

BIRD SPECIES NC State 2012

Order: Gaviiformes

Family: Gaviidae

Gavia immer

common loon

Order: Podicipediformes

Family: Podicipedidae

Podilymbus podiceps

pied-billed grebe

Podiceps auritus

horned grebe

Order: Pelecaniformes

Family: Pelecanidae

Pelecanus erythrorhynchos

American white pelican

Family: Phalacrocoracidae

Phalacrocorax auritus

double-crested cormorant

Order: Ciconiiformes

Family: Ardeidae

Ardea herodias

great blue heron

Ardea alba

great egret

Bubulcus ibis

cattle egret

Butorides virescens

green heron

Egretta thula

snowy egret

Egretta caerulea

little blue heron

Nycticorax nycticorax

black-crowned night-heron

Nyctanassa violacea

yellow-crowned night-heron

Family: Cathartidae

Coragyps atratus

black vulture

Cathartes aura

turkey vulture

Family: Threskiornithidae

Eudocimus albus

white ibis

Platalea ajaja

roseate spoonbill

Order: Anseriformes

Family: Anatidae

Subfamily: Anserinae

Anser albifrons

greater white-fronted goose

Chen caerulescens

snow goose

Chen rossii

Ross's goose

Branta canadensis

Canada goose

Cygnus buccinator

trumpeter swan

Cygnus columbianus

tundra swan

Subfamily: Anatinae

Aix sponsa

wood duck

Anas acuta

northern pintail

Anas americana

American wigeon

Anas clypeata

northern shoveler

Anas crecca

green-winged teal

Anas discors

blue-winged teal

Anas fulvigula

mottled duck

	<u>Anas platyrhynchos</u>	mallard
	<u>Anas rubripes</u>	American black duck
	<u>Anas strepera</u>	gadwall
	<u>Aythya americana</u>	redhead
	<u>Aythya affinis</u>	lesser scaup
	<u>Aythya collaris</u>	ring-necked duck
	<u>Aythya marila</u>	greater scaup
	<u>Aythya valisineria</u>	canvasback
	<u>Bucephala albeola</u>	bufflehead
	<u>Bucephala clangula</u>	common goldeneye
	<u>Lophodytes cucullatus</u>	hooded merganser
	<u>Oxyura jamaicensis</u>	ruddy duck
Order:	Charadriiformes	
Family:	Charadriidae <u>Charadrius</u> <u>vociferus</u> <u>Charadrius</u> <u>melodus</u> <u>Charadrius</u> <u>semipalmatus</u> <u>Pluvialis</u> <u>dominica</u>	killdeer piping plover semipalmated plover American golden-plover
Family:	Laridae <u>Chlidonias niger</u> <u>Chroicocephalus philadelphia</u> <u>Larus delawarensis</u>	black tern Bonaparte's gull ring-billed gull
Family:	Scolopacidae <u>Calidris alpine</u> <u>Calidris melanotos</u> <u>Calidris pusilla</u> <u>Gallinago gallinago</u> <u>Scolopax minor</u> <u>Tringa flavipes</u> <u>Tringa melanoleuca</u> <u>Tringa solitaria</u>	dunlin pectoral sandpiper semipalmated sandpiper Wilson's snipe American woodcock lesser yellowlegs greater yellowlegs solitary sandpiper
Order:	Columbiformes	
Family:	Columbidae <u>Columba livia</u> <u>Zenaidura macroura</u> <u>Columbina passerina</u> <u>Streptopelia decaocto</u>	rock pigeon mourning dove common ground-dove Eurasian collared-dove
Order:	Cuculiformes	
Family:	Cuculidae <u>Coccyzus americanus</u>	yellow-billed cuckoo
Order:	Falconiformes	
Family:	Accipitridae <u>Pandion haliaetus</u> <u>Accipiter striatus</u> <u>Accipiter cooperii</u> <u>Aquila chrysaetos</u> <u>Buteo jamaicensis</u>	osprey sharp-shinned hawk Cooper's hawk golden eagle red-tailed hawk

