

# Louisiana Birds: Species List for West Baton Rouge Parish

## DUCKS, GEESE, SWANS

- \_\_\_ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- \_\_\_ CANADA GOOSE
- \_\_\_ Wood Duck
- \_\_\_ Mallard
- \_\_\_ Mottled Duck
- \_\_\_ Blue-winged Teal
- \_\_\_ Northern Shoveler
- \_\_\_ Northern Pintail
- \_\_\_ Green-winged Teal
- \_\_\_ Redhead
- \_\_\_ Ring-necked Duck
- \_\_\_ Lesser Scaup
- \_\_\_ Common Goldeneye
- \_\_\_ Hooded Merganser

## GROUSE, TURKEYS, QUAIL

- \_\_\_ Northern Bobwhite
- \_\_\_ Wild Turkey

## LOONS, GREBES

- \_\_\_ Common Loon
- \_\_\_ Pied-billed Grebe

## STORKS

- \_\_\_ Wood Stork

## FRIGATEBIRDS, BOOBIES, GANNET

- \_\_\_ Magnificent Frigatebird

## CORMORANTS, ANHINGA

- \_\_\_ Neotropic Cormorant
- \_\_\_ Double-crested Cormorant
- \_\_\_ Anhinga

## PELICANS

- \_\_\_ American White Pelican

## BITTERNS, HERONS

- \_\_\_ Great Blue Heron
- \_\_\_ Great Egret
- \_\_\_ Snowy Egret
- \_\_\_ Little Blue Heron
- \_\_\_ Tricolored Heron
- \_\_\_ Cattle Egret
- \_\_\_ Green Heron
- \_\_\_ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- \_\_\_ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

## IBISES, SPOONBILLS, STORKS

- \_\_\_ White Ibis
- \_\_\_ White-faced Ibis
- \_\_\_ Roseate Spoonbill

## VULTURES

- \_\_\_ Black Vulture
- \_\_\_ Turkey Vulture

## HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- \_\_\_ Osprey
- \_\_\_ Swallow-tailed Kite
- \_\_\_ Mississippi Kite

## HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES(cont'd)

- \_\_\_ Bald Eagle
- \_\_\_ Northern Harrier
- \_\_\_ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- \_\_\_ Cooper's Hawk
- \_\_\_ Red-shouldered Hawk
- \_\_\_ Broad-winged Hawk
- \_\_\_ Red-tailed Hawk

## CARACARAS, FALCONS

- \_\_\_ American Kestrel
- \_\_\_ Merlin
- \_\_\_ Peregrine Falcon

## RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS

- \_\_\_ Purple Gallinule
- \_\_\_ Common Gallinule
- \_\_\_ American Coot

## PLOVERS

- \_\_\_ Killdeer

## OYSTERCATCHERS, STILTS, AVOCETS

- \_\_\_ Black-necked Stilt

## SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES

- \_\_\_ Spotted Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Greater Yellowlegs
- \_\_\_ Lesser Yellowlegs
- \_\_\_ Upland Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Western Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Least Sandpiper
- \_\_\_ Wilson's Snipe
- \_\_\_ American Woodcock

## GULLS, TERNS, SKIMMERS

- \_\_\_ Laughing Gull
- \_\_\_ Ring-billed Gull
- \_\_\_ Caspian Tern
- \_\_\_ Forster's Tern

## PIGEONS, DOVES, PARAKEETS

- \_\_\_ Rock Pigeon (I)
- \_\_\_ Eurasian Collared-Dove (I)
- \_\_\_ White-winged Dove
- \_\_\_ Mourning Dove
- \_\_\_ Inca Dove

## CUCKOOS, ROADRUNNERS, ANIS

- \_\_\_ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

## OWLS

- \_\_\_ FLAMMULATED OWL
- \_\_\_ Eastern Screech-Owl
- \_\_\_ Great Horned Owl
- \_\_\_ Barred Owl

## SWIFTS

- \_\_\_ Chimney Swift

## HUMMINGBIRDS

- \_\_\_ Ruby-throated Hummingbird

## HUMMINGBIRDS(cont'd)

- \_\_\_ Rufous Hummingbird
- \_\_\_ Selasphorus sp.
- \_\_\_ Buff-bellied Hummingbird

