

KANSAS BIRDS: Species List for Anderson County, KS

GEESE, SWANS

- ___ Snow Goose
- ___ Ross's Goose
- ___ Greater White-fronted Goose
- ___ Cackling Goose
- ___ Canada Goose*
- ___ Trumpeter Swan

DUCKS

- ___ Wood Duck*
- ___ Blue-winged Teal*
- ___ Cinnamon Teal
- ___ Northern Shoveler
- ___ Gadwall
- ___ American Wigeon
- ___ Mallard*
- ___ Northern Pintail*
- ___ Green-winged Teal*
- ___ Canvasback
- ___ Redhead
- ___ Ring-necked Duck
- ___ Greater Scaup
- ___ Lesser Scaup
- ___ Bufflehead
- ___ Black Scoter
- ___ Common Goldeneye
- ___ Hooded Merganser
- ___ Common Merganser
- ___ Red-breasted Merganser
- ___ Ruddy Duck

QUAIL

- ___ Northern Bobwhite*

TURKEY, GROUSE, PHEASANT

- ___ Wild Turkey*
- ___ Greater Prairie-Chicken*
- ___ Lesser Prairie-Chicken
- ___ Ring-necked Pheasant*

GREBES

- ___ Pied-billed Grebe
- ___ Horned Grebe
- ___ Eared Grebe
- ___ Western Grebe

PIGEONS, DOVES

- ___ Rock Pigeon*
- ___ Eurasian Collared-Dove
- ___ Common Ground-Dove
- ___ White-winged Dove
- ___ Mourning Dove*

CUCKOOS

- ___ Greater Roadrunner
- ___ Yellow-billed Cuckoo*
- ___ Black-billed Cuckoo*

NIGHTJARS

- ___ Common Nighthawk*
- ___ Common Poorwill*

- ___ Chuck-will's-widow*
- ___ Eastern Whip-poor-will*

SWIFTS

- ___ Chimney Swift*

HUMMINGBIRDS

- ___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird*

RAILS, GALLINULES

- ___ King Rail*
- ___ Virginia Rail
- ___ Sora
- ___ Common Gallinule
- ___ American Coot

CRANES

- ___ Sandhill Crane

STILTS, AVOCETS

- ___ American Avocet

PLOVERS

- ___ American Golden-Plover
- ___ Killdeer*

SANDPIPERS

- ___ Upland Sandpiper*
- ___ Hudsonian Godwit
- ___ Stilt Sandpiper
- ___ Dunlin
- ___ Baird's Sandpiper
- ___ Least Sandpiper
- ___ White-rumped Sandpiper
- ___ Buff-breasted Sandpiper
- ___ Pectoral Sandpiper
- ___ Semipalmated Sandpiper
- ___ Long-billed Dowitcher
- ___ American Woodcock*
- ___ Wilson's Snipe
- ___ Spotted Sandpiper
- ___ Solitary Sandpiper
- ___ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ___ Willet
- ___ Greater Yellowlegs
- ___ Wilson's Phalarope
- ___ Red-necked Phalarope

GULLS

- ___ Bonaparte's Gull
- ___ Franklin's Gull
- ___ Ring-billed Gull
- ___ Herring Gull

TERNs

- ___ Least Tern
- ___ Black Tern
- ___ Common Tern
- ___ Forster's Tern

LOONS

- ___ Red-throated Loon
- ___ Common Loon

CORMORANTS

- ___ Double-crested Cormorant
- ___ Neotropic Cormorant

PELICANS

- ___ American White Pelican

HERONS

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

VULTURES

- ___ Black Vulture
- ___ Turkey Vulture§

OSPREY, HAWKS, KITES, EAGLES

- ___ Osprey
- ___ Swallow-tailed Kite
- ___ Golden Eagle
- ___ Northern Harrier*
- ___ Sharp-shinned Hawk
- ___ Cooper's Hawk*
- ___ American Goshawk
- ___ Bald Eagle*
- ___ Mississippi Kite
- ___ Red-shouldered Hawk*
- ___ Broad-winged Hawk
- ___ Swainson's Hawk*
- ___ Red-tailed Hawk*
- ___ Rough-legged Hawk

BARN OWLS

- ___ Barn Owl*

OWLS

- ___ Eastern Screech-Owl*
- ___ Great Horned Owl*
- ___ Burrowing Owl*
- ___ Barred Owl*
- ___ Long-eared Owl*
- ___ Short-eared Owl*
- ___ Northern Saw-whet Owl

KINGFISHERS

- ___ Belted Kingfisher*

WOODPECKERS

- ___ Red-headed Woodpecker*
- ___ Red-bellied Woodpecker*
- ___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- ___ Downy Woodpecker*
- ___ Hairy Woodpecker*

____ Northern Flicker*
____ Pileated Woodpecker§

FALCONS

____ American Kestrel*
____ Merlin
____ Peregrine Falcon
____ Prairie Falcon

FLYCATCHERS

____ Great Crested Flycatcher§
____ Western Kingbird*
____ Eastern Kingbird*
____ Scissor-tailed Flycatcher*
____ Olive-sided Flycatcher
____ Eastern Wood-Pewee§
____ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
____ Acadian Flycatcher
____ Alder Flycatcher
____ Willow Flycatcher
____ Least Flycatcher
____ Eastern Phoebe*

