

# KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Grant County, KS

## GEESE, SWANS

- \_\_\_ Snow Goose
- \_\_\_ Ross's Goose
- \_\_\_ Greater White-fronted Goose
- \_\_\_ Cackling Goose
- \_\_\_ Canada Goose\*
- \_\_\_ Trumpeter Swan

## DUCKS

- \_\_\_ Wood Duck
- \_\_\_ Blue-winged Teal\*
- \_\_\_ Cinnamon Teal§
- \_\_\_ Northern Shoveler§
- \_\_\_ Gadwall\*
- \_\_\_ American Wigeon
- \_\_\_ Mallard\*
- \_\_\_ Mottled Duck
- \_\_\_ Northern Pintail\*
- \_\_\_ Green-winged Teal
- \_\_\_ Canvasback
- \_\_\_ Redhead
- \_\_\_ Ring-necked Duck
- \_\_\_ Lesser Scaup
- \_\_\_ Bufflehead
- \_\_\_ Common Goldeneye
- \_\_\_ Hooded Merganser
- \_\_\_ Common Merganser
- \_\_\_ Red-breasted Merganser
- \_\_\_ Ruddy Duck\*

## QUAIL

- \_\_\_ Northern Bobwhite§
- \_\_\_ Scaled Quail

## PHEASANT

- \_\_\_ Ring-necked Pheasant\*

## GROUSE

- \_\_\_ Lesser Prairie-Chicken

## TURKEY

- \_\_\_ Wild Turkey\*

## GREBES

- \_\_\_ Pied-billed Grebe
- \_\_\_ Red-necked Grebe
- \_\_\_ Eared Grebe
- \_\_\_ Western Grebe
- \_\_\_ Clark's Grebe

## PIGEONS, DOVES

- \_\_\_ Rock Pigeon\*
- \_\_\_ Eurasian Collared-Dove\*
- \_\_\_ Inca Dove
- \_\_\_ White-winged Dove
- \_\_\_ Mourning Dove\*

## CUCKOOS

- \_\_\_ Greater Roadrunner
- \_\_\_ Yellow-billed Cuckoo§
- \_\_\_ Black-billed Cuckoo\*

## NIGHTJARS

- \_\_\_ Common Nighthawk
- \_\_\_ Common Poorwill

## SWIFTS

- \_\_\_ Chimney Swift

## HUMMINGBIRDS

- \_\_\_ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- \_\_\_ Calliope Hummingbird

## RAILS, GALLINULES

- \_\_\_ Virginia Rail
- \_\_\_ Sora
- \_\_\_ Common Gallinule
- \_\_\_ American Coot

## CRANES

- \_\_\_ Sandhill Crane

## STILTS, AVOCETS

- \_\_\_ Black-necked Stilt
- \_\_\_ American Avocet\*

## PLOVERS

- \_\_\_ Killdeer\*
- \_\_\_ Semipalmated Plover
- \_\_\_ Mountain Plover

## SANDPIPERS

- \_\_\_ Upland Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Long-billed Curlew
- \_\_\_ Hudsonian Godwit
- \_\_\_ Marbled Godwit
- \_\_\_ Stilt Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Sanderling
- \_\_\_ Dunlin
- \_\_\_ Baird's Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Least Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Pectoral Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Western Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Long-billed Dowitcher
- \_\_\_ Wilson's Snipe
- \_\_\_ Spotted Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Solitary Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Lesser Yellowlegs
- \_\_\_ Willet
- \_\_\_ Greater Yellowlegs
- \_\_\_ Wilson's Phalarope§
- \_\_\_ Red-necked Phalarope

## GULLS

- \_\_\_ Bonaparte's Gull
- \_\_\_ Franklin's Gull
- \_\_\_ Ring-billed Gull

## TERNs

- \_\_\_ Black Tern
- \_\_\_ Forster's Tern

## CORMORANTS

- \_\_\_ Double-crested Cormorant

## PELICANS

- \_\_\_ American White Pelican

## HERONS

- \_\_\_ 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
- \_\_\_ Bald Eagle
- \_\_\_ Mississippi Kite\*
- \_\_\_ Broad-winged Hawk
- \_\_\_ Swainson's Hawk\*
- \_\_\_ Red-tailed Hawk§
- \_\_\_ Rough-legged Hawk
- \_\_\_ Ferruginous Hawk\*

## BARN OWLS

- \_\_\_ Barn Owl\*

## OWLS

- \_\_\_ Great Horned Owl\*
- \_\_\_ Burrowing Owl\*
- \_\_\_ Long-eared Owl
- \_\_\_ Short-eared Owl

## KINGFISHERS

- \_\_\_ Belted Kingfisher

## WOODPECKERS

- \_\_\_ Red-headed Woodpecker\*
- \_\_\_ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- \_\_\_ Downy Woodpecker\*
- \_\_\_ Ladder-backed Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Hairy Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Northern Flicker\*

## FALCONS

- \_\_\_ American Kestrel§
- \_\_\_ Merlin

\_\_\_ Peregrine Falcon  
\_\_\_ Prairie Falcon

### FLYCATCHERS

\_\_\_ Ash-throated Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Great Crested Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Western Kingbird\*  
\_\_\_ Eastern Kingbird§  
\_\_\_ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher\*  
\_\_\_ Olive-sided Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Western Wood-Pewee  
\_\_\_ Eastern Wood-Pewee  
\_\_\_ Alder Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Willow Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Least Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Dusky Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Cordilleran Flycatcher  
\_\_\_ Eastern Phoebe  
\_\_\_ Say's Phoebe

