Checklist of Birds Observed at the Botanical Gardens at Asheville (updated 2020)

Herons

- Green Heron
- Little Blue Heron
- Great Blue Heron
- Great Egret

Geese and Ducks

- Wood Duck
- Canada Goose
- Mallard

Vultures

Turkey Vulture Black Vulture

Hawks, Falcons, Osprey

Sharp-shinned Hawk Cooper's Hawk Red-shouldered Hawk American Kestrel Broad-winged Hawk Red-tailed Hawk Osprey Merlin Turkeys and relatives

Wild Turkey

Doves

_____Mourning Dove

Owls

- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Barred Owl

Nightjars

Whip-poor-will Chuck-will's-widow

Hummingbirds and Swifts

Chimney Swift Ruby Throated Hummingbird

Kingfishers Belted Kingfisher

Woodpeckers

Red-bellied Woodpecker Sapsucker Downy Woodpecker Red-headed Woodpecker Northern Flicker Pileated Woodpecker Hairy Woodpecker

Flycatchers

- Eastern Wood-Pewee
- Eastern Kingbird
- Eastern Phoebe
- Great Crested Flycatcher

Vireos

White-eyed Vireo Red-eyed vireo Blue-headed Vireo Yellow-throated vireo

Jays and Crows

- American Crow
- Fish Crow
- Blue Jay

Swallows

- Barn Swallow Northern Rough-winged Swallow
- Tree Swallow

Chickadees and Titmice

- Carolina Chickadee
- Tufted Titmouse

Nuthatches

Red-breasted Nuthatch White-breasted Nuthatch Brown-headed Nuthatch

Creepers

Brown Creeper

Wrens

Winter Wren House Wren Carolina Wren

Kinglets and Gnatcatchers

Golden-crowned Kinglet Blue-gray Gnatcatcher Ruby-crowned Kinglet

Thrushes and Bluebirds

___Hermit Thrush ___Swainson's Thrush ___American Robin ___Wood Thrush __Eastern Bluebird ___Veery ___Gray Cheeked Thrush

Mockingbirds and Thrashers

- ____Northern Mockingbird
- Brown Thrasher
- __Gray Catbird

Waxwings

Cedar Waxwing

Wood Warblers

- Black-and-white Warbler
- Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Magnolia Warbler
- Cape May Warbler
- Black-throated Blue Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Yellow-breasted Chat
- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- American Redstart

Ovenbird

- Northern Waterthrush
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Worm-eating Warbler
- Hooded Warbler
- Canada Warbler
- Tenessee Warbler
- Cirulean Warbler

Blackbirds, Meadowlarks and Or

- Red-winged Blackbird
- Brown-headed Cowbird
- Common Grackle

Tanagers

Scarlet Tanager

Cardinals, Grosbeaks and Buntin

- Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- Northern Cardinal
- Indigo Bunting
- Blue Grosbeak

Finches

House Finch

Song Sparrow

Chipping Sparrow

Eastern Towhee

Fox Sparrow

Field Sparrow

Dark-eyed Junco

Introduced Species

House Sparrow

European Starling

American Goldfinch

New World Sparrows

White-crowned Sparrow

White-throated Sparrow

Pine Siskin