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The tall, long-legged great blue heron is the most common and largest of North American herons. Fishing Abilities and Diet. Great blue herons are waders, typically seen along coastlines, in marshes, or near the shores of ponds or streams. They are expert fishers. Herons snare their aquatic prey by walking slowly, or standing still for long periods of time and waiting for fish to come within range of their long necks and blade-like bills. The deathblow is delivered with a quick thrust of the sharp bill, and the prey is swallowed whole. Great blue herons have been known to choke to death by atte Enter your mobile number or email address below and we'll send you a link to download the free Kindle App. Then you can start reading Kindle books on your smartphone, tablet, or computer - no Kindle device required. Apple. Android. Windows Phone. Android. To get the free app, enter your mobile phone number. Best booked in the months of April through June. Hectic Herons. Get a close up look at hundreds of nesting Pacific Great Blue Heron and observe their unique behaviours. Learn about their habitat, adaptations, life cycle, and check our what is in a heron's lunchbox. The best heron viewing is March to May, although they remain on their nests into July. Salmon Stories. Take a look at the salmon life cycle through storyboards, cooperative activities and observations of our spawning channels from our fabulous salmon observation platform. Releasing fry in the spring? Consider a fall/winter trip to t... At over a metre and half in height, the great blue heron (*Ardea herodias*) is the largest heron in North America and one of the continent's most recognisable wading birds. There are two main colour morphs of this statuesque species: a dark form that is mostly blue-grey, with chestnut thighs, and a white cap over a black eye stripe that merges into long, black plumes; and a light form which is all white. The neck, legs and wings are characteristically long, the tail is short, and the yellowish bill is The great blue heron (*Ardea herodias*) is a large wading bird in the heron family Ardeidae, common near the shores of open water and in wetlands over most of North America and Central America, as well as the Caribbean and the Galápagos Islands. It is a rare vagrant to coastal Spain, the Azores, and areas of far southern Europe. An all-white population found in south Florida and the Florida Keys is known as the great white heron. Debate exists about whether this represents a white color morph of the