

# Australian Pelican

## *Pelecanus conspicillatus*

Length 1.6-1.8 m from tip of beak to tip of tail

Wingspan 2.3-2.5 m

Weight 4.0-6.8 kg



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The Australian Pelican is a large white bird that can be found in wetlands and coastal area. They are very graceful when flying and are often seen in a v-shaped formation. They use their big pink bill to scoop up fish which they swallow whole.

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