

A photograph of a Blue Jay perched on a pine branch. The bird is facing right, looking slightly upwards. Its feathers are a mix of blue, white, and black. The background is a soft-focus green, suggesting a forest setting.

Audubon New York *For the Birds!*

Environmental Education Program

Blue Jay.

Photo: Matthew-Heckerling/Audubon Photography Awards

Audubon NY is now offering the For the Birds! environmental education program virtually. Packages include access to videos and teacher trainings to familiarize instructors to the lessons and web portal used. The videos include the lesson and activity directions, minimal guidance from the teacher is required. Lesson topics include but are not limited to bird identification, migration, bird songs, flight, nests, NYC's pigeons, and virtual bird walks. To enhance the learning experience, a live virtual session with an Audubon educator can be added on.

FTB! in a Box can be purchased in conjunction with the prerecorded lessons or as a standalone resource. This box kit contains a booklet with four lessons: bird identification, bird adaptations, migration, and flight. Accompanying activities are also included in the booklet as well as a native plant activity kit. FTB! in a Box is designed for students to be able to complete on their own at home.

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VIRTUAL PROGRAM OPTIONS:

1. 4 pre-recorded lessons plus one virtual training session for teachers **\$100 per class**
2. 8 pre-recorded lessons plus one virtual training session for teachers **\$200 per class**
3. Schools can add a live virtual program with our staff to any of the above options or as a standalone for an **additional \$50 per classroom**
4. We also have our curriculum in a box (literally) for **\$10 per box**. Box includes 4 lessons plus activities and includes native plant activity kit.

The four options above can be purchased separately or in combination.



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