

LOUISIANA BIRDS: Species List for Plaquemines Parish

DUCKS, GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- ___ Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ CANADA GOOSE
- ___ TRUMPETER SWAN
- ___ Muscovy Duck (Domestic)
- ___ Wood Duck
- ___ Blue-winged Teal
- ___ Cinnamon Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ Mallard
- ___ AMERICAN BLACK DUCK
- ___ Mottled Duck
- ___ Northern Pintail
- ___ Green-winged Teal
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Redhead
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Greater Scaup
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ KING EIDER
- ___ Surf Scoter
- ___ Black Scoter
- ___ Bufflehead
- ___ Common Goldeneye
- ___ Hooded Merganser
- ___ COMMON MERGANSER
- ___ Red-breasted Merganser
- ___ Ruddy Duck

LOONS, GREBES

- ___ Common Loon
- ___ Pied-billed Grebe
- ___ Horned Grebe
- ___ Eared Grebe

ALBATROSSES, SHEARWATERS, PETRELS, TROPICBIRDS

- ___ CORY'S SHEARWATER
- ___ GREAT SHEARWATER
- ___ SOOTY SHEARWATER
- ___ MANX SHEARWATER
- ___ AUDUBON'S SHEARWATER
- ___ shearwater sp.
- ___ Wilson's Storm-Petrel
- ___ LEACH'S STORM-PETREL
- ___ Band-rumped Storm-Petrel
- ___ storm petrel sp.
- ___ RED-BILLED TROPICBIRD

FRIGATEBIRDS, BOOBIES, GANNET

- ___ Magnificent Frigatebird
- ___ Masked Booby

FRIGATEBIRDS, BOOBIES, GANNET(cont'd)

- ___ BROWN BOOBY
- ___ RED-FOOTED BOOBY
- ___ Northern Gannet

CORMORANTS, ANHINGA

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

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican
- ___ Brown Pelican

BITTERNS, HERONS

- ___ American Bittern
- ___ Least Bittern
- ___ Great Blue Heron
- ___ Great Egret
- ___ Snowy Egret
- ___ Little Blue Heron
- ___ Tricolored Heron
- ___ Reddish Egret
- ___ Cattle Egret
- ___ Green Heron
- ___ Black-crowned Night-Heron
- ___ Yellow-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES, SPOONBILLS

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

VULTURES

- ___ Black Vulture
- ___ Turkey Vulture

HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ White-tailed Kite
- ___ 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

- ___ Yellow Rail
- ___ King Rail
- ___ Clapper Rail
- ___ Virginia Rail
- ___ Sora
- ___ Purple Gallinule

RAILS, GALLINULES, COOTS(cont'd)

- ___ Common Gallinule
- ___ American Coot

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane

OYSTERCATCHERS, STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ Black-necked Stilt
- ___ American Avocet
- ___ American Oystercatcher

PLOVERS

- ___ Black-bellied Plover
- ___ American Golden Plover
- ___ Snowy Plover
- ___ Wilson's Plover
- ___ Semipalmated Plover
- ___ Piping Plover
- ___ Killdeer

SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES

- ___ Upland Sandpiper
- ___ Whimbrel
- ___ Long-billed Curlew
- ___ Marbled Godwit
- ___ Ruddy Turnstone
- ___ Red Knot
- ___ Stilt Sandpiper
- ___ Sanderling
- ___ Dunlin
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ White-rumped Sandpiper
- ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Western Sandpiper
- ___ Short-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ Short-billed/Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ American Woodcock
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope
- ___ RED-NECKED PHALAROPE
- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Willet
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs

JAEGERS, MURRELETS

- ___ Pomarine Jaeger
- ___ Parasitic Jaeger
- ___ LONG-TAILED JAEGER

GULLS, TERNS, SKIMMERS

- ___ BLACK-LEGGED KITTIWAKE
- ___ SABINE'S GULL

GULLS, TERNS, SKIMMERS(cont'd)

- ___ Bonaparte's Gull
- ___ Laughing Gull
- ___ Franklin's Gull
- ___ Ring-billed Gull
- ___ Herring Gull
- ___ ICELAND GULL
- ___ Lesser Black-backed Gull
- ___ GLAUCOUS GULL
- ___ GREAT BLACK-BACKED GULL
- ___ KELP GULL
- ___ BROWN NODDY
- ___ Sooty Tern
- ___ Bridled Tern
- ___ Least Tern
- ___ Gull-billed Tern
- ___ Caspian Tern
- ___ Black Tern
- ___ Common Tern
- ___ ARCTIC TERN
- ___ Forster's Tern
- ___ Royal Tern
- ___ Sandwich Tern
- ___ Black Skimmer

PIGEONS, DOVES

- ___ Rock Pigeon (I)
- ___ WHITE-CROWNED PIGEON
- ___ BAND-TAILED PIGEON
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove (I)
- ___ Inca Dove
- ___ Common Ground-Dove
- ___ White-winged Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS, ROADRUNNERS, ANIS

- ___ Groove-billed Ani
- ___ SMOOTH-BILLED ANI
- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- ___ Black-billed Cuckoo

OWLS

- ___ Barn Owl
- ___ Eastern Screech-Owl
- ___ Great Horned Owl
- ___ BURROWING OWL
- ___ Barred Owl
- ___ LONG-EARED OWL
- ___ Short-eared Owl

GOATSUCKERS

- ___ LESSER NIGHTHAWK
- ___ Common Nighthawk
- ___ Chuck-will's-widow
- ___ Eastern Whip-poor-will

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift
- ___ VAUX'S SWIFT

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- ___ Black-chinned Hummingbird
- ___ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
- ___ Rufous Hummingbird
- ___ Rufous/Allen's Hummingbird
- ___ Buff-bellied Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

