Education Programme

Goldcrest

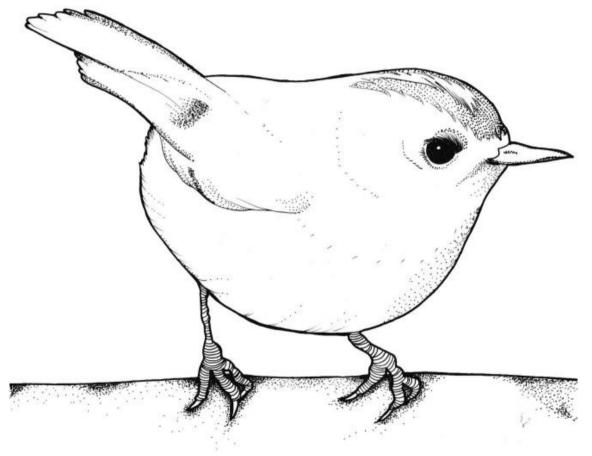
Scientific name: Regulus regulus

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Length: 9cm from tip of beak to tip of tail

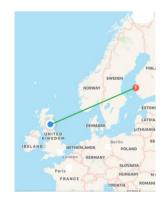
Wingspan: 14cm Weight: 6g







The Goldcrest is the UK's smallest bird. They have small thin beaks ideal for eating tiny foods like spiders, moth eggs and small insects that live in between pine needles. There are more Goldcrests in the UK and Isle of Man in the winter months as they migrate from colder countries, such as Sweden and Finland.



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