

KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Seward County, KS

WHISTLING-DUCKS

___ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck

GEESE, SWANS

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

DUCKS

___ Wood Duck§
___ Blue-winged Teal§
___ Cinnamon Teal§
___ Northern Shoveler*
___ Gadwall*
___ American Wigeon*
___ Mallard*
___ American Black Duck
___ Northern Pintail§
___ Green-winged Teal
___ Canvasback
___ Redhead
___ Ring-necked Duck
___ Greater Scaup
___ Lesser Scaup
___ Surf Scoter
___ White-winged Scoter
___ Black Scoter
___ Long-tailed Duck
___ 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
___ Horned Grebe
___ Eared Grebe§
___ Western Grebe
___ Clark's Grebe

PIGEONS, DOVES

___ Rock Pigeon*
___ Eurasian Collared-Dove
___ Inca Dove
___ Common Ground-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
___ Black-chinned Hummingbird
___ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
___ Rufous Hummingbird
___ Calliope Hummingbird

RAILS, GALLINULES

___ Virginia Rail§
___ Sora
___ American Coot

CRANES

___ Sandhill Crane

STILTS, AVOCETS

___ Black-necked Stilt*
___ American Avocet*

PLOVERS

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

SANDPIPERS

___ Upland Sandpiper*
___ Long-billed Curlew*
___ Marbled Godwit
___ Red Knot
___ Stilt Sandpiper
___ Curlew Sandpiper†
___ Sanderling
___ Dunlin
___ 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
___ Red-necked Phalarope
___ Red Phalarope

GULLS

___ Sabine's Gull
___ Bonaparte's Gull
___ Laughing Gull
___ Franklin's Gull
___ Ring-billed Gull
___ Herring Gull

TERNs

___ Least Tern
___ Gull-billed Tern†
___ Black Tern
___ Common Tern
___ Forster's Tern

LOONS

___ Common Loon

CORMORANTS

___ Double-crested Cormorant

PELICANS

___ American White Pelican

HERONS

___ American 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
___ Bald Eagle*
___ Mississippi Kite*
___ 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*
___ Snowy Owl
___ Burrowing Owl*
___ Long-eared Owl
___ Short-eared Owl**KINGFISHERS**

___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS___ Lewis's Woodpecker
___ 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*
___ Cassin's Kingbird
___ Western Kingbird*
___ Eastern Kingbird*
___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*
___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
___ Western Wood-Pewee
___ Eastern Wood-Pewee§
___ Willow Flycatcher
___ Least Flycatcher
___ Dusky Flycatcher
___ Eastern Phoebe
___ Say's Phoebe*
___ Vermilion Flycatcher**SHRIKES**___ Loggerhead Shrike*
___ Northern Shrike**VIREOS**___ Bell's Vireo
___ Blue-headed Vireo
___ Philadelphia Vireo
___ Warbling Vireo*
___ Red-eyed Vireo**JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS**___ 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*
___ Cave Swallow**CHICKADEES, TITMICE**___ Carolina Chickadee
___ Black-capped Chickadee*
___ Mountain Chickadee**BUSHTITS**

___ Bushtit

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
___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
___ Swainson's Thrush
___ Hermit Thrush
___ American Robin***THRASHERS**___ Gray Catbird
___ Curve-billed Thrasher
___ Brown Thrasher*
___ Northern Mockingbird***STARLINGS**

___ European Starling*

WAXWINGS

___ Cedar Waxwing

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

___ House Sparrow*

PIPITS___ American Pipit
___ Sprague's Pipit**FINCHES**___ Evening Grosbeak
___ House Finch*
___ Red Crossbill
___ Pine Siskin*
___ Lesser Goldfinch
___ American Goldfinch***LONGSPURS**___ Lapland Longspur
___ Chestnut-collared Longspur
___ Smith's 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
___ Sagebrush Sparrow†
___ Vesper Sparrow
___ LeConte's Sparrow
___ Baird's Sparrow
___ Savannah Sparrow
___ Song Sparrow
___ Lincoln's Sparrow
___ Swamp Sparrow
___ Rufous-crowned Sparrow
___ Spotted Towhee***CHATS**

___ Yellow-breasted Chat§

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES___ Yellow-headed Blackbird§
___ Eastern Meadowlark§
___ Western Meadowlark*
___ Orchard Oriole*
___ Bullock's Oriole*
___ Baltimore Oriole
___ Red-winged Blackbird*
___ Bronzed Cowbird†
___ Brown-headed Cowbird*
___ Rusty Blackbird
___ Brewer's Blackbird
___ Common Grackle*
___ Great-tailed Grackle*

WARBLERS

- Ovenbird
- Northern Waterthrush
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville Warbler
- MacGillivray's Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat*
- American Redstart
- Northern Parula
- Yellow Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Yellow-rumped 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§
- 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.

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