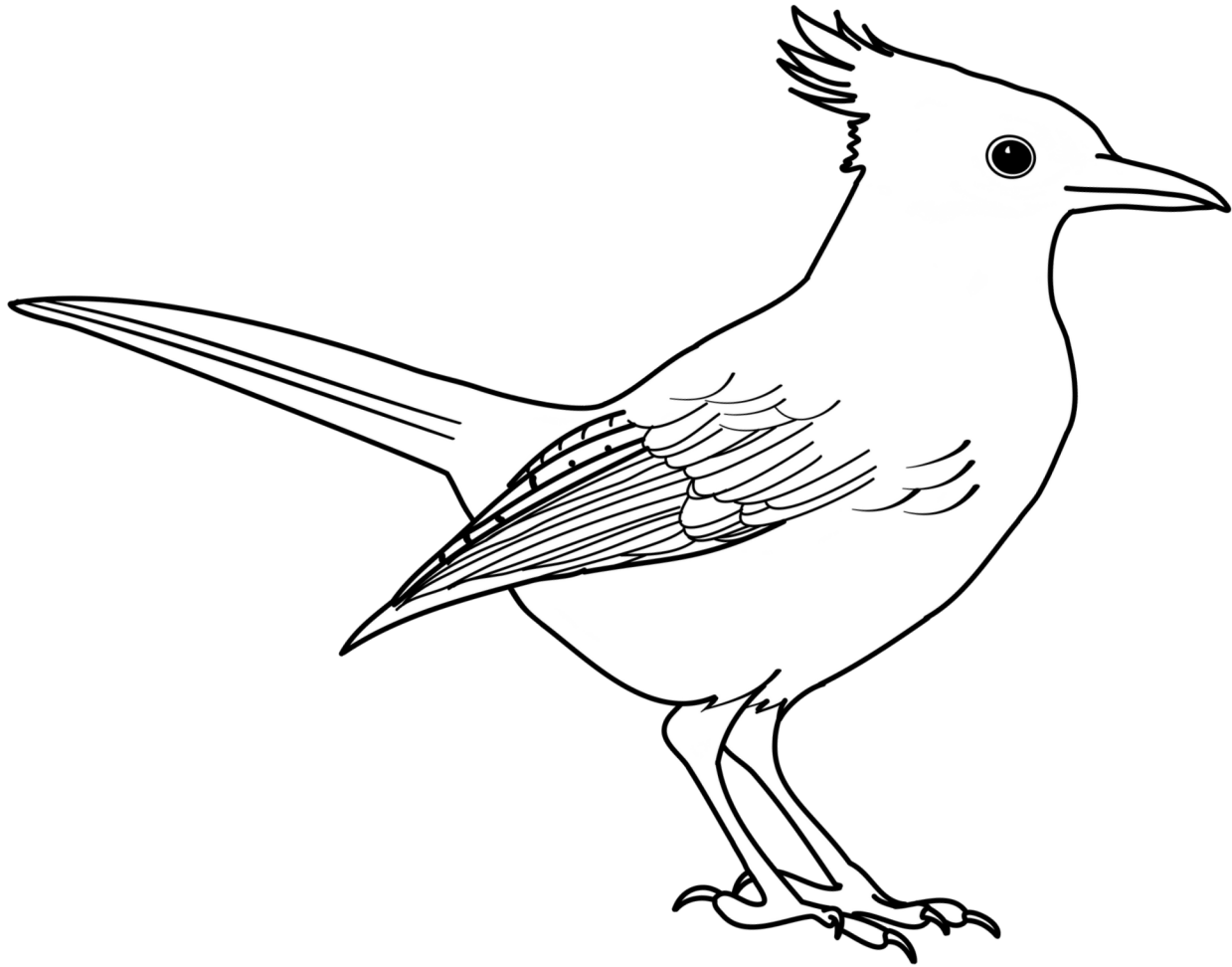
QUEBEC



Meet the Snowy Owl, the majestic hunter of the frozen north. With its snowy white feathers and piercing yellow eyes, this bird is a true symbol of the Arctic wilderness. Snowy Owls hunt small mammals like lemmings and voles, using their keen eyesight and silent flight to sneak up on their prey. They make their nests on the ground, often in open tundra or on rocky outcrops, keeping a watchful eye on their surroundings. Keep your eyes on the horizon, and you might catch a glimpse of one of these magnificent birds soaring through the snow!

STELLER'S JAY

BRITISH COLUMBIA



Hello from the Steller's Jay, the colorful bird of British Columbia! These birds are like the artists of the forest, with their bright blue feathers and playful personalities. You'll often find them hopping around in the woods, looking for yummy treats like nuts, berries, and insects. Steller's Jays build their nests in trees, usually not too high up, so you might spot one if you keep your eyes peeled. Listen closely, and you might even hear them mimicking other birds' calls—it's their way of saying, "I'm here!"