

Louisiana Birds: Species List for Avoyelles Parish

DUCKS, GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- ___ Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ Cackling Goose
- ___ CANADA GOOSE
- ___ Muscovy Duck (Domestic)
- ___ Wood Duck
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ Mallard
- ___ Blue-winged Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Northern Pintail
- ___ Green-winged Teal
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ WHITE-WINGED SCOTER
- ___ Hooded Merganser

GROUSE, TURKEYS, QUAIL

- ___ Northern Bobwhite
- ___ Wild Turkey

LOONS, GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe

STORKS

- ___ Wood Stork

FRIGATEBIRDS, BOOBIES, GANNET

- ___ Magnificent Frigatebird

CORMORANTS, ANHINGA

- ___ Neotropic Cormorant
- ___ Double-crested Cormorant
- ___ Anhinga

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

BITTERN, HERONS

- ___ American Bittern
- ___ 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

- ___ White Ibis
- ___ Glossy Ibis

IBISES, SPOONBILLS(cont'd)

- ___ White-faced Ibis
- ___ Glossy/White-faced Ibis
- ___ Roseate Spoonbill

VULTURES

- ___ Black Vulture
- ___ Turkey Vulture

HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

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

RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS

- ___ King Rail
- ___ Sora
- ___ Purple Gallinule
- ___ Common Gallinule
- ___ American Coot

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane
- ___ WHOOPING CRANE

OYSTERCATCHERS, STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ Black-necked Stilt
- ___ American Avocet

PLOVERS

- ___ Killdeer

SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES

- ___ Upland Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Western Sandpiper
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Short-billed/Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ American Woodcock
- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs

GULLS, TERNS, SKIMMERS

- ___ Ring-billed Gull
- ___ Herring Gull
- ___ Least Tern

PIGEONS, DOVES, PARAKEETS

- ___ Rock Pigeon (I)
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove (I)
- ___ Inca Dove
- ___ Common Ground-Dove
- ___ White-winged Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS, ROADRUNNERS, ANIS

- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

OWLS

- ___ Barn Owl
- ___ Eastern Screech-Owl
- ___ Great Horned Owl
- ___ Barred Owl

GOATSUCKERS

- ___ Common Nighthawk

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

- ___ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker
- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker
- ___ Red-cockaded Woodpecker
- ___ Northern Flicker
- ___ Pileated Woodpecker

CARACARAS, FALCONS

- ___ American Kestrel
- ___ Merlin
- ___ Peregrine Falcon

FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- ___ Acadian Flycatcher
- ___ Least Flycatcher
- ___ 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

VIREOS(cont'd)

- ___ 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

NUTHATCHES, CREEPERS

- ___ Red-breasted Nuthatch
- ___ White-breasted Nuthatch
- ___ Brown-headed Nuthatch
- ___ Brown Creeper

WRENS

- ___ House Wren
- ___ Winter Wren
- ___ Sedge Wren
- ___ Marsh Wren
- ___ Carolina Wren

GNATCATCHERS, KINGLETS

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

THRUSHES

- ___ Eastern Bluebird
- ___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
- ___ Swainson's Thrush
- ___ Hermit Thrush
- ___ Wood Thrush
- ___ American Robin

MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS

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

STARLINGS, WAGTAILS, PIPITS,**WAXWINGS**

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

WARBLERS

- ___ Worm-eating Warbler
- ___ Northern Waterthrush

WARBLERS(cont'd)

- ___ Black-and-white Warbler
- ___ Prothonotary Warbler
- ___ Swainson's Warbler
- ___ Tennessee Warbler
- ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ___ Nashville Warbler
- ___ Kentucky Warbler
- ___ Common Yellowthroat
- ___ Hooded Warbler
- ___ American Redstart
- ___ Northern Parula
- ___ Magnolia Warbler
- ___ Yellow Warbler
- ___ Palm Warbler
- ___ Pine Warbler
- ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ___ Yellow-throated Warbler
- ___ Prairie Warbler
- ___ Black-throated Green Warbler
- ___ Wilson's Warbler
- ___ Yellow-breasted Chat

SPARROWS

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

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
- ___ Great-tailed Grackle
- ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
- ___ Orchard Oriole
- ___ Baltimore Oriole

FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW

- ___ House Finch (I)
- ___ Purple Finch

FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW(cont'd)

- ___ Pine Siskin
- ___ American Goldfinch
- ___ House Sparrow (I)

214 species

Rare birds noted in CAPS should be reported to the Louisiana Bird Records Committee (LBRC). More information on reporting rare birds can be found on the Louisiana Ornithological Society's Web site at: <http://losbird.org/>

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