## KINGFISHERS

- \_\_\_ Belted Kingfisher

## WOODPECKERS

- \_\_\_ Red-headed Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- \_\_\_ Downy Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Hairy Woodpecker
- \_\_\_ Northern Flicker
- \_\_\_ Pileated Woodpecker

## FLYCATCHERS

- \_\_\_ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- \_\_\_ Acadian Flycatcher
- \_\_\_ Empidonax sp.
- \_\_\_ Eastern Phoebe
- \_\_\_ Great Crested Flycatcher
- \_\_\_ Eastern Kingbird

## SHRIKES

- \_\_\_ Loggerhead Shrike

## VIREOS

- \_\_\_ White-eyed Vireo
- \_\_\_ Yellow-throated Vireo
- \_\_\_ Blue-headed Vireo
- \_\_\_ Philadelphia 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

## WRENS

- \_\_\_ Carolina Wren
- \_\_\_ House Wren
- \_\_\_ Winter Wren
- \_\_\_ Marsh Wren

## GNATCATCHERS, KINGLETS

- \_\_\_ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

**GNATCATCHERS, KINGLETS(cont'd)**

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

**THRUSHES**

- \_\_\_ Eastern Bluebird
- \_\_\_ MOUNTAIN BLUEBIRD
- \_\_\_ Hermit Thrush
- \_\_\_ Wood Thrush
- \_\_\_ American Robin

**MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS**

- \_\_\_ Gray Catbird
- \_\_\_ Northern Mockingbird
- \_\_\_ Brown Thrasher

**STARLINGS, WAGTAILS, PIPITS, WAXWINGS**

- \_\_\_ European Starling (I)
- \_\_\_ American Pipit
- \_\_\_ Sprague's Pipit
- \_\_\_ Cedar Waxwing

**WARBLERS**

- \_\_\_ Northern Waterthrush
- \_\_\_ Black-and-white Warbler
- \_\_\_ Prothonotary Warbler
- \_\_\_ Tennessee Warbler
- \_\_\_ Orange-crowned Warbler
- \_\_\_ Nashville Warbler
- \_\_\_ Common Yellowthroat
- \_\_\_ American Redstart
- \_\_\_ Northern Parula
- \_\_\_ Magnolia Warbler
- \_\_\_ Yellow Warbler
- \_\_\_ Palm Warbler
- \_\_\_ Pine Warbler
- \_\_\_ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- \_\_\_ Yellow-throated Warbler
- \_\_\_ Black-throated Green Warbler
- \_\_\_ Wilson's Warbler
- \_\_\_ Yellow-breasted Chat

**SPARROWS**

- \_\_\_ Eastern Towhee
- \_\_\_ Chipping Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Field Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Vesper Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Savannah Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Le Conte's Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Fox Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Song Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Swamp Sparrow
- \_\_\_ White-throated Sparrow
- \_\_\_ White-crowned Sparrow
- \_\_\_ Dark-eyed Junco

**TANAGERS, GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS**

- \_\_\_ Summer Tanager
- \_\_\_ Northern Cardinal
- \_\_\_ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- \_\_\_ Blue Grosbeak

**TANAGERS, GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS(cont'd)**

- \_\_\_ Indigo Bunting
- \_\_\_ Painted Bunting
- \_\_\_ Dickcissel

**BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES**

- \_\_\_ Red-winged Blackbird
- \_\_\_ Eastern Meadowlark
- \_\_\_ Rusty Blackbird
- \_\_\_ Brewer's Blackbird
- \_\_\_ Common Grackle
- \_\_\_ Boat-tailed Grackle
- \_\_\_ Great-tailed Grackle
- \_\_\_ Brown-headed Cowbird
- \_\_\_ Orchard Oriole
- \_\_\_ Baltimore Oriole

**FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW**

- \_\_\_ Purple Finch
- \_\_\_ House Finch (I)
- \_\_\_ American Goldfinch
- \_\_\_ House Sparrow (I)

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