

Pigeons & Doves

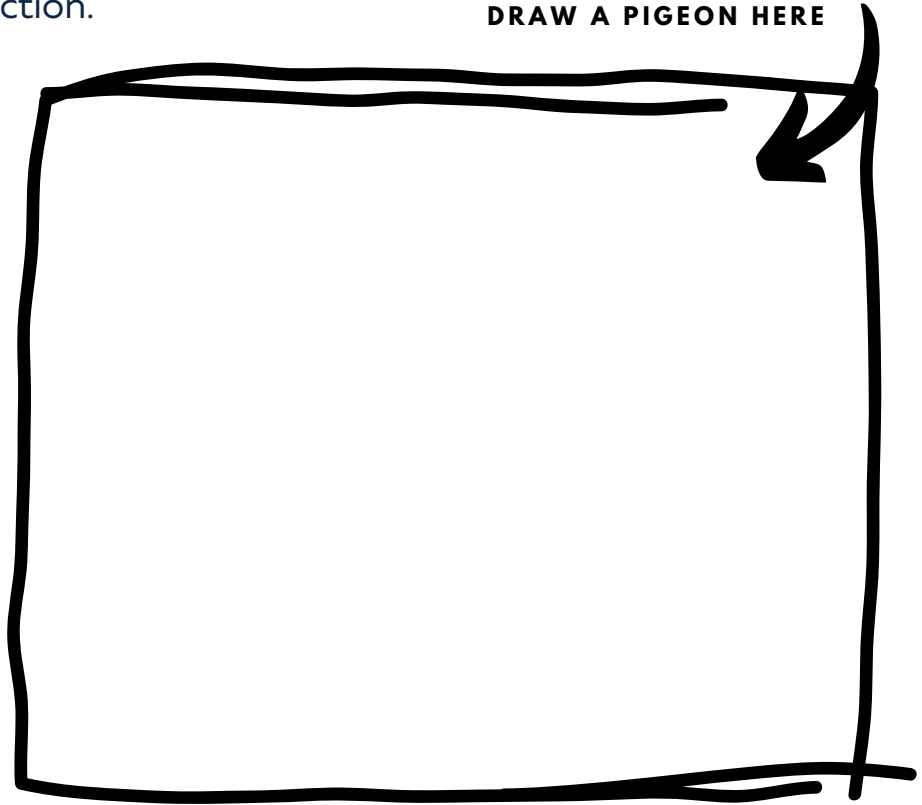
Pigeons are usually larger and heavier than doves, although scientifically there is no real distinction.

Let's Draw

DRAW A PIGEON HERE

Woodpigeons are common in fields and woods.

Pigeons and doves have been domesticated and bred into many different shapes and colours.



In cities you often see feral pigeons. These are domesticated birds that have gone wild again. Many people consider them dirty and think of them as pests.

**WRITE A SHORT MESSAGE HERE,
TO SEND WITH A CARRIER PIGEON.**



Many people keep racing pigeons that fly home from long distances at fast speeds.



Carrier pigeons used to be used to carry messages.