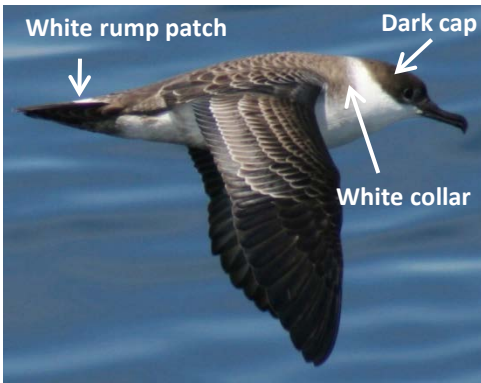


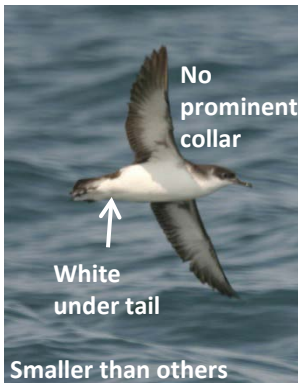
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## Shearwaters

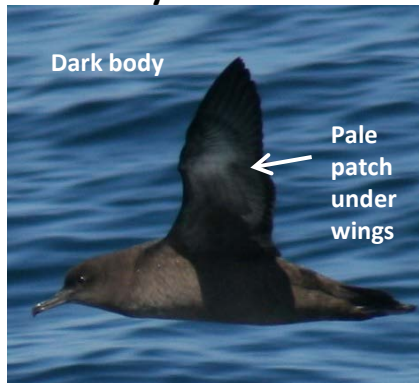
**Great Shearwater**



**Manx Shearwater**



**Sooty Shearwater**



**Cory's Shearwater**



**Northern Fulmar**



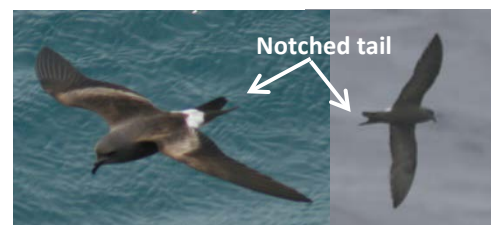
## Storm-Petrels

Sparrow-sized species that feed by tapping the surface of the water with their feet while still airborne

**Wilson's Storm-Petrel**



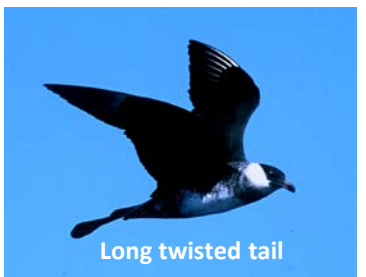
**Leach's Storm-Petrel**



## Jaegers and Skuas

Adult Jaegers in non-breeding plumage and juveniles are difficult to distinguish from one another

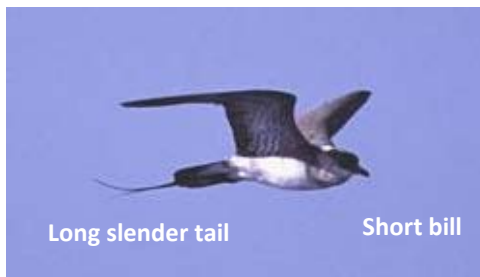
**Pomarine Jaeger**



**Parasitic Jaeger**



**Long-tailed Jaeger**



**Great Skua**



## Northern Gannet

**Adult**



**Immature**



## Phalaropes

**Red Phalarope**



**Red-necked Phalarope**



Summer

Winter



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## Black wing-tipped Gulls

### Black-legged Kittiwake

Breeding adult



Yellow bill

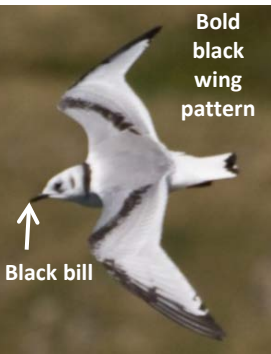
Winter adult



Dark patch behind eye

Dark wing tips look like they were "dipped in ink"

Immature (1<sup>st</sup> winter)



Black bill

Bold black wing pattern

### Herring Gull

Adult



Has brownish head in winter

More uniform brown than immature Great Black-backed Gull

Immature (1<sup>st</sup> winter)



Black bill in 1<sup>st</sup> winter and black tip in 2<sup>nd</sup> winter for both species

### Great Black-backed Gull

Adult



Marbled underwing coverts

Immature (2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> winter)



## White wing-tipped Gulls

### Ivory Gull

Adult



Uniformly white

Immature

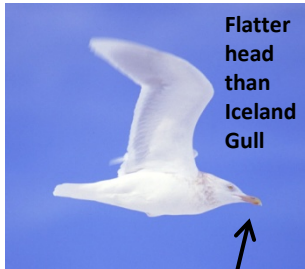


Dusky face

Dark spots on wing & tail tip

### Glaucous Gull

Adult



Flatter head than Iceland Gull

Longer & larger bill than Iceland Gull

Immature (2<sup>nd</sup> winter)



Black bill in 1<sup>st</sup> winter and black tip in 2<sup>nd</sup> winter for both species

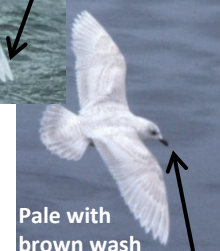
### Iceland Gull

Adult



Variable wing tip pattern (sometimes dark tips)

Immature (1<sup>st</sup> winter)



Pale with brown wash

## Alcids - summer

### Common Murre

Long straight bill



### Thick-billed Murre

White gape line



### Razorbill

Deep bill



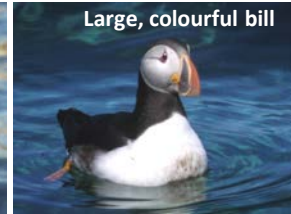
### Black Guillemot

White patch visible in winter and summer



### Atlantic Puffin

Large, colourful bill



### Dovekie

Robin-sized with short bill



## Alcids - winter

### Common Murre

White patch extends above eye



### Thick-billed Murre

White throat



### Razorbill

White behind eye



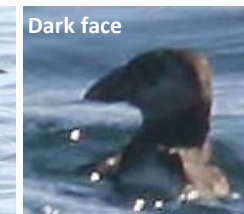
### Black Guillemot

Mottled black and white



### Atlantic Puffin

Dark face



### Dovekie

White behind eye and chin

