

# Ontario duze Msheekehnik Sidwinadjigan

## Turtles of Ontario identifier



**Gidugako misheekehn  
Spotted**

*Clemmys guttata*

- Tebuhegun 9-11.5 cm; apache 12.7 cm
- Zhooshkigeezh, mukadewizik dushwah
- Washozin zaawzid guyeh ezaawminhgadohn enaadeg mi ezhid gudugozid nihkawad niwababinawgodohn gidugakozowan
- Naamyahing dushwah, kauhnak zaawah ezaawminhgadohn wandehe muckadew-beegazo shahwaying kauhnak
- Yaabeg odamkonwan waabondehnoon meenwa zaawih shkeehnhzhingwewag; kwehak zaawihwandeheen odamkonwan meenwa ezaawminhgadohn wandehehnu shkeezhigoowan oshtekwauh kwehgun, puheksewinun meenwa zaawanugowid nigigwetagadohn guye mukadewanon meenwa zaawandehnon gidugakozinan beetwahkdun ezaawminhgadohn waabdehnoon
- Boonang, nisw mahge nishwaswi eginooshominagaagin, waabshka, nokihonagaawang epushkweginiwing waawanon
- Neezahnendahgozi (COSEWIC); Neezahnendahgozi (OMNR)

**Weenaungeh msheekehn  
Stinkpot**

*Sternotherus odoratus*

- Tebuhegun 5.1-11.5 cm; apache 13.7 cm
- Gaachmihngizih, zhooshkogeezh, gegah mukadewizih
- Shphamigad meenwa gachidey dushwah
- Nami dishwah ikaan gauchin zaawahndeh
- Gawahn kezhaadaunon o kaadon pikeebidjigan tikamakosin neeganiiwang dishwah namikeeng medush gibakosemigui wi kezhaadaunon oshtigwan
- Neeshing wabideegauzoh ahaahminahndibed
- Odaamkaning guye ogondaaganang weassiwi shkigidoh tenoh
- Waawiinhzot nebaugomagagozid netcheew magozid tazhheekahwind (guyabi inaa miskwadeseehn)
- Boonang neesh mahge nanan eginooshominagaagin waawanooon waabshkimirudon guye zoongi onagaawangadoon wawanooon
- Weejaginehwok (COSEWIC); Weejaginehwok (OMNR)



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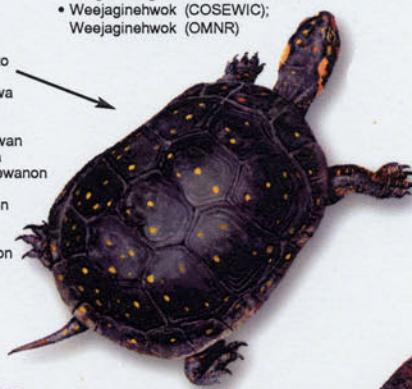
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**Nahwi kumik zheshobeegauzod  
Midland painted**

*Chrysemys picta marginata*

- Tebuhegun 11.5-14 cm; apache 19.5 cm
- Kweyak woshme mindidwok beenish yaabek
- Zhooshkojeezh mitigowahnzo zaawhi waabaandeg dishwah de zwimmingadohn waadndeg guye miskwadehmigug tatebeemiguk kaunakong
- Zaawahi naamyahing dushwah gege manowih mukudewisin okweganq okahdahn guye zaawahn misko meenwa zaawahi bepeshibeegadehnoon
- Shkwayeng enso shkeezig zaawih mizinaukwih gauzoh
- Yaabeg kauhnwko gaazhiwog neegaahni oziddehwan
- N taa wamdjigaazowag baasindekehewad giji metighohnik
- Boonam n swi mdaawsi shin neewin eginooshominagaagin Waabshkaagin ezhoooshkominagaahgin wawanoon



**Epingishmok zheshobeegauzod  
Western painted**

*Chrysemys picta bellii*

- Tebuhegun 9-18 cm; apache 25.1 cm
- Waabubeegun gweenwih nandaagodohn mitigomini beenish zaawag nigigwetagsing dushwah
- Zaehmigad zhinawgwd nanawaying kitchi mukadewehweshing
- N taa wamdjigaazowag baasindekehewad giji metighohnik
- Boonam n'sw-neesh-tana eginooshominagaagin waabshkaagin ezhoooshkominagaahgin wawanoon



