



MACARTHUR GREEN SURVEY CALENDAR	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>ORNITHOLOGY SURVEYS</b>												
Upland Breeding Birds				One visit per month								
Black grouse				One visit per month								
Capercaillie	Presence searches	Presence searches		Lek counts			Presence searches					
Breeding Raptors and Owls		Displaying eagles	Minimum four visits during these months			Late fledging						
Breeding Divers				Nesting lochs and flight activity								
Breeding Nightjar				Calling male counts								
Winter Roosting Raptors and Owls	Presence searches										Presence searches	
Winter Walkover												
Flight Activity Surveys	Minimum 36 hours per vantage point			Minimum 36 hours per vantage point				Minimum 36 hours per vantage point				
Migratory Wildfowl			Minimum 36 hours per vantage point					Minimum 36 hours per vantage point				
Intertidal Waterfowl		Tidal counts						Tidal counts				
Seabirds												
<b>ECOLOGY SURVEYS</b>												
Habitats/Vegetation				Suitability dependant on vegetation cover								
Badger				Suitability dependant on vegetation cover								
Bats - Roost Assessment				Suitability dependant on vegetation cover								
Bats - Activity/Roost Surveys				Dependent on prevailing weather conditions and air temperature								
Freshwater Pearl Mussel				Dependent on prevailing weather conditions and subsequent water levels. Habitat surveys can be done all year								
Great Crested Newt - Presence/Absence Surveys				Pond surveys								
Great Crested Newt - Habitat Assessment and Pitfall Surveys				Pond surveys								
Otter				Dependent on prevailing weather conditions, subsequent water levels and vegetation cover								
Pine Marten				Activity levels higher in summer months								
Red Squirrel				Activity levels higher in summer months								
Reptiles				Dependent on prevailing weather conditions, subsequent water levels and vegetation cover								
Water Vole				Dependent on prevailing weather conditions, subsequent water levels and vegetation cover								
Wildcat				Breeding activity surveys in April/May and August								
Deer and Prey Availability Surveys				Breeding activity surveys in April/May and August								
<b>PEAT SURVEYS</b>												
Peat Depth Surveys and Mire Condition Assessment												
Peat Coring Surveys												

This Survey Calendar is available in alternative colours, if required. Please contact us and we will send one out to you.