

KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Clark County, KS

WHISTLING-DUCKS

- ___ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- ___ Fulvous Whistling-Duck

GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ Cackling Goose
- ___ Canada Goose*
- ___ Tundra Swan

DUCKS

- ___ Wood Duck§
- ___ Blue-winged Teal*
- ___ Cinnamon Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ Mallard*
- ___ American Black Duck
- ___ Mottled Duck
- ___ Northern Pintail
- ___ Green-winged Teal
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Redhead
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Greater Scaup
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ Surf Scoter
- ___ Long-tailed Duck
- ___ Bufflehead
- ___ Common Goldeneye
- ___ Hooded Merganser
- ___ Common Merganser
- ___ Red-breasted Merganser
- ___ Ruddy Duck

QUAIL

- ___ Northern Bobwhite*
- ___ Scaled Quail*

TURKEY, GROUSE, PHEASANT

- ___ Wild Turkey*
- ___ Lesser Prairie-Chicken*
- ___ Ring-necked Pheasant*

GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe
- ___ Horned Grebe
- ___ Eared Grebe
- ___ Western Grebe
- ___ Clark's Grebe

PIGEONS, DOVES

- ___ Rock Pigeon*
- ___ Band-tailed Pigeon†
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ___ White-winged Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove*

CUCKOOS

- ___ Greater Roadrunner
- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo*
- ___ Black-billed Cuckoo

NIGHTJARS

- ___ Common Nighthawk*
- ___ Common Poorwill
- ___ Chuck-will's-widow*

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift§

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- ___ Rufous Hummingbird

RAILS, GALLINULES

- ___ King Rail
- ___ Virginia Rail
- ___ Sora
- ___ American Coot
- ___ Black Rail

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane
- ___ Whooping Crane

STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ Black-necked Stilt
- ___ American Avocet

PLOVERS

- ___ Black-bellied Plover
- ___ American Golden-Plover
- ___ Killdeer*
- ___ Semipalmated Plover
- ___ Piping Plover
- ___ Snowy Plover*

SANDPIPERS

- ___ Upland Sandpiper
- ___ Whimbrel
- ___ Long-billed Curlew
- ___ Marbled Godwit
- ___ Stilt Sandpiper
- ___ Sanderling
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ White-rumped Sandpiper
- ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Western Sandpiper
- ___ Short-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ___ Willet

- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope

GULLS

- ___ Bonaparte's Gull
- ___ Franklin's Gull
- ___ Ring-billed Gull
- ___ California Gull
- ___ Herring Gull
- ___ Lesser Black-backed Gull

TERNs

- ___ Least Tern*
- ___ Black Tern
- ___ Common Tern
- ___ Forster's Tern

LOONS

- ___ Pacific Loon
- ___ Common Loon
- ___ Yellow-billed Loon†

CORMORANTS

- ___ Double-crested Cormorant

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

HERONS

- ___ American Bittern
- ___ Least Bittern
- ___ Great Blue Heron*
- ___ Great Egret
- ___ Snowy Egret
- ___ Little Blue Heron
- ___ Cattle Egret
- ___ Green Heron§
- ___ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- ___ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES

- ___ White-faced Ibis

VULTURES

- ___ Turkey Vulture*

OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ Golden Eagle*
- ___ Northern Harrier
- ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ___ Cooper's Hawk*
- ___ American Goshawk
- ___ Bald Eagle
- ___ Mississippi Kite*
- ___ Harris's Hawk†
- ___ Red-shouldered Hawk
- ___ Broad-winged Hawk
- ___ Swainson's Hawk*
- ___ Red-tailed Hawk*
- ___ Rough-legged Hawk
- ___ Ferruginous Hawk*

