



Most Frequently Seen Birds of the Denver Area

Ducks, Geese & Swans

- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Canada Goose
- Wood Duck
- Gadwall
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Lesser Scaup
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser
- Ruddy Duck

Pheasants & Ptarmigan

- Ring-necked Pheasant
- White-tailed Ptarmigan

Grebes

- Pied-billed Grebe
- Western Grebe

Pelicans

- American White Pelican
- Double-crested Cormorant

Bitterns & Herons

- American Bittern
- Great Blue Heron
- Snowy Egret
- Black-crowned Night Heron

Ibises

- White-faced Ibis

New World Vultures

- Turkey Vulture

Hawks & Eagles

- Osprey
- Bald Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-Shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Golden Eagle

Falcons

- American Kestrel
- Peregrine Falcon
- Prairie Falcon

Rails & Coots

- Virginia Rail
- American Coot

Plovers

- Killdeer

Avocets

___ American Avocet

Sandpipers & Phalaropes

___ Spotted Sandpiper
___ Long-billed Dowitcher
___ Common Snipe

Gulls

___ Franklin's Gull
___ Ring-billed Gull
___ California Gull

Pigeons & Doves

___ Rock Pigeon
___ Mourning Dove

Barn Owls

___ Common Barn-Owl

Typical Owls

___ Eastern Screech-Owl
___ Great Horned Owl
___ Burrowing Owl
___ Long-eared Owl

Goatsuckers

___ Common Nighthawk
___ Common Poorwill

Swifts

___ Chimney Swift
___ White-throated Swift

Hummingbirds

___ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
___ Rufous Hummingbird

Kingfishers

Belted Kingfisher

Woodpeckers

___ Downy Woodpecker
___ Hairy Woodpecker
___ Northern Flicker

Tyrant Flycatchers

___ Western Wood-Pewee
___ Cordilleran Flycatcher
___ Say's Phoebe
___ Western Kingbird
___ Eastern Kingbird

Shrikes

___ Northern Shrike

Jays & Crows

___ Gray Jay
___ Steller's Jay
___ Blue Jay
___ Western Scrub-Jay
___ Clark's Nutcracker
___ Black-billed Magpie
___ American Crow
___ Common Raven

Larks

___ Horned Lark

Swallows

___ Tree Swallow
___ Violet-green Swallow
___ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
___ Bank Swallow
___ Cliff Swallow
___ Barn Swallow

Chickadees

___ Black-capped Chickadee
___ Mountain Chickadee

Bushtits

___ Bushtit

Nuthatches

___ Red-breasted Nuthatch
___ White-breasted Nuthatch
___ Pygmy Nuthatch

Creepers

___ Brown Creeper

Wrens

- ___ Canyon Wren
- ___ House Wren

Dippers

- ___ American Dipper

Kinglets

- ___ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Gnatcatchers

- ___ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

Thrushes

- ___ Western Bluebird
- ___ Mountain Bluebird
- ___ Townsend's Solitaire
- ___ Hermit Thrush
- ___ American Robin

Mockingbirds & Thrashers

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

Starlings

- ___ European Starling

Waxwings

- ___ Cedar Waxwing

Wood-Warblers

- ___ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ___ Virginia's Warbler
- ___ Yellow Warbler
- ___ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ___ Macgillivray's Warbler
- ___ Common Yellowthroat
- ___ Wilson's Warbler
- ___ Yellow-breasted Chat

Tanagers

- ___ Western Tanager

Towhees & Sparrows

- ___ Green-tailed Towhee
- ___ Spotted Towhee
- ___ American Tree Sparrow
- ___ Chipping Sparrow
- ___ Vesper Sparrow
- ___ Lark Bunting
- ___ Savannah Sparrow
- ___ Song Sparrow
- ___ White-crowned Sparrow
- ___ Dark-eyed Junco

Grosbeaks & Buntings

- ___ Black-headed Grosbeak
- ___ Lazuli Bunting
- ___ Indigo Bunting

Blackbirds & Orioles

- ___ Red-winged Blackbird
- ___ Western Meadowlark
- ___ Yellow-headed Blackbird
- ___ Brewer's Blackbird
- ___ Common Grackle
- ___ Brown-headed Cowbird
- ___ Bullock' Oriole

Finches

- ___ House Finch
- ___ Pine Siskin
- ___ Lesser Goldfinch
- ___ American Goldfinch
- ___ Evening Grosbeak

Old World Sparrows

- ___ House Sparrow