	<u>Buteo lineatus</u>	<u>Buteo</u>	red-shouldered hawk
	<u>platypterus</u>	<u>Circus</u>	broad-winged hawk
	<u>cyaneus</u>	<u>Elanoides</u>	northern harrier
	<u>forficatus</u>	<u>Ictinia</u>	swallow-tailed kite
	<u>mississippiensis</u>		Mississippi kite
	<u>Haliaeetus</u>	<u>leucocephalus</u>	bald eagle
Family:	Falconidae		
	<u>Falco</u>	<u>sparverius</u>	American kestrel
Order:	Galliformes		
Family:	Phasianidae		
	<u>Tympanuchus</u>	<u>pallidicinctus</u>	lesser prairie-chicken
	<u>Meleagris</u>	<u>gallopavo</u>	wild turkey
Family:	Odontophoridae		
	<u>Colinus</u>	<u>virginianus</u>	northern bobwhite
Order:	Gruiformes		
Family:	Rallidae		
	<u>Porzana</u>	<u>carolina</u>	sora
	<u>Gallinula</u>	<u>chloropus</u>	common moorhen
Family:	Gruidae		
	<u>Grus</u>	<u>canadensis</u>	sandhill crane
Order:	Strigiformes		
Family:	Tytonidae		
	<u>Tyto</u>	<u>alba</u>	barn owl
Family:	Strigidae		
	<u>Megascops</u>	<u>asio</u>	eastern screech-owl
	<u>Strix</u>	<u>varia</u>	barred owl
	<u>Bubo</u>	<u>virginianus</u>	great-horned owl
Order:	Caprimulgiformes		
Family:	Caprimulgidae		
	<u>Chordeiles</u>	<u>minor</u>	common nighthawk
	<u>Caprimulgus</u>	<u>carolinensis</u>	chuck-will's-widow
	<u>Caprimulgus</u>	<u>vociferus</u>	whip-poor-will
Order:	Apodiformes		
Family:	Apodidae		
	<u>Chaetura</u>	<u>pelagica</u>	chimney swift
Family:	Trochilidae		
	<u>Archilochus</u>	<u>colubris</u>	ruby-throated hummingbird
Order:	Coraciiformes		
Family:	Alcedinidae		
	<u>Ceryle</u>	<u>alcyon</u>	belted kingfisher
Order:	Piciformes		
Family:	Picidae		
	<u>Melanerpes</u>	<u>erythrocephalus</u>	red-headed woodpecker
	<u>Melanerpes</u>	<u>carolinus</u>	red-bellied woodpecker

	<u>Sphyrapicus varius</u>	yellow-bellied sapsucker
	<u>Picoides villosus</u>	hairy woodpecker
	<u>Picoides borealis</u>	red-cockaded woodpecker
	<u>Picoides pubescens</u>	downy woodpecker
	<u>Colaptes auratus</u>	northern flicker
	<u>Dryocopus pileatus</u>	pileated woodpecker
Order:	<i>Passeriformes</i>	
Family:	<i>Tyrannidae</i> <u>Contopus</u>	
	<u>virens</u> <u>Empidonax</u>	eastern wood-pewee
	<u>virescens</u> <u>Sayornis</u>	Acadian flycatcher
	<u>phoebe</u> <u>Mionectes</u>	eastern phoebe
	<u>olivaceus</u> <u>Myiarchus</u>	olive-striped flycatcher
	<u>crinitus</u>	great crested flycatcher
	<u>Tyrannus forficatus</u>	scissor-tailed flycatcher
	<u>Tyrannus tyrannus</u>	eastern kingbird
Family:	<i>Hirundinidae</i>	
	<u>Progne subis</u>	purple martin
	<u>Petrochelidon pyrrhonota</u>	cliff swallow
	<u>Tachycineta bicolor</u>	tree swallow
	<u>Hirundo rustica</u>	barn swallow
Family:	<i>Corvidae</i>	
	<u>Cyanocitta cristata</u>	blue jay
	<u>Corvus brachyrhynchos</u>	American crow
Family:	<i>Paridae</i>	
	<u>Poecile carolinensis</u>	Carolina chickadee
	<u>Baeolophus bicolor</u>	tufted titmouse
Family:	<i>Sittidae</i>	
	<u>Sitta carolinensis</u>	white-breasted nuthatch
	<u>Sitta pusilla</u>	brown-headed nuthatch
Family:	<i>Certhiidae</i>	
	<u>Certhia americana</u>	brown creeper
Family:	<i>Troglodytidae</i>	
	<u>Thryothorus ludovicianus</u>	Carolina wren
Family:	<i>Turdidae</i>	
	<u>Catharus guttatus</u>	hermit thrush
	<u>Sialia sialis</u>	eastern bluebird
	<u>Turdus migratorius</u>	American robin
	<u>Hylocichla mustelina</u>	wood thrush
Family:	<i>Regulidae</i>	
	<u>Regulus calendula</u>	ruby-crowned kinglet
Family:	<i>Sylviidae</i>	
	<u>Polioptila caerulea</u>	blue-gray gnatcatcher
Family:	<i>Mimidae</i>	
	<u>Dumetella carolinensis</u>	gray catbird
	<u>Mimus polyglottos</u>	northern mockingbird
	<u>Toxostoma rufum</u>	brown thrasher
Family:	<i>Motacillidae</i>	
	<u>Anthus rubescens</u>	American pipit
Family:	<i>Bombycillidae</i>	
	<u>Bombycilla cedrorum</u>	cedar waxwing