**Mitigwahkeeng dizi mahaheekehn  
Wood turtle**

*Glyptemys insculpta*

- Tebuhegun 14-20 cm; apache 23.4 cm
- Zaawzh mahge enigigwetagag - egaawzhiwun gzigwang maanahadkomagade dishwah nanningim nesuhwunyee uhnaumoonug makwan meenwah ezhigizid mitig omaadjeegwin enso bezhik kaunak
- Shkweyaamiguk dushwah enahbedayahmigud
- Naamyahing dushwah zaanwandeh meenwa makadew kikidew beewgaunah
- Oshtewaun mukadewah
- Zaawahi
- Metawgijig ezaawminhgadohn wandeheenon mahge zaawah Oqueganing meenwah kaadehwan aking
- Mikigaazoh kinah ngoji
- Maamohwini miziweh Ontario kenjigozoh
- Guye zeebiwan meenwa nibbeew keeng
- Boonang neewin beenish madaswi shi neezh pepuhgahgin Waawanon
- Weejaginehwok (COSEWIC); Neezahnendahgoziwok (OMNR)



**Blanding o m'sheekehnmon  
Blanding's**

*Emydoidea blandingii*

- Tebuhegun 12.5-18 cm; apache 27.4 cm
- Dishwah mukudehwhandeh beenish nigigwetahndeg ezaawag neebino ezaawagin gidugozwinan mage bepeshibeegazowin
- Naamyahing dushwah minowaeskhamigad puhsekcojewung bepemshkahn wee gibakosehmguik nami kaunak o kezbahdaun o stigtwan guye kaudin
- Ewaaskodieg gaawandehwin daamkaning meenwah o gondaaing
- Peekodjesh shkeehnhzhigwed
- Dishwah mizishuh debaabminaugwad epeetchi baasindehket giji mitighohnik, auzhibikohng mahge giji gego bedekid
- Boonang ningodwas - medaswe shi-bezik eginooshominagaagin Waabandehnoon zoongi onagaawangadoon wawanoon
- Weejaginehwok (COSEWIC); Weejaginehwok (OMNR)



**Keewatino okimazinigan  
Msheekehn**

*Graptemys geographica*

- Tebuhegun-Yaabe 9-15.9 cm; akweak 18-27.3 cm
- Yaabek kitchi woshme ughahsheehnwuk beenish shwehak
- Neebinia zaawi gauchibeebagazowin debashkogoh akimazinikan giji miligomini zhaashkwandeh beenish gaawag dushwah noondash idiwinaagodohn dush weego gehkajik m sheekehn
- Shkweyaamiguk dushwahnehabedayahmigud
- Dishwah bungee puukzowimigad nesukuhyye uhnaumoonug kauhnak
- Zaawahlmiigud namyahing kauhnak
- Zaawahlmiigud kitagiswi, anothik nikwanoon shkweyaang enso Zaawahlmiigud
- Oshtekwauh guye puheksewinun dahwaabahnoon mahge dhdmukadehwhanoon beshkbil aazwinan

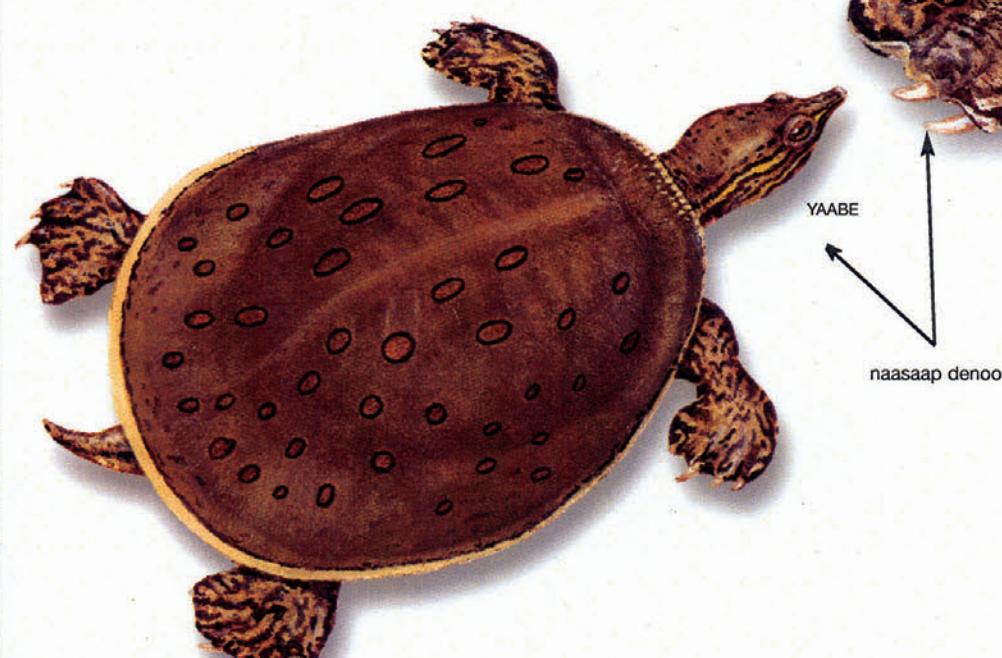
*Turtles are illustrated at half life size.*

