

bird species

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<b>BIRDS OF PREY</b>																			
Aves	Falconiformes	Accipitridae	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Golden Eagle															
Aves	Falconiformes	Accipitridae	<i>Buteo jamaicensis</i>	Red-Tailed Hawk	x		x			x	x			x	x				
Aves	Falconiformes	Accipitridae	<i>Buteo swainsoni</i>	Swainson's Hawk												x	x		
Aves	Falconiformes	Accipitridae	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	Northern Harrier	x								x						
Aves	Falconiformes	Accipitridae	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Bald Eagle															
Aves	Falconiformes	Falconidae	<i>Falco columbarius</i>	Merlin															
Aves	Falconiformes	Falconidae	<i>Falco mexicanus</i>	Prairie Falcon															
Aves	Falconiformes	Falconidae	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Peregrine Falcon															
Aves	Falconiformes	Falconidae	<i>Falco sparverius</i>	American Kestrel															
Aves	Falconiformes	Falconidae	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Osprey															
Aves	Strigiformes	Strigidae	<i>Bubo virginianus</i>	Great Horned Owl						x								x	
Aves	Strigiformes	Strigidae	<i>Strix nebulosa</i>	Great Gray Owl															
Aves	Strigiformes	Strigidae	<i>Strix varia</i>	Barred Owl															
<b>DUCKLIKE BIRDS</b>																			
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas acuta</i>	Northern Pintail						x									
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas americana</i>	American Wigeon		x					x	x	x						
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas clypeata</i>	Northern Shoveler	x	x				x	x	x	x			x	x		
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas crecca</i>	Green-winged Teal		x				x									
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas cyanoptera</i>	Cinnamon Teal	x	x				x		x							x
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas discors</i>	Blue-winged Teal	x	x			x	x	x	x			x				x
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	Mallard	x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Anas strepera</i>	Gadwall		x			x				x	x	x				
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Aythya affinis</i>	Lesser Scaup	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	x				
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Aythya americana</i>	Redhead	x	x				x		x			x				
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Aythya valisineria</i>	Canvasback	x	x				x									
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Branta canadensis</i>	Canada goose	x	x								x					x
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Bucephala albeola</i>	Bufflehead						x		x	x						
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Bucephala clangula</i>	Common Goldeneye										x	x				
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Bucephala islandica</i>	Barrow's Goldeneye															
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Mergus merganser</i>	Common Merganser															
Aves	Anseriformes	Anatidae	<i>Oxyura jamaicensis</i>	Ruddy Duck	x					x	x	x			x				x
Aves	Gaviformes	Gaviidae	<i>Gavia immer</i>	Common Loon															
Aves	Podicipediformes	Podicipedidae	<i>Podiceps griseogena</i>	Red-necked Grebe						x	x	x	x						
Aves	Podicipediformes	Podicipedidae	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>	Eared Grebe	x					x		x			x				
Aves	Podicipediformes	Podicipedidae	<i>Podilymbus podiceps</i>	Pied-billed Grebe	x														
Aves	Gruiformes	Rallidae	<i>Porzana carolina</i>	Sora															x
Aves	Gruiformes	Rallidae	<i>Fulica americana</i>	American Coot	x					x	x	x	x	x	x				x
<b>SHOREBIRDS &amp; SEABIRDS</b>																			
Aves	Ciconiiformes	Ardeidae	<i>Ardea herodias</i>	Great Blue Heron										x					x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Charadriidae	<i>Charadrius vociferus</i>	Killdeer	x	x									x				x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Laridae	<i>Chlidonis niger</i>	Black Tern	x									x	x				x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Laridae	<i>Larus californicus</i>	California Gull															
Aves	Charadriiformes	Laridae	<i>Larus delawarensis</i>	Ring-billed Gull									x						
Aves	Charadriiformes	Laridae	<i>Larus pipixcan</i>	Franklin's Gull	x								x						x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Laridae	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Common Tern	x														
Aves	Charadriiformes	Recurvirostridae	<i>Recurvirostra americana</i>	American Avocet															x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Scolopacidae	<i>Actitis macularia</i>	Spotted Sandpiper															x
Aves	Charadriiformes	Scolopacidae	<i>Bartramia longicauda</i>	Upland Sandpiper															
Aves	Charadriiformes	Scolopacidae	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Common Snipe															
Aves	Charadriiformes	Scolopacidae	<i>Catoptrophorus semipalmatus</i>	Willet															x