### SHRIKES

\_\_\_ Loggerhead Shrike  
\_\_\_ Northern Shrike

### VIREOS

\_\_\_ White-eyed Vireo  
\_\_\_ Bell's Vireo  
\_\_\_ Yellow-throated Vireo  
\_\_\_ Cassin's Vireo  
\_\_\_ Blue-headed Vireo  
\_\_\_ Warbling Vireo  
\_\_\_ Red-eyed Vireo

### JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS

\_\_\_ Pinyon Jay  
\_\_\_ Steller's Jay  
\_\_\_ Blue Jay\*  
\_\_\_ Woodhouse's Scrub-Jay  
\_\_\_ Clark's Nutcracker  
\_\_\_ Black-billed Magpie\*  
\_\_\_ American Crow\*  
\_\_\_ Chihuahuan Raven\*

### LARKS

\_\_\_ Horned Lark\*

### SWALLOWS

\_\_\_ Bank Swallow  
\_\_\_ Tree Swallow  
\_\_\_ N. Rough-winged Swallow  
\_\_\_ Purple Martin\*  
\_\_\_ Barn Swallow\*  
\_\_\_ Cliff Swallow

### CHICKADEES, TITMICE

\_\_\_ Black-capped Chickadee  
\_\_\_ Mountain Chickadee

### NUTHATCHES

\_\_\_ Red-breasted Nuthatch  
\_\_\_ White-breasted Nuthatch

### CREEPERS

\_\_\_ Brown Creeper

### WRENS

\_\_\_ Rock Wren  
\_\_\_ House Wren\*  
\_\_\_ Winter Wren  
\_\_\_ Marsh Wren  
\_\_\_ Carolina Wren  
\_\_\_ Bewick's Wren

### GNATCATCHERS

\_\_\_ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

### KINGLETS

\_\_\_ Golden-crowned Kinglet  
\_\_\_ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

### THRUSHES

\_\_\_ Eastern Bluebird  
\_\_\_ Mountain Bluebird  
\_\_\_ Townsend's Solitaire  
\_\_\_ Veery  
\_\_\_ Gray-cheeked Thrush  
\_\_\_ Swainson's Thrush  
\_\_\_ Hermit Thrush  
\_\_\_ Wood Thrush  
\_\_\_ American Robin\*

### THRASHERS

\_\_\_ Gray Catbird  
\_\_\_ Curve-billed Thrasher  
\_\_\_ Brown Thrasher\*  
\_\_\_ Sage Thrasher  
\_\_\_ Northern Mockingbird\*

### STARLINGS

\_\_\_ European Starling\*

### WAXWINGS

\_\_\_ Bohemian Waxwing  
\_\_\_ Cedar Waxwing

### OLD WORLD SPARROWS

\_\_\_ House Sparrow\*

### PIPITS

\_\_\_ American Pipit

### FINCHES

\_\_\_ Evening Grosbeak  
\_\_\_ Pine Grosbeak  
\_\_\_ House Finch\*  
\_\_\_ Purple Finch  
\_\_\_ Cassin's Finch  
\_\_\_ Common Redpoll  
\_\_\_ Red Crossbill  
\_\_\_ Pine Siskin\*  
\_\_\_ Lesser Goldfinch  
\_\_\_ American Goldfinch\*

### LONGSPURS

\_\_\_ Lapland Longspur  
\_\_\_ Chestnut-collared Longspur  
\_\_\_ McCown's Longspur

### SPARROWS

\_\_\_ Cassin's Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Grasshopper Sparrow\*

\_\_\_ Lark Sparrow\*  
\_\_\_ Lark Bunting\*  
\_\_\_ Chipping Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Clay-colored Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Field Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Brewer's Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Fox Sparrow  
\_\_\_ American Tree Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Dark-eyed Junco  
\_\_\_ White-crowned Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Harris's Sparrow  
\_\_\_ White-throated Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Vesper Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Savannah Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Song Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Lincoln's Sparrow  
\_\_\_ Swamp 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  
\_\_\_ Orange-crowned Warbler  
\_\_\_ Nashville Warbler  
\_\_\_ MacGillivray's Warbler  
\_\_\_ Common Yellowthroat\*  
\_\_\_ American Redstart  
\_\_\_ Northern Parula  
\_\_\_ Bay-breasted Warbler  
\_\_\_ Blackburnian Warbler  
\_\_\_ Yellow Warbler  
\_\_\_ Chestnut-sided Warbler  
\_\_\_ Yellow-rumped Warbler  
\_\_\_ Black-throated Gray Warbler  
\_\_\_ Townsend's Warbler  
\_\_\_ Black-throated Green Warbler  
\_\_\_ Wilson's Warbler

### GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

\_\_\_ Summer Tanager  
\_\_\_ Scarlet Tanager  
\_\_\_ Western Tanager  
\_\_\_ Northern Cardinal

\_\_\_\_ Rose-breasted Grosbeak  
\_\_\_\_ Black-headed Grosbeak  
\_\_\_\_ Blue Grosbeak§  
\_\_\_\_ Lazuli Bunting  
\_\_\_\_ Indigo 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.

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274 species

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