*Msheekehnk mazintchigazwuk opita enginwaad ntawgiwid.*

M sheekhnik Ontarioing kahwamjigazwok naami nawkonigewnan Geegohnik guye Weseehnik weebmajind wah Dibaakohnigewinan. Geeshpin giin mukawut m sheekh kego naushkweaake mahge ngoji zhi maajeewnake ziwi n dananakeed. Geeshpin giin mukawut msheekehn e maajad endanakeed gegago shkwagazod waawaasgone-gliizis mahge Gtige-gliizis megwatchgo kwe m sheekh awidik, ndawamduung waanji boonmut. Kawabum, saughaw, dush bigidin! Kinahgo gidayahna ezitchigewnan wee kahwamjigazwot nbeev Keen danakewnan meenwa m sheekhnik enji bidukshkumwaad. N godwaso mahge shaawaso Ontarioing m sheekhnik Weeningohnewog megwago. Uzaabwinan naadimaagmagedohn wee ken mindwah dinowah kitchi enandahgokin m sheekh danakeenan. N duhkendahn guyabih bigitnamwishinang giwazaabwinan che wangondaun wajibila Ontarioing Msheekehnik Maandoginjigazwin dzhi. [www.torontozoo.com/adoptapond/TurtleTally.asp](http://www.torontozoo.com/adoptapond/TurtleTally.asp)



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### Geenaunge Nookjizid Spiny softshell

#### *Apalone spinifera*

- Tebuhegunan Yaabe 12.15-23.5 cm; Akweak 18-43.2 cm
- Dishwah nbaagah meenwa mitigomino negigwatuuhgeze ezaawahndeh; zaawahndeh kina geetahling meenwa mukahwahsin
- Yaabeg guye eshkinigig m'sheekehn, oduhyahnuwah kitchi zaawahli beegunah e mukadehew waakebeegadginę kwayahak e zaazaawishinook
- Egaatchigin puhkozeewinan egeenahbidehyaagin geegahyeeheng dishwah giji kwegianowung neesh etibkahndehgin geegahyeehee waabaandeh ezaawahli beshibeegauzohwinan eyedwihehng ohndeubaung
- Aupitchigo ginwaabeegagwehwed weembuhauhukd "gookooshing" oshkinj
- Ntaa n gokmigige negwehkeeng mahge ghashkiing
- Boonam madaswi shi neesh- madaswe shi nshawaswi Waawyeyaaagin waabshkaahgin zoongi onagaawangadoon wawanoon
- Weejaginehwok (COSEWIC); Weejaginehwok (OMNR)



### Miskwadeseehn dehkuhnget Common Snapping

#### *Chelydra serpentina*

- Tebuhegunan 20.3-36cm; apeche 49.4 cm
- Peetingauziwin 4.5-16 kg; apeche 32 kg
- Dehkuhnget Msheekehn ningoding gotnid Neesadjowan Weweekhnigibakwodigamig
- Dishwah waabaandeh ezaawziwin beenish mukudehwak oshki aiaansyk od aiawan niswi egnoodyaagin uhnamoonug maawahnun netawgijig m sheekhnik zhooshkominhgizowug
- Naomyahiing dishwah zaawandeh, gaatchin meenwa auzhideiatigohng nangeyah
- Okahdan guye awessiwian gaween weweni kezhahaungaudesinowun
- Migindibeh neesh weassawi shkidohn odaamkaning ewawietchigaudehgin puhkozeewinan kwegianong
- Oshtigwan, puksesewin guye zaawahnik zaawahnoon
- Zaawahnik naasaap mahgego wushme kwaabeegud beenish dishwah gege dishko kitchi mewnzha dibajimowuk kitchi kahdik genebikgok gaahmaudzijig onpii gikamik, "Dinosaur," nongoh anind dush gee yaawawahn giji zaawahning kitchi niswing ezhii kukidehyagin kitchi wuhnuhgahuhyeenun
- Boonun neesh-tana - neem-tana waaweeheyagin egautchimingahgin waawaanoon

### Mskotawaged Ezzooshkojiwed (Red-Eared Slider)

#### *Trachemys scripta elegans*

Mskotawaged Ezzooshkojiwed n taa daandim weseehn Daawegamighonan dush weego gaween Ontarioing danakiseeh. Kego bigidinaakeh g day msheekehn buhkuddukummig. Ginoma yaamwad ahkoosewin geh aashawesemiguk endanakijid gi m sheekhnan nanik gaween dush ishkonesiwig.

- 1 - Shahwayiling dishwah or kauhnak
- 2 - Gijyahiing dishwah or kauhnak
- 3 - Duhtahgahgun
- 4 - Piskeebidijun