

LOUISIANA BIRDS: Species List for Franklin Parish

DUCKS, GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Black-bellied Whistling Duck
- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ CANADA GOOSE
- ___ Wood Duck
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ Mallard
- ___ Blue-winged Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ Ruddy Duck

GROUSE, TURKEYS, QUAIL

- ___ Northern Bobwhite

LOONS, GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe

STORKS

- ___ Wood Stork

CORMORANTS, ANHINGA

- ___ Double-crested Cormorant
- ___ Anhinga

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

BITTERNS, HERONS

- ___ Great Blue Heron
- ___ Great Egret
- ___ Snowy Egret
- ___ Little Blue Heron
- ___ Cattle Egret
- ___ Green Heron

IBISES, SPOONBILLS

- ___ White Ibis
- ___ Glossy Ibis
- ___ White-faced Ibis
- ___ Plegadis sp.
- ___ Roseate Spoonbill

VULTURES

- ___ Black Vulture
- ___ Turkey Vulture

HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ Mississippi Kite
- ___ Bald Eagle
- ___ Northern Harrier
- ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ___ Cooper's Hawk
- ___ Red-shouldered Hawk
- ___ Red-tailed Hawk

CARACARAS, FALCONS

- ___ American Kestrel
- ___ Merlin
- ___ Peregrine Falcon

RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS

- ___ American Coot

PLOVERS

- ___ Black-bellied Plover
- ___ American Golden-Plover
- ___ Semipalmated Plover
- ___ Killdeer

OYSTERCATCHERS, STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ Black-necked Stilt
- ___ American Avocet

SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES

- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ___ Sanderling
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Western Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Dunlin
- ___ Stilt Sandpiper
- ___ Short-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ dowitcher sp.
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope

GULLS, TERNS, SKIMMERS

- ___ Bonaparte's Gull
- ___ Least Tern
- ___ Black Tern
- ___ Forster's Tern

PIGEONS, DOVES, PARAKEETS

- ___ Rock Pigeon (I)
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove (I)
- ___ Mourning Dove
- ___ Inca Dove

CUCKOOS, ROADRUNNERS, ANIS

- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

OWLS

- ___ Barred Owl

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

- ___ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker

WOODPECKERS(cont'd)

- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker
- ___ Northern Flicker
- ___ Pileated Woodpecker

FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- ___ Empidonax sp.
- ___ Eastern Phoebe
- ___ Great Crested Flycatcher
- ___ Eastern Kingbird
- ___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher

SHRIKES

- ___ Loggerhead Shrike

VIREOS

- ___ White-eyed Vireo
- ___ Yellow-throated Vireo
- ___ Blue-headed Vireo
- ___ Red-eyed Vireo

JAYS, CROWS

- ___ Blue Jay
- ___ American Crow
- ___ Fish Crow

LARKS

- ___ Horned Lark

SWALLOWS

- ___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- ___ Purple Martin
- ___ Tree Swallow
- ___ Bank Swallow
- ___ Barn Swallow
- ___ Cliff Swallow

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

- ___ Carolina Chickadee
- ___ Tufted Titmouse

NUTHATCHES, CREEPERS

- ___ Brown-headed Nuthatch
- ___ Brown Creeper

WRENS

- ___ Carolina Wren
- ___ House Wren
- ___ Winter Wren

GNATCATCHERS, KINGLETS

- ___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
- ___ Golden-crowned Kinglet
- ___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

THRUSHES

- ___ Eastern Bluebird
- ___ Hermit Thrush
- ___ Wood Thrush
- ___ American Robin

MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS

- ___ Gray Catbird
- ___ Northern Mockingbird
- ___ Brown Thrasher

STARLINGS, WAGTAILS, PIPITS, WAXWINGS

- ___ European Starling (I)
- ___ American Pipit
- ___ Cedar Waxwing

WARBLERS

- ___ Black-and-white Warbler
- ___ Prothonotary Warbler
- ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ___ Kentucky Warbler
- ___ Common Yellowthroat
- ___ Hooded Warbler
- ___ American Redstart
- ___ Northern Parula
- ___ Yellow Warbler
- ___ Pine Warbler
- ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ___ Yellow-throated Warbler
- ___ Yellow-breasted Chat

SPARROWS

- ___ Eastern Towhee
- ___ Chipping Sparrow
- ___ Field Sparrow
- ___ Vesper Sparrow
- ___ Lark Sparrow
- ___ Savannah Sparrow
- ___ Fox Sparrow
- ___ Song Sparrow
- ___ Swamp Sparrow
- ___ White-throated Sparrow
- ___ White-crowned Sparrow
- ___ Dark-eyed Junco

TANAGERS, GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

- ___ Summer Tanager
- ___ Northern Cardinal
- ___ Blue Grosbeak
- ___ Indigo Bunting
- ___ Painted Bunting
- ___ Dickcissel

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

- ___ Red-winged Blackbird
- ___ Eastern Meadowlark
- ___ Rusty Blackbird
- ___ Brewer's Blackbird
- ___ Common Grackle
- ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
- ___ Orchard Oriole

FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW

- ___ House Finch (I)
- ___ American Goldfinch
- ___ House Sparrow (I)

163 species

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