Family:	<i>Laniidae</i> <u>Lanius ludovicianus</u>	loggerhead shrike
Family:	<i>Sturnidae</i> <u>Sturnus vulgaris</u>	European starling
Family:	<i>Vireonidae</i> <u>Vireo griseus</u> <u>Vireo flavifrons</u> <u>Vireo olivaceus</u>	white-eyed vireo yellow-throated vireo red-eyed vireo
Family:	<i>Parulidae</i> <u>Vermivora chrysoptera</u> <u>Vermivora peregrina</u> <u>Vermivora pinus</u> <u>Parula americana</u> <u>Dendroica cerulea</u> <u>Dendroica coronata</u> <u>Dendroica dominica</u> <u>Dendroica magnolia</u> <u>Dendroica pinus</u> <u>Mniotilta varia</u> <u>Oporornis formosus</u> <u>Seiurus aurocapilla</u> <u>Setophaga ruticilla</u> <u>Protonotaria citrea</u> <u>Geothlypis nelsoni</u> <u>Geothlypis trichas</u> <u>Icteria virens</u>	golden-winged warbler Tennessee warbler blue-winged warbler northern parula cerulean warbler yellow-rumped warbler yellow-throated warbler magnolia warbler pine warbler black-and-white warbler Kentucky warbler ovenbird American redstart prothonotary warbler hooded yellowthroat common yellowthroat yellow-breasted chat
Family:	<i>Thraupidae</i> <u>Piranga rubra</u> <u>Piranga olivacea</u>	summer tanager scarlet tanager
Family:	<i>Cardinalidae</i> <u>Cardinalis cardinalis</u> <u>Passerina caerulea</u> <u>Passerina cyanea</u> <u>Passerina ciris</u> <u>Spiza americana</u>	northern cardinal blue grosbeak indigo bunting painted bunting dickcissel
Family:	<i>Emberizidae</i> <u>Pipilo erythrophthalmus</u> <u>Ammodramus henslowii</u> <u>Aimophila aestivalis</u> <u>Spizella passerina</u> <u>Spizella pusilla</u> <u>Passerella iliaca</u> <u>Passerculus sandwichensis</u> <u>Melospiza georgiana</u> <u>Melospiza melodia</u> <u>Zonotrichia albicollis</u> <u>Zonotrichia leucophrys</u> <u>Junco hyemalis</u>	eastern towhee Henslow's sparrow Bachman's sparrow chipping sparrow field sparrow fox sparrow savannah sparrow swamp sparrow song sparrow white-throated sparrow white-crowned sparrow dark-eyed junco
Family:	<i>Icteridae</i> <u>Dolichonyx oryzivorus</u> <u>Agelaius phoeniceus</u>	bobolink red-winged blackbird

	<u>Sturnella magna</u>	eastern meadowlark
	<u>Quiscalus quiscula</u>	common grackle
	<u>Molothrus ater</u>	brown-headed cowbird
	<u>Icterus spurius</u>	orchard oriole
	<u>Icterus galbula</u>	Baltimore oriole
Family:	Fringillidae	
	<u>Carpodacus purpureus</u>	purple finch
	<u>Carpodacus mexicanus</u>	house finch
	<u>Spinus tristis</u>	American goldfinch
Family:	Passeridae	
	<u>Passer domesticus</u>	house sparrow

