

BARN OWL



WHAT DO THE ADULTS LOOK LIKE?

Barn owls are medium sized owls. They have long legs with feathers on them. They have a heart shaped face, rounded wings, and a short tail. Their heads are light brown and spotted, and their bellies are greyish.

WHAT DO THE OWLETS LOOK LIKE?

Baby barn owls look similar to adults, only smaller. They are covered in a white to buffy white down.

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WHERE DO THEY LIVE?

During the day, barn owls sleep in trees, hollow logs, caves, or abandoned buildings. Their favorite habitat is in the dry country, and can be found on farms and in lightly wooded forests.

WHO ARE THEIR PREDATORS?

Their main predators are carnivorous mammals, like raccoons and opossums.

WHAT DO THEY EAT?

Barn owls eat small mammals, birds, rodents, frogs, lizards, and some insects.

WHAT ARE SOME OTHER INTERESTING FACTS?

- It is also sometimes called the Ghost Owl or Spirit Owl.**
- There are over 46 recorded species of Barn Owls.**
- Barn Owls have really great hearing, and can locate prey from sound alone.**