VIREOS

____ White-eyed Vireo*
____ Bell's Vireo*
____ Yellow-throated Vireo
____ Blue-headed Vireo
____ Philadelphia Vireo
____ Warbling Vireo*
____ Red-eyed Vireo§

SHRIKES

____ Loggerhead Shrike*
____ Northern Shrike

JAYS, MAGPIES, CROWS

____ Blue Jay*
____ American Crow*
____ Fish Crow

CHICKADEES, TITMICE

____ Black-capped Chickadee*
____ Tufted Titmouse*

LARKS

____ Horned Lark*

SWALLOWS

____ Bank Swallow*
____ Tree Swallow*
____ N. Rough-winged Swallow§
____ Purple Martin*
____ Barn Swallow*
____ Cliff Swallow*
____ Cave Swallow

KINGLETS

____ Ruby-crowned Kinglet
____ Golden-crowned Kinglet

WAXWINGS

____ Cedar Waxwing

NUTHATCHES

____ Red-breasted Nuthatch
____ White-breasted Nuthatch*

CREEPERS

____ Brown Creeper

GNATCATCHERS

____ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher*

WRENS

____ Bewick's Wren
____ Carolina Wren*
____ House Wren*
____ Winter Wren
____ Sedge Wren
____ Marsh Wren

THRASHERS

____ Gray Catbird*
____ Brown Thrasher*
____ Northern Mockingbird*

STARLINGS

____ European Starling*

THRUSHES

____ Eastern Bluebird*
____ Mountain Bluebird
____ Townsend's Solitaire
____ Veery
____ Gray-cheeked Thrush
____ Swainson's Thrush
____ Hermit Thrush
____ Wood Thrush
____ American Robin*

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

____ House Sparrow*

PIPITS

____ American Pipit
____ Sprague's Pipit

FINCHES

____ Evening Grosbeak
____ Pine Grosbeak
____ House Finch§
____ Purple Finch
____ Common Redpoll
____ Red Crossbill
____ White-winged Crossbill
____ Pine Siskin
____ American Goldfinch*

LONGSPURS

____ Lapland Longspur
____ Chestnut-collared Longspur
____ Smith's Longspur
____ Thick-billed Longspur

SPARROWS

____ Grasshopper Sparrow*
____ Lark Sparrow*
____ Lark Bunting
____ Chipping Sparrow*

____ Clay-colored Sparrow
____ Field Sparrow*
____ Fox Sparrow
____ American Tree Sparrow
____ Dark-eyed Junco
____ White-crowned Sparrow
____ Harris's Sparrow
____ White-throated Sparrow
____ Vesper Sparrow
____ LeConte's Sparrow
____ Nelson's Sparrow
____ Henslow's Sparrow*
____ Savannah Sparrow
____ Song Sparrow
____ Lincoln's Sparrow
____ Swamp Sparrow
____ Spotted Towhee
____ Eastern Towhee*

CHATS

____ Yellow-breasted Chat*

BLACKBIRDS, ORIOLES

____ Yellow-headed Blackbird
____ Bobolink*
____ Eastern Meadowlark*
____ Western Meadowlark
____ Orchard Oriole*
____ Baltimore Oriole*
____ Red-winged Blackbird*
____ Brown-headed Cowbird*
____ Rusty Blackbird
____ Brewer's Blackbird
____ Common Grackle*
____ Great-tailed Grackle*

WARBLERS

____ Ovenbird
____ Northern Waterthrush
____ Louisiana Waterthrush
____ Black-and-white Warbler§
____ Prothonotary Warbler
____ Tennessee Warbler
____ Orange-crowned Warbler
____ Nashville Warbler
____ Mourning Warbler
____ Kentucky Warbler§
____ Common Yellowthroat§
____ Hooded Warbler*
____ American Redstart
____ Cerulean Warbler§
____ Northern Parula*
____ Magnolia Warbler
____ Yellow Warbler*
____ Chestnut-sided Warbler
____ Blackpoll Warbler
____ Palm Warbler
____ Yellow-rumped Warbler
____ Yellow-throated Warbler
____ Black-throated Green Warbler
____ Wilson's Warbler

GROSBEAKS, BUNTINGS

____ Summer Tanager*
____ Scarlet Tanager§
____ Northern Cardinal*
____ Rose-breasted Grosbeak§
____ Blue Grosbeak§
____ Lazuli Bunting
____ Indigo Bunting*
____ Painted Bunting
____ Dickcissel*

The taxonomic sequence and nomenclature used in this list follow the *Check-list of North American Birds*, 7th edition, American Ornithologists Union, 1998, updated through the 64th Supplement, 2023, Ornithology, Volume 140, Issue 3, 11 July 2023, ukad023, <https://doi.org/10.1093/ornithology/ukad023>

† Fewer than ten Kansas records

[] Hypothetical species

§ Probable breeding species

* Confirmed breeding species

Probable and confirmed breeding species as defined by the Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas Project.

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Please report any birds not on this list to Max Thompson, Southwestern College, Dept of Biology, 100 College St., Winfield, KS 67156, maxt@cox.net

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