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<b>Name</b>	Black-winged Starling.
<b>Scientific Name</b>	<i>Acridotheres</i> .
<b>Threats</b> (why they're at risk)	Illegal poaching for the songbird trade. This is made worse by habitat loss.
<b>Distribution</b> (where they live)	Three subspecies which are found throughout Java and Bali.
<b>Habitat</b> (what they live in)	Tropical dry forests, tropical dry shrubland, tropical moist shrubland and pastureland.
<b>Diet/Feeding strategy</b> (what they eat and how they eat it)	Fruits, nectar and insects.
<b>Social behaviour</b> (how they live)	Feed and roost communally. They're monogamous so form long term pairs nesting together amongst rocks or in trees.
<b>Males and females</b>	There is no obvious difference between males and females.
<b>Lifespan</b> (how long they live for)	Unknown.
<b>Number of young</b> (how many babies)	Three or four individuals.
<b>Interesting fact</b>	At dawn, birds fly some distance to their foraging areas and have been known to take food on the backs of buffalo.