

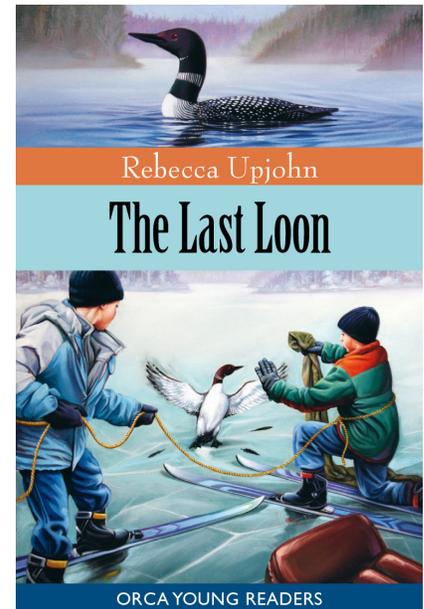
# The Last Loon

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If loon survival depended on your knowledge, how would they fare?  
Take the Common Loon Quiz and find out!

- 1) Loons are:
  - a. mammals
  - b. birds
  - c. extraterrestrials
- 2) Loons eat:
  - a. fish
  - b. pizza
  - c. birdseed
- 3) Loons have:
  - a. hollow bones
  - b. solid bones
  - c. rubber bones
- 4) Biologists believe loons may have red eyes:
  - a. because they are angry
  - b. because they are vampires
  - c. for camouflage
- 5) Loons survive best:
  - a. riding a hovercraft
  - b. in the wild
  - c. playing hockey
- 6) Loons live mostly:
  - a. in water
  - b. in the desert
  - c. on Mars
- 7) If a loon swallows a lead fishing sinker it:
  - a. sinks to the bottom of the lake
  - b. changes colour
  - c. dies

## Quiz



**Answers:** 1 b, 2 a, 3 b , 4 c, 5 b 6 a, 7 c

How did you do?

0 correct: Oh no! Loons are doomed. Reread *The Last Loon*.

1 correct: Loons are in deep trouble! Check your loony facts!

2 correct: At least you are trying. More effort is needed to save the loons.

3 correct: Don't give up! Loons need your help.

4 correct: You are getting there. Loons may survive. Keep trying!

5 correct: There is hope for these wild spirits!

6 correct: Impressive! Share your knowledge. Loons will probably survive.

7 correct: LOONTASTIC! You are helping the Common Loon survive and thrive!



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