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Aves	Charadriiformes	Scolopacidae	<i>Phalaropus tricolor</i>	Wilson's Phalarope		x										
<b>NONPASSERINE LAND BIRDS</b>																
Aves	Coraciiformes	Alcedinidae	<i>Ceryle alcyon</i>	Belted Kingfisher												
Aves	Caprimulgiformes	Caprimulgidae	<i>Chordeiles minor</i>	Common Nighthawk												
Aves	Columbiformes	Columbidae	<i>Columba livia</i>	Rock Dove		x										
Aves	Columbiformes	Columbidae	<i>Zenaidura macroura</i>	Mourning Dove												x
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Colaptes auratus</i>	Northern Flicker						x						
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Dryocopus pileatus</i>	Pileated Woodpecker												
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Picoides arcticus</i>	Black-backed Woodpecker												
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Picoides pubescens</i>	Downy Woodpecker			x	x		x	x	x	x			
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Picoides tridactylus</i>	Three-toed Woodpecker												
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Picoides villosus</i>	Hairy Woodpecker												
Aves	Piciformes	Picidae	<i>Sphyrapicus varius</i>	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker											x	x
<b>PASSERINE BIRDS</b>																
Aves	Passeriformes	Alaudidae	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>	Horned Lark												
Aves	Passeriformes	Bombycillidae	<i>Bombycilla cedrorum</i>	Cedar Waxwing				x	x	x	x	x				x
Aves	Passeriformes	Corvidae	<i>Corvus brachyrhynchos</i>	American Crow	x	x	x	x			x	x	x		x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Corvidae	<i>Corvus corax</i>	Common Raven	x	x	x	x			x	x	x			
Aves	Passeriformes	Corvidae	<i>Cyanocitta cristata</i>	Blue Jay							x	x				
Aves	Passeriformes	Corvidae	<i>Perisoreus canadensis</i>	Gray Jay												
Aves	Passeriformes	Corvidae	<i>Pica pica</i>	Magpie		x	x				x			x		x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Agelaius phoeniceus</i>	Red-winged Blackbird	x	x		x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Ammodramus nelsoni</i>	Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow			x									
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Chondestes grammacus</i>	Lark Sparrow												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Dendroica petechia</i>	Yellow Warbler	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Dendroica virens</i>	Black-throated Green Warbler												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Euphagus carolinus</i>	Rusty Blackbird												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Euphagus cyanocephalus</i>	Brewer's Blackbird	x	x										x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Geothlypis trichas</i>	Common Yellowthroat	x	x										
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Icterus galbula</i>	Baltimore Oriole												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Junco hyemalis</i>	Dark-eyed Junco										x		
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Melospiza melodia</i>	Song Sparrow		x	x	x			x	x	x		x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Mniotilta varia</i>	Black-and-white Warbler												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Molothrus ater</i>	Brown-headed Cowbird							x					
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Oporornis philadelphia</i>	Mourning Warbler				x	x	x						
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Passerculus sandwichensis</i>	Savannah Sparrow	x											
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Pooecetes gramineus</i>	Vesper Sparrow										x		
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Quiscalus quiscula</i>	Common Grackle			x			x						
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Seiurus aurocapillus</i>	Ovenbird												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Setophaga ruticilla</i>	American Redstart												
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Spizella pallida</i>	Clay-colored Sparrow	x		x			x	x		x	x	x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Spizella passerina</i>	Chipping Sparrow									x			
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Xanthocephalus xanthocephalus</i>	Yellow-headed Blackbird	x					x				x	x	
Aves	Passeriformes	Emberizidae	<i>Zonotrichia albicollis</i>	White-throated Sparrow	x				x		x	x			x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Empidonax	<i>Empidonax alorum</i>	Alder Flycatcher												
Aves	Passeriformes	Empidonax	<i>Empidonax minimus</i>	Least Flycatcher	x		x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	
Aves	Passeriformes	Fringillidae	<i>Carduelis tristis</i>	American Goldfinch												
Aves	Passeriformes	Fringillidae	<i>Carpodacus purpureus</i>	Purple Finch							x					
Aves	Passeriformes	Fringillidae	<i>Spinus pinus</i>	Pine Siskin												
Aves	Passeriformes	Hirundinidae	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	Barn Swallow												
Aves	Passeriformes	Hirundinidae	<i>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</i>	Cliff Swallow												

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Aves	Passeriformes	Hirundinidae	<i>Progne subis</i>	Purple Martin	x											
Aves	Passeriformes	Hirundinidae	<i>Tachycineta bicolor</i>	Tree Swallow	x		x			x					x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Mimidae	<i>Dumetella carolinensis</i>	Gray Catbird					x	x			x			
Aves	Passeriformes	Mimidae	<i>Toxostoma rufum</i>	Brown Thrasher												
Aves	Passeriformes	Muscicapidae	<i>Catharus fuscescens</i>	Veery												
Aves	Passeriformes	Muscicapidae	<i>Catharus ustulatus</i>	Swainson's Thrush												
Aves	Passeriformes	Muscicapidae	<i>Sialia currucoides</i>	Mountain Bluebird												
Aves	Passeriformes	Muscicapidae	<i>Turdus migratorius</i>	American Robin	x	x	x					x	x			
Aves	Passeriformes	Paridae	<i>Parus atricapillus</i>	Black-capped Chickadee	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Aves	Passeriformes	Paridae	<i>Poecile hudsonicus</i>	Boreal Chickadee												
Aves	Passeriformes	Passeridae	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	House Sparrow	x							x				
Aves	Passeriformes	Phasianidae	<i>Bonasa umbellus</i>	Ruffed Grouse												
Aves	Passeriformes	Phasianidae	<i>Tympanuchus phasianellus</i>	Sharp-tailed Grouse												
Aves	Passeriformes	Sittidae	<i>Sitta canadensis</i>	Red-breasted Nuthatch												
Aves	Passeriformes	Sturnidae	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	European Starling												
Aves	Passeriformes	Troglodytidae	<i>Cistothorus palustris</i>	Marsh Wren										x		
Aves	Passeriformes	Troglodytidae	<i>Troglodytes aedon</i>	House Wren			x		x	x	x		x	x		x
Aves	Passeriformes	Tyrannidae	<i>Contopus sordidulus</i>	Western Wood-pewee		x										
Aves	Passeriformes	Tyrannidae	<i>Sayornis phoebe</i>	Eastern Phoebe					x							
Aves	Passeriformes	Tyrannidae	<i>Sayornis saya</i>	Say's Phoebe												
Aves	Passeriformes	Tyrannidae	<i>Tyrannus tyrannus</i>	Eastern Kingbird												
Aves	Passeriformes	Vireonidae	<i>Vireo gilvus</i>	Warbling Vireo												
Aves	Passeriformes	Vireonidae	<i>Vireo olivaceus</i>	Red-eyed Vireo						x	x				x	x
<b>TOTAL BIRD SPECIES</b>					<b>35</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>29</b>