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

CARACARAS, FALCONS

- ___ American Kestrel
- ___ Merlin
- ___ Peregrine Falcon

PARAKEETS

- ___ MONK PARAKEET (I)

FLYCATCHERS

- ___ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ___ Eastern Wood-Pewee
- ___ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- ___ Acadian Flycatcher
- ___ Alder Flycatcher
- ___ Traill's Flycatcher
- ___ Least Flycatcher
- ___ CORDILLERAN FLYCATCHER
- ___ Empidonax sp.
- ___ Eastern Phoebe
- ___ Say's Phoebe
- ___ Vermilion Flycatcher
- ___ Ash-throated Flycatcher
- ___ Great Crested Flycatcher
- ___ BROWN-CRESTED FLYCATCHER
- ___ Myiarchus sp.
- ___ GREAT KISKADEE
- ___ SULPHUR-BELLIED FLYCATCHER
- ___ TROPICAL KINGBIRD
- ___ Western Kingbird
- ___ Eastern Kingbird
- ___ GRAY KINGBIRD
- ___ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
- ___ FORK-TAILED FLYCATCHER

SHRIKES

- ___ Loggerhead Shrike

VIREOS

- ___ White-eyed Vireo
- ___ Bell's Vireo
- ___ Yellow-throated Vireo

VIREOS(cont'd)

- ___ Blue-headed Vireo
- ___ Philadelphia Vireo
- ___ Warbling Vireo
- ___ Red-eyed Vireo
- ___ YELLOW-GREEN VIREO
- ___ BLACK-WHISKERED VIREO

JAYS, CROWS

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

SWALLOWS

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

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

- ___ Carolina Chickadee
- ___ Tufted Titmouse

NUTHATCHES, CREEPERS

- ___ Red-Breasted 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
- ___ Veery
- ___ Gray-cheeked Thrush
- ___ Swainson's Thrush
- ___ Hermit Thrush
- ___ Wood Thrush
- ___ American Robin

MOCKINGBIRDS, THRASHERS

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

STARLINGS, WAGTAILS, PIPITS, WAXWINGS

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

LONGSPURS

___ Lapland Longspur

WARBLERS

___ Ovenbird
 ___ Worm-eating Warbler
 ___ Louisiana Waterthrush
 ___ Northern Waterthrush
 ___ Golden-winged Warbler
 ___ Blue-winged Warbler
 ___ Black-and-white Warbler
 ___ Prothonotary Warbler
 ___ Swainson's Warbler
 ___ Tennessee Warbler
 ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
 ___ LUCY'S WARBLER
 ___ Nashville Warbler
 ___ CONNECTICUT WARBLER
 ___ MACGILLIVRAY'S WARBLER
 ___ Kentucky Warbler
 ___ Common Yellowthroat
 ___ Hooded Warbler
 ___ American Redstart
 ___ Cape May Warbler
 ___ Cerulean Warbler
 ___ Northern Parula
 ___ Magnolia Warbler
 ___ Bay-breasted Warbler
 ___ Blackburnian Warbler
 ___ Yellow Warbler
 ___ Chestnut-sided Warbler
 ___ Blackpoll Warbler
 ___ Black-throated Blue Warbler
 ___ Palm Warbler
 ___ Pine Warbler
 ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
 ___ Yellow-throated Warbler
 ___ Prairie Warbler
 ___ BLACK-THROATED GRAY WARBLER
 ___ TOWNSEND'S WARBLER
 ___ HERMIT WARBLER
 ___ Black-throated Green Warbler
 ___ Canada Warbler
 ___ Wilson's Warbler

SPARROWS

___ Grasshopper Sparrow
 ___ LeConte's Sparrow
 ___ Nelson's Sparrow
 ___ Seaside Sparrow
 ___ Chipping Sparrow
 ___ Clay-colored Sparrow
 ___ Field Sparrow
 ___ Lark Sparrow
 ___ LARK BUNTING
 ___ Fox Sparrow
 ___ Dark-eyed Junco
 ___ White-crowned Sparrow
 ___ White-throated Sparrow
 ___ Vesper Sparrow

SPARROWS(cont'd)

___ Savannah Sparrow
 ___ Song Sparrow
 ___ Lincoln's Sparrow
 ___ Swamp Sparrow
 ___ GREEN-TAILED TOWHEE
 ___ SPOTTED TOWHEE
 ___ Eastern Towhee

CHATS

___ Yellow-breasted Chat

TANAGERS, GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

___ Summer Tanager
 ___ Scarlet Tanager
 ___ Western Tanager
 ___ Northern Cardinal
 ___ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
 ___ BLACK-HEADED GROSBEAK
 ___ Blue Grosbeak
 ___ LAZULI BUNTING
 ___ Indigo Bunting
 ___ Painted Bunting
 ___ Dickcissel

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

___ Yellow-headed Blackbird
 ___ Bobolink
 ___ Western Meadowlark
 ___ Eastern Meadowlark
 ___ Orchard Oriole
 ___ BULLOCK'S ORIOLE
 ___ Baltimore Oriole
 ___ Red-winged Blackbird
 ___ SHINY COWBIRD
 ___ Bronzed Cowbird
 ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
 ___ Rusty Blackbird
 ___ Brewer's Blackbird
 ___ Common Grackle
 ___ Boat-tailed Grackle
 ___ Great-tailed Grackle
 ___ EVENING GROSBEAK

FINCHES, HOUSE SPARROW

___ House Finch (I)
 ___ Purple Finch
 ___ Pine Siskin
 ___ American Goldfinch
 ___ House Sparrow (I)

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