

Urban Birds of Kingston



Top 20 Most Common Breeding Birds

1. Song Sparrow
2. American Robin
3. Northern Cardinal
4. American Crow
5. American Goldfinch
6. Common Grackle
7. Black-capped Chickadee
8. Red-winged Blackbird
9. Chipping Sparrow
10. European Starling
11. Chimney Swift
12. Yellow Warbler
13. House Wren
14. Mourning Dove
15. Blue Jay
16. Common Yellowthroat
17. Killdeer
18. House Sparrow
19. House Finch
20. Swamp Sparrow

Checklist of Breeding Birds

Species	Breeding in Kingston	Seen it?
1 Canada Goose	Widespread	☐
2 Mute Swan	Local	☐
3 Wood Duck	Local	☐
4 Blue-winged Teal	Rare	☐
5 Northern Shoveler	Rare	☐
6 Gadwall	Local	☐
7 Mallard	Widespread	☐
8 American Black Duck	Local	☐
9 Green-winged Teal	Rare	☐
10 Hooded Merganser	Local	☐
11 Ruffed Grouse	Local	☐
12 Wild Turkey	Local	☐
13 Pied-billed Grebe	Local	☐
14 Rock Pigeon	Widespread	☐
15 Mourning Dove	Widespread	☐
16 Common Nighthawk	Rare	☐
17 Chimney Swift	Local	☐
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	Local	☐
18 Hummingbird	Local	☐
19 Virginia Rail	Rare	☐
20 Sora	Rare	☐
21 Common Gallinule	Local	☐
22 American Coot	Local	☐
23 Killdeer	Local	☐
24 American Woodcock	Rare	☐
25 Wilson's Snipe	Rare	☐
26 Spotted Sandpiper	Local	☐
27 Ring-billed Gull	Rare	☐
28 Herring Gull	Local	☐
29 Caspian Tern	Rare	☐
30 Common Loon	Local	☐
31 Double-crested Cormorant	Local	☐
32 American Bittern	Local	☐
33 Great Blue Heron	Local	☐
34 Least Bittern	Rare	☐
35 Green Heron	Rare	☐
36 Turkey Vulture	Rare	☐
37 Osprey	Local	☐
38 Sharp-shinned Hawk	Local	☐

	Species	Breeding in Kingston	Seen it?
39	Cooper's Hawk	Local	☐
40	Bald Eagle	Local	☐
41	Red-tailed Hawk	Local	☐
42	Eastern Screech-Owl	Local	☐
43	Great Horned Owl	Local	☐
44	Barred Owl	Local	☐
45	Belted Kingfisher	Local	☐
46	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	Local	☐
47	Red-bellied Woodpecker	Local	☐
48	Downy Woodpecker	Widespread	☐
49	Hairy Woodpecker	Local	☐
50	Pileated Woodpecker	Local	☐
51	Northern Flicker	Local	☐
52	American Kestrel	Local	☐
53	Merlin	Local	☐
54	Peregrine Falcon	Local	☐
55	Eastern Wood-Pewee	Rare	☐
56	Willow Flycatcher	Rare	☐
57	Least Flycatcher	Local	☐
58	Eastern Phoebe	Local	☐
59	Great Crested Flycatcher	Local	☐
60	Eastern Kingbird	Local	☐
61	Warbling Vireo	Local	☐
62	Red-eyed Vireo	Local	☐
63	Blue Jay	Widespread	☐
64	American Crow	Widespread	☐
65	Common Raven	Local	☐
66	Black-capped Chickadee	Widespread	☐
	Northern Rough-winged		
67	Swallow	Local	☐
68	Purple Martin	Local	☐
69	Tree Swallow	Local	☐
70	Barn Swallow	Local	☐
71	Cliff Swallow	Local	☐
72	Red-breasted Nuthatch	Local	☐
73	White-breasted Nuthatch	Local	☐
74	Brown Creeper	Local	☐
75	House Wren	Widespread	☐
76	Winter Wren	Rare	☐
77	Marsh Wren	Local	☐
78	Carolina Wren	Local	☐

	Species	Breeding in Kingston	Seen it?
79	European Starling	Widespread	☐
80	Gray Catbird	Local	☐
81	Brown Thrasher	Local	☐
82	Northern Mockingbird	Local	☐
83	Veery	Local	☐
84	Wood Thrush	Local	☐
85	American Robin	Widespread	☐
86	Cedar Waxwing	Local	☐
87	House Sparrow	Widespread	☐
88	House Finch	Widespread	☐
89	American Goldfinch	Widespread	☐
90	Chipping Sparrow	Widespread	☐
91	Field Sparrow	Local	☐
92	White-throated Sparrow	Rare	☐
93	Savannah Sparrow	Local	☐
94	Song Sparrow	Widespread	☐
95	Swamp Sparrow	Local	☐
96	Eastern Towhee	Local	☐
97	Eastern Meadowlark	Local	☐
98	Baltimore Oriole	Local	☐
99	Red-winged Blackbird	Widespread	☐
100	Brown-headed Cowbird	Widespread	☐
101	Common Grackle	Widespread	☐
102	Ovenbird	Local	☐
103	Black-and-white Warbler	Local	☐
104	Common Yellowthroat	Local	☐
105	Yellow Warbler	Local	☐
106	Northern Cardinal	Widespread	☐
107	Rose-breasted Grosbeak	Local	☐
108	Indigo Bunting	Local	☐

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