MAMMAL SPECIES

Order:	<i>Didelphimorphia</i>	
Family:	<i>Didelphidae</i>	
	<u><i>Didelphis virginiana</i></u>	Virginia opossum
Order:	<i>Insectivora</i>	
Family:	<i>Soricidae</i>	
	<u><i>Blarina carolinensis</i></u>	southern short-tailed shrew
	<u><i>Cryptotis parva</i></u>	least shrew
Order:	<i>Insectivora</i>	
	Family: <i>Talpidae</i>	
	<u><i>Scalopus aquaticus</i></u>	eastern mole
Order:	<i>Chiroptera</i>	
Family:	<i>Vespertilionidae</i>	
	<u><i>Eptesicus fuscus</i></u>	big brown bat
	<u><i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i></u>	silver-haired bat
	<u><i>Lasiuris borealis</i></u>	red bat
	<u><i>Lasiuris cinereus</i></u>	hoary bat
	<u><i>Myotis grisescens</i></u>	gray myotis
	<u><i>Pipistrellus subflavus</i></u>	eastern pipistrelle
Order:	<i>Xenarthra</i>	
Family:	<i>Dasypodidae</i>	
	<u><i>Dasypus novemcinctus</i></u>	nine-banded armadillo
Order:	<i>Lagomorpha</i>	
Family:	<i>Leporidae</i>	
	<u><i>Sylvilagus aquaticus</i></u>	swamp rabbit
	<u><i>Sylvilagus floridanus</i></u>	eastern cottontail
	<u><i>Lepus californicus</i></u>	black-tailed jackrabbit
Order:	<i>Rodentia</i>	
Family:	<i>Sciuridae</i>	
	<u><i>Glaucomys volans</i></u>	southern flying squirrel
	<u><i>Marmota monax</i></u>	woodchuck
	<u><i>Sciurus carolinensis</i></u>	gray squirrel
	<u><i>Sciurus niger</i></u>	fox squirrel
	<u><i>Tamias striatus</i></u>	eastern chipmunk
Family:	<i>Geomyidae</i>	
	<u><i>Geomys breviceps</i></u>	Baird's pocket gopher
Family:	<i>Castoridae</i>	
	<u><i>Castor canadensis</i></u>	American beaver

Order: Rodentia

Family: Muridae

<u>Neotoma floridana</u>	eastern wood rat
<u>Ochrotomys nuttalli</u>	golden mouse
<u>Oryzomys palustris</u>	marsh rice rat
<u>Peromyscus leucopus</u>	white-footed mouse
<u>Peromyscus maniculatus</u>	deer mouse
<u>Sigmodon hispidus</u>	hispid cotton rat
<u>Synaptomys cooperi</u>	southern bog lemming
<u>Microtus pinetorum</u>	woodland vole
<u>Ondatra zibethicus</u>	common muskrat
<u>Mus musculus</u>	house mouse
<u>Rattus norvegicus</u>	Norway rat
<u>Rattus rattus</u>	black rat

Family: Myocastoridae

<u>Myocastor coypus</u>	nutria
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Order: Carnivora

Family: Ursidae

<u>Ursus americanus</u>	American black bear
<u>Ursus arctos</u>	brown bear

Family: Procyonidae

<u>Procyon lotor</u>	raccoon
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Family: Felidae

<u>Felis concolor</u>	mountain lion
<u>Felis catus</u>	house cat
<u>Lynx rufus</u>	bobcat

Family: Canidae

<u>Canis latrans</u>	coyote
<u>Canis familiaris</u>	domestic dog
<u>Vulpes vulpes</u>	red fox
<u>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</u>	gray fox

Family: Mustelidae

<u>Lutra canadensis</u>	river otter
<u>Mephitis mephitis</u>	striped skunk
<u>Mustela frenata</u>	long-tailed weasel
<u>Mustela vison</u>	mink
<u>Spilogale putorius</u>	spotted skunk

Order: Artiodactyla

Family: Cervidae

<u>Odocoileus virginianus</u>	white-tailed deer
<u>Odocoileus hemionus</u>	mule deer
<u>Cervus elaphus</u>	elk
<u>Alces alces</u>	moose
<u>Rangifer tarandus</u>	caribou

