KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Elk County, KS

GEESE, SWANS	RAILS, GALLINULES	Snowy Egret
Snow Goose	Virginia Rail	Little Blue Heron
Ross's Goose	Sora	Cattle Egret
Greater White-fronted Goose	American Coot	Green Heron
Cackling Goose	CRANES	Black-crowned Night-Heron
Canada Goose*	Sandhill Crane	Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
Trumpeter Swan		IBISES
DUCKS	STILTS, AVOCETS	White-faced Ibis
Wood Duck	Black-necked Stilt	
Blue-winged Teal	American Avocet	VULTURES
Northern Shoveler	PLOVERS	Black Vulture
Gadwall	Black-bellied Plover	Turkey Vulture*
American Wigeon	American Golden-Plover	OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES,
Mallard	Killdeer*	EAGLES
American Black Duck	Semipalmated Plover	Osprey
Northern Pintail		Golden Eagle
Green-winged Teal	SANDPIPERS	Northern Harrier
Canvasback	Upland Sandpiper§	Sharp-shinned Hawk
Redhead	Long-billed Curlew Hudsonian Godwit	Cooper's Hawk
Ring-necked Duck		American Goshawk
Greater Scaup	Marbled Godwit Baird's Sandpiper	Bald Eagle
Lesser Scaup	Least Sandpiper	Mississippi Kite
Bufflehead	White-rumped Sandpiper	Red-shouldered Hawk
Common Goldeneye	Buff-breasted Sandpiper	Broad-winged Hawk
Hooded Merganser	Pectoral Sandpiper	Swainson's Hawk
Common Merganser	Semipalmated Sandpiper	Red-tailed Hawk*
Red-breasted Merganser	Long-billed Dowitcher	Rough-legged Hawk
Ruddy Duck	Wilson's Snipe	Ferruginous Hawk
QUAIL	American Woodcock	BARN OWLS
Northern Bobwhite*	Spotted Sandpiper	Barn Owl
	Solitary Sandpiper	
TURKEY, GROUSE, PHEASANT	Lesser Yellowlegs	OWLS
Wild Turkey§	Greater Yellowlegs	Eastern Screech-Owl
Greater Prairie-Chicken*	Wilson's Phalarope	Great Horned Owl*
Ring-necked Pheasant		Snowy Owl
GREBES	GULLS Paramentale Cull	Burrowing Owl Barred Owl
Pied-billed Grebe	Bonaparte's Gull	Short-eared Owl
Horned Grebe	Franklin's Gull	Snort-eared OWI
DICEONS DOVES	Ring-billed Gull	KINGFISHERS
PIGEONS, DOVES Rock Pigeon§	Herring Gull	Belted Kingfisher§
Eurasian Collared-Dove*	TERNS	WOODPECKERS
Mourning Dove*	Caspian Tern	Red-headed Woodpecker*
	Black Tern	Red-bellied Woodpecker*
CUCKOOS	Forster's Tern	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
Greater Roadrunner	LOONS	Downy Woodpecker§
Yellow-billed Cuckoo*	Common Loon	Hairy Woodpecker*
Black-billed Cuckoo	CODMODANTS	Northern Flicker
NIGHTJARS	CORMORANTS Double-crested Cormorant	Pileated Woodpecker
Common Nighthawk§		FALCONS
Chuck-will's-widow§	PELICANS	American Kestrel*
Eastern Whip-poor-will	American White Pelican	Merlin
SWIFTS	HERONS	Gyrfalcon†
Chimney Swift§	American Bittern§	Prairie Falcon
	Least Bittern	
HUMMINGBIRDS	Great Blue Heron*	FLYCATCHERS
Ruby-throated Hummingbird*	——————————————————————————————————————	Great Crested Flycatcher*
,	Great Egret	Western Kinghird*

