

# BIRD CHECKLIST

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## MINNESOTA SCIENTIFIC AND NATURAL AREAS



*Natural places worth knowing*



	Sp	S	F	W
<b>DUCKS, GEESE, AND SWANS</b>				
___ Canada Goose	X		X	
___ Trumpeter Swan	X		X	
___ Wood Duck	X	X		
___ Mallard	X		X	
<b>GROUSE, TURKEYS, AND PHEASANTS</b>				
___ Wild Turkey			X	
___ Ruffed Grouse	X	X	X	X
<b>PIGEONS AND DOVES</b>				
___ Mourning Dove	X	X		
<b>HUMMINGBIRDS</b>				
___ Ruby-throated Hummingbird	X	X	X	
<b>SANDPIPERS</b>				
___ American Woodcock			X	
<b>GULLS AND TERNS</b>				
___ Ring-billed Gull	X			
<b>LOONS</b>				
___ Common Loon	X	X	X	
<b>PELICANS</b>				
___ American White Pelican	X			
<b>NEW WORLD VULTURES</b>				
___ Turkey Vulture	X	X	X	
<b>HAWKS AND EAGLES</b>				
___ Bald Eagle	X	X	X	X
___ Broad-winged Hawk	X	X	X	
___ Red-tailed Hawk	X	X	X	
<b>WOODPECKERS</b>				
___ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	X	X	X	
___ Red-bellied Woodpecker		X		
___ American Three-toed Woodpecker	X			
___ Black-backed Woodpecker		X		
___ Downy Woodpecker	X	X	X	X
___ Hairy Woodpecker	X	X	X	X
___ Pileated Woodpecker	X	X	X	X
___ Northern Flicker	X	X	X	
<b>FALCONS</b>				
___ Merlin		X		
<b>TYRANT FLYCATCHERS</b>				
___ Olive-sided Flycatcher	X	X		

	Sp	S	F	W
___ Eastern Wood-Pewee	X	X	X	
___ Yellow-bellied Flycatcher	X	X		
___ Alder Flycatcher	X	X		
___ Least Flycatcher	X	X	X	
___ Eastern Phoebe	X	X		
___ Great Crested Flycatcher	X	X		
___ Eastern Kingbird		X		
<b>VIROES</b>				
___ Yellow-throated Vireo		X	X	
___ Blue-headed Vireo	X	X	X	
___ Warbling Vireo	X	X		
___ Red-eyed Vireo	X	X	X	
<b>JAYS, CROWS, AND MAGPIES</b>				
___ Canada Jay	X	X	X	
___ Blue Jay	X	X	X	X
___ Black-billed Magpie	X	X	X	
___ American Crow	X	X	X	
___ Common Raven	X	X	X	X
<b>CHICKADEES AND TITMICE</b>				
___ Black-capped Chickadee	X	X	X	X
<b>SWALLOWS</b>				
___ Purple Martin		X		
___ Tree Swallow	X			
<b>KINGLETS</b>				
___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet	X		X	
___ Golden-crowned Kinglet	X	X	X	
<b>NUTHATCHES</b>				
___ Red-breasted Nuthatch	X	X	X	X
___ White-breasted Nuthatch	X	X	X	X
<b>CREEPERS</b>				
___ Brown Creeper	X	X	X	
<b>WRENS</b>				
___ Winter Wren	X	X	X	
<b>MIMIDS</b>				
___ Gray Catbird	X			
<b>THRUSHES</b>				
___ Veery	X	X		
___ Gray-cheeked Thrush	X			
___ Swainson's Thrush	X			

	Sp	S	F	W
__ Hermit Thrush	X	X	X	
__ Wood Thrush	X	X	X	
__ American Robin	X	X	X	

#### WAXWINGS

__ Cedar Waxwing		X	X	
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#### FINCHES

__ Evening Grosbeak		X	X	
__ Pine Grosbeak			X	X
__ Purple Finch	X	X	X	
__ Common Redpoll			X	X
__ Red Crossbill			X	X
__ White-winged Crossbill	X		X	
__ Pine Siskin	X		X	X
__ American Goldfinch	X	X	X	

#### SPARROWS

__ Chipping Sparrow	X	X	X	
__ American Tree Sparrow			X	
__ Fox Sparrow	X		X	
__ Dark-eyed Junco	X		X	
__ White-crowned Sparrow	X			
__ Harris's Sparrow	X			
__ White-throated Sparrow	X	X	X	
__ Song Sparrow	X	X	X	
__ Swamp Sparrow	X			

#### BLACKBIRDS

__ Yellow-headed Blackbird	X			
__ Baltimore Oriole			X	
__ Red-winged Blackbird	X	X	X	
__ Brown-headed Cowbird	X			
__ Common Grackle	X		X	

#### WARBLERS

__ Ovenbird	X	X	X	
__ Northern Waterthrush	X			
__ Golden-winged Warbler	X		X	
__ Black-and-white Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Tennessee Warbler	X		X	
__ Orange-crowned Warbler	X			
__ Nashville Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Connecticut Warbler		X		

	Sp	S	F	W
__ Mourning Warbler		X		
__ Common Yellowthroat	X	X	X	
__ American Redstart	X	X		
__ Cape May Warbler	X			
__ Northern Parula	X	X	X	
__ Magnolia Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Bay-breasted Warbler	X			
__ Blackburnian Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Yellow Warbler	X	X		
__ Chestnut-sided Warbler	X	X		
__ Blackpoll Warbler	X			
__ Black-throated Blue Warbler		X		
__ Palm Warbler	X			
__ Pine Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Yellow-rumped Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Black-throated Green Warbler	X	X	X	
__ Canada Warbler	X	X		

#### CARDINALS, GROSBEAKS, AND BUNTINGS

__ Scarlet Tanager	X	X	X	
__ Rose-breasted Grosbeak	X	X	X	
__ Indigo Bunting		X		

### Seasonal Occurrence Key

**Sp** - Spring (March through May)

**S** - Summer (June through July)

**F** - Fall (August through November)

**W** - Winter (December through February)

**C** - Common (seen every year/season)

**U** - Uncommon (seen every 2-3 years/season)

**O** - Occasional (seen every 4-9 years/season)

**R** - Rare (seen less than once every 10 years/season)

**X** - Observed during season, data insufficient for calculating occurrence

### Bird Identification Tips

When you observe a bird, make note of at least **three** characteristics:

**Location** - Where did you see the bird (water, forest, feeder, lower branch, tree trunk)?

**Body size and shape** - Compare it to a known bird (smaller than a... bigger than a... plump like a... slender like a...). Looks at its tail, legs, and bill (long, short, thick, thin, curved, straight).

**Colors and markings** - Look on wings, tail, back, belly, rump, and head (stripe above eye, white spot on tail, etc.).

**Sounds and movements** - How does it act and sound (traveling alone or in groups, soaring, flapping, flap and glide, etc.)?

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