BARN OWLS

___ Barn Owl

OWLS

___ Eastern Screech-Owl§

___ Great Horned Owl*

___ Burrowing Owl*

___ Barred Owl*

___ Long-eared Owl

___ Short-eared Owl

___ Northern Saw-whet Owl

KINGFISHERS

___ Belted Kingfisher*

WOODPECKERS

___ Red-headed Woodpecker*

___ Red-bellied Woodpecker*

___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker

___ Red-naped Sapsucker

___ Downy Woodpecker*

___ Ladder-backed Woodpecker

___ Hairy Woodpecker

___ Northern Flicker*

___ Pileated Woodpecker

FALCONS

___ American Kestrel§

___ Merlin

___ Peregrine Falcon

___ Prairie Falcon

FLYCATCHERS

___ Ash-throated Flycatcher

___ Great Crested Flycatcher*

___ Cassin's Kingbird

___ Western Kingbird*

___ Eastern Kingbird*

___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*

___ Olive-sided Flycatcher

___ Western Wood-Pewee

___ Eastern Wood-Pewee

___ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher

___ Alder Flycatcher

___ Willow Flycatcher

___ Least Flycatcher

___ Dusky Flycatcher

___ Eastern Phoebe*

___ Say's Phoebe*

___ Vermilion Flycatcher

VIREOS

___ White-eyed Vireo

___ Bell's Vireo*

___ Yellow-throated Vireo

___ Blue-headed Vireo

___ Warbling Vireo§

___ Red-eyed Vireo

SHRIKES

___ Loggerhead Shrike*

___ Northern Shrike

JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS

___ Pinyon Jay

___ Steller's Jay

___ Blue Jay*

___ Mexican Jay†

___ Black-billed Magpie

___ American Crow*

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

___ Carolina Chickadee*

___ Black-capped Chickadee§

___ Tufted Titmouse

LARKS

___ Horned Lark*

SWALLOWS

___ Bank Swallow

___ Tree Swallow*

___ N. Rough-winged Swallow*

___ Purple Martin

___ Barn Swallow*

___ Cliff Swallow*

BUSHTITS

___ Bushtit

KINGLETS

___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

___ Golden-crowned Kinglet

WAXWINGS

___ Cedar Waxwing

NUTHATCHES

___ Red-breasted Nuthatch

___ White-breasted Nuthatch

CREEPERS

___ Brown Creeper

GNATCATCHERS

___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

WRENS

___ Rock Wren*

___ Bewick's Wren*

___ Carolina Wren

___ House Wren*

___ Winter Wren

___ Marsh Wren

THRASHERS

___ Gray Catbird

___ Curve-billed Thrasher

___ Brown Thrasher*

___ Northern Mockingbird*

STARLINGS

___ European Starling*

THRUSHES

___ Eastern Bluebird*

___ Mountain Bluebird

___ Townsend's Solitaire

___ Veery

___ Gray-cheeked Thrush

___ Swainson's Thrush

___ Hermit Thrush

___ Wood Thrush

___ American Robin*

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

___ House Sparrow*

PIPITS

___ American Pipit

___ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES

___ House Finch§

___ Red Crossbill

___ Purple Finch

___ Pine Siskin

___ Lesser Goldfinch

___ American Goldfinch

LONGSPURS

___ Lapland Longspur

___ Chestnut-collared Longspur

___ Thick-billed Longspur

SPARROWS

___ Cassin's Sparrow§

___ Grasshopper Sparrow*

___ Lark Sparrow*

___ Lark Bunting*

___ Chipping Sparrow

___ Clay-colored Sparrow

___ Field Sparrow*

___ Fox Sparrow

___ American Tree Sparrow

___ Dark-eyed Junco

___ White-crowned Sparrow

___ Harris's Sparrow

___ White-throated Sparrow

___ Vesper Sparrow

___ LeConte's Sparrow

___ Savannah Sparrow

___ Song Sparrow

___ Lincoln's Sparrow

___ Swamp Sparrow

___ Rufous-crowned Sparrow

___ Spotted Towhee

___ Eastern Towhee

CHATS

___ Yellow-breasted Chat

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

___ Yellow-headed Blackbird

___ Eastern Meadowlark§

___ Western Meadowlark*

___ Orchard Oriole*

___ Bullock's Oriole*

___ Baltimore Oriole*

___ Red-winged Blackbird*

___ Brown-headed Cowbird*

___ Rusty Blackbird

___ Brewer's Blackbird

___ Common Grackle*

___ Great-tailed Grackle

WARBLERS

- ___ Ovenbird
- ___ Northern Waterthrush
- ___ Black-and-white Warbler
- ___ Prothonotary Warbler
- ___ Tennessee Warbler
- ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ___ Nashville Warbler
- ___ Mourning Warbler
- ___ Kentucky Warbler
- ___ Common Yellowthroat
- ___ Hooded Warbler
- ___ American Redstart
- ___ Northern Parula
- ___ Magnolia Warbler
- ___ Blackburnian Warbler
- ___ Yellow Warbler§
- ___ Blackpoll Warbler
- ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ___ Black-throated Green Warbler
- ___ Wilson's Warbler

GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

- ___ Scarlet Tanager
- ___ Western Tanager
- ___ Northern Cardinal§
- ___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- ___ Black-headed Grosbeak
- ___ Blue Grosbeak§
- ___ Lazuli Bunting
- ___ Indigo Bunting
- ___ Painted Bunting*
- ___ Dickcissel*

† Fewer than ten Kansas records

[] Hypothetical species

§ Probable breeding species

* Confirmed breeding species

Probable and confirmed breeding species as defined by the Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project.

This list was compiled from records of the Kansas Ornithological Society, Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project, and the Kansas Biological Survey.

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