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Subject: Strange Animal Noises  
Posted by [penguin89](#) on Sun, 20 Dec 2020 18:45:13 GMT  
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What's your vote for the strangest animal noises? For me, I'd have to go with the Chinese Water Deer. Their barking noise sounds like a fox. They also have fangs, which is pretty cool.

In case you want to listen:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DSTNzAYkaas>

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Subject: Re: Strange Animal Noises  
Posted by [PinkHair](#) on Tue, 22 Dec 2020 03:16:17 GMT  
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That's...that's not a noise a deer should make. And they have fangs?! What kind of animal is this?  
8o

As far as strange animal noises go, I'll say a cat purring. Yes, it's a fairly common sound, but it's also pretty interesting. It has healing properties, and some species of cat can do it while others can't.

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Subject: Re: Strange Animal Noises  
Posted by [RunsWithScissors](#) on Mon, 28 Dec 2020 00:53:11 GMT  
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I'm going to vote for an angry, hissing goose. It sounds like a snake. Now that I think about it, a goose's long neck could be confused with a snake, if you only look for a split second. I wonder if anyone ever startled a goose and thought it was a snake! :lol:

Here's a video!  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h0EUoEEj1tU>

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Subject: Re: Strange Animal Noises  
Posted by [KalebTheAudioGuy](#) on Mon, 28 Dec 2020 21:04:59 GMT  
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Keeping with the bird theme, the loon's wail gets my vote. They have such a beautiful, haunting call. It sounds even more enchanting when you hear it in the early morning. The call carries over the water so well.

I can't resist sharing a clip.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lb0CxvL8Bp8>

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Subject: Re: Strange Animal Noises

Posted by [RunsWithScissors](#) on Tue, 05 Jan 2021 15:35:44 GMT

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I feel like I've just entered a menagerie of fantasy creatures! The deer with fangs is quite whimsical :o It's hard to believe that's real. I don't have any particular sound in mind, but birdsong, even though common, is actually quite strange when you think about it.

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Subject: Re: Strange Animal Noises

Posted by [Leot55](#) on Thu, 07 Jan 2021 03:20:36 GMT

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What? Everybody knows the mockingbird wins this one hands down. There are different varieties spread out across the world, but I think they're all pretty great singers and mimics. Last year I had a Northern mockingbird nesting in my yard that imitated a car alarm, a squeaky toy, and a cat's meow. It drove my poor dog nuts.

Wow, that Chinese Water Deer is something else. Thanks for sharing the video.

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