Family: Antilocapridae

Antilocapra americana

pronghorn

Family: Bovidae

Bison bison

bison

Bos taurus

cow

Capra hircus

domestic goat

Order: Perissodactyla

Family: Equidae

Equus caballus

horse

WILDLIFE FOODS LIST

Deer Food Plants

Common Name

rattan vine
American beautyberry
blackberry / dewberry
blueberry / huckleberry
dogwood
greenbrier
hawthorn
Japanese honeysuckle
oak
common persimmon
plum
possumhaw
water and black tupelo / blackgum
wild grape
yellow-poplar
American strawberry-bush
trumpet-creeper
vetch
milk pea
clover
American beech
honeylocust

Latin

Berchemia scandens
Callicarpa americana
Rubus spp.
Vaccinium spp.
Cornus spp.
Smilax spp.
Crataegus spp.
Lonicera japonica
Quercus spp.
Diospyros spp.
Prunus spp.
Viburnum spp.
Nyssa spp.
Vitis spp.
Liriodendron tulipifera
Euonymus americanus
Campsis radicans
Vicia spp.
Galactia spp.
Trifolium spp.
Fagus grandifolia
Gleditsia triacanthos

Squirrel Food Plants

Common Name

American beech
pecan / hickory
pine
oak
rattan vine
common persimmon
plum

Latin

Fagus grandifolia
Carya spp.
Pinus spp.
Quercus spp.
Berchemia scandens
Diospyros spp.
Prunus spp.

black cherry
possumhaw
red mulberry
water and black tupelo / blackgum
wild grape
dogwood
eastern hophornbeam
ironwood
fungi
black walnut
yellow poplar
maple
Corn

Quail Food Plants

Common Name

partridge pea
common ragweed
beggar lice
milk-pea
butterfly pea
3-seeded mercury
lespedezas
crotons
vetch
panicgrass
millets
grain sorghum
blackberry / dewberry
blueberry / huckleberry
poison-ivy
wild grape
black cherry
plum
American beautyberry
common persimmon
dogwood
black tupelo / blackgum
pine
oak

Dove Food Plants

Common Name

doveweed
evening primrose
common pokeweed
common ragweed
Carolina geranium
lespedezas

Prunus spp.
Viburnum spp.
Morus rubra
Nyssa spp.
Vitis spp.
Cornus spp.
Ostrya spp.
Carpinus spp.

Juglans nigra
Liriodendron tulipifera
Acer spp.
Zea spp.

Latin

Chamaecrista fasciculata
Ambrosia artemisiifolia
Desmodium spp.
Galactia spp.
Centrosema spp.
Acalypha gracilens
Lespedeza spp.
Croton spp.
Vicia spp.
Dichanthelium spp.
Echinochloa sp.
Sorghum spp.
Rubus spp.
Vaccinium spp.
Toxicodendron spp.
Vitis spp.
Prunus spp.
Prunus spp.
Callicarpa americana
Diospyros spp.
Cornus spp.
Nyssa sylvatica
Pinus spp.
Quercus spp.

Latin

Croton spp.
Oenothera spp.
Phytolacca americana
Ambrosia artemisiifolia
Geranium spp.
Lespedeza spp.

panicgrass
crabgrass
foxtail
pine

Dichanthelium spp.
Digitaria spp.
Setaria spp.
Pinus spp.

Duck Food Plants

Common Name

wild millet
smartweed
pondweed
bullrush
umbrella sedges
rice cutgrass
wild rice

Latin

Echinochloa spp.
Polygonum spp.
Potamogeton spp.
Scirpus spp.
Cyperus spp.
Leersia spp.
Zizania spp.

Turkey Food Plants

Common Name

oak
blackberry / dewberry
blueberry / huckleberry
hollies
poison-ivy
wild grape
black cherry
clover
panicgrass
millets
beggartick
plum
common persimmon
dogwood
black tupelo / blackgum
American beech
chufa

Latin

Quercus spp.
Rubus spp.
Vaccinium spp.
Ilex spp.
Toxicodendron spp.
Vitis spp.
Prunus spp.
Trifolium spp.
Dichanthelium spp.
Echinochloa sp.
Bidens spp.
Prunus spp.
Diospyros spp.
Cornus spp.
Nyssa sylvatica
Fagus grandifolia
Cyperus spp.

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