Eastern Kingbird*	Sedge Wren	Eastern Meadowlark*
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*	Marsh Wren	Western Meadowlark
Eastern Wood-Pewee*	THRASHERS	Orchard Oriole*
Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	Gray Catbird	Baltimore Oriole*
Acadian Flycatcher§	Brown Thrasher*	Red-winged Blackbird*
Alder Flycatcher		Brown-headed Cowbird*
Willow Flycatcher	Northern Mockingbird*	Rusty Blackbird
Least Flycatcher	STARLINGS	Brewer's Blackbird
Eastern Phoebe*	European Starling*	Common Grackle*
Say's Phoebe	THRUSHES	Great-tailed Grackle*
•	Eastern Bluebird*	
VIREOS		WARBLERS
White-eyed Vireo	Mountain Bluebird	Ovenbird
Bell's Vireo*	Veery	Worm-eating Warbler
Yellow-throated Vireo§	Swainson's Thrush	Northern Waterthrush
Blue-headed Vireo	Hermit Thrush	Louisiana Waterthrush§
Philadelphia Vireo	Wood Thrush	Black-and-white Warbler§
Warbling Vireo	American Robin*	Prothonotary Warbler*
Red-eyed Vireo	OLD WORLD SPARROWS	Tennessee Warbler
SHRIKES	House Sparrow*	Orange-crowned Warbler
Loggerhead Shrike*		Nashville Warbler
	PIPITS	Mourning Warbler
JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS	American Pipit	Kentucky Warbler§
Blue Jay*	FINCHES	Common Yellowthroat§
American Crow*	Evening Grosbeak	Hooded Warbler
Fish Crow	Pine Grosbeak	American Redstart
CHICKADEES, TITMICE	House Finch§	Northern Parula§
Carolina Chickadee*	Purple Finch	Yellow Warbler
Black-capped Chickadee*	Pine Siskin	Chestnut-sided Warbler
Tufted Titmouse*	American Goldfinch§	Blackpoll Warbler
Tutted Tuttlouse		Palm Warbler
LARKS	LONGSPURS	Yellow-rumped Warbler
Horned Lark*	Lapland Longspur	Yellow-throated Warbler
SWALLOWS	Smith's Longspur	Black-throated Green Warbler
Bank Swallow	SPARROWS	Wilson's Warbler
Tree Swallow	Grasshopper Sparrow*	
N. Rough-winged Swallow	Lark Sparrow*	GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS
Purple Martin*	Lark Bunting	Summer Tanager§
Barn Swallow*	Chipping Sparrow	Scarlet Tanager
Cliff Swallow	Clay-colored Sparrow	Northern Cardinal*
Cilli Swallow	Field Sparrow*	Rose-breasted Grosbeak
KINGLETS	Fox Sparrow	Blue Grosbeak*
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	American Tree Sparrow	Indigo Bunting*
Golden-crowned Kinglet	Dark-eyed Junco	Painted Bunting*
WAXWINGS	White-crowned Sparrow	Dickcissel*
Bohemian Waxwing	Harris's Sparrow	
Cedar Waxwing	White-throated Sparrow	† Fewer than ten Kansas records
Cedai waxwiiig	Vesper Sparrow	[] Hypothetical species
NUTHATCHES	Henslow's Sparrow§	§ Probable breeding species
Red-breasted Nuthatch	Savannah Sparrow	* Confirmed breeding species
White-breasted Nuthatch§		Probable and confirmed breeding
CREEPERS	Song Sparrow	species as defined by the Kansas
Brown Creeper	Lincoln's Sparrow	Breeding Bird Atlas Project.
•	Swamp Sparrow	
GNATCATCHERS	Spotted Towhee	This list was compiled from records
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher§	Eastern Towhee	of the Kansas Ornithological Society
WRENS	CHATS	Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project,
Bewick's Wren*	Yellow-breasted Chat	and the Kansas Biological Survey.
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Carolina Wren*	BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES	November 10, 2023
House Wren*	Yellow-headed Blackbird	140 veimoet 10, 2023
Winter Wren	Bobolink	

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