



Widespread Sparrows

Use this Quick Finder to identify common sparrows. See following pages for regional species. Learn more about each one at AllAboutBirds.org. Have fun!



House Sparrow
(Male)



House Sparrow
(Female)



Lapland Longspur
(Breeding Male)



Lapland Longspur
(Female and Winter Male)



Chipping Sparrow
(Breeding Adult)



Grasshopper Sparrow



American Tree Sparrow



Vesper Sparrow



Savannah Sparrow



Fox Sparrow
(Red Form)



Fox Sparrow
(Sooty Form)



Song Sparrow



Lincoln's Sparrow



Swamp Sparrow



White-throated Sparrow



White-crowned Sparrow
(Adult)



White-crowned Sparrow
(Immature)



Dark-eyed Junco
(Slate-colored)

House Sparrow (Male): Evan Lipton/ML51357991, House Sparrow (Female): Kevin J. McGowan, Lapland Longspur (Breeding Male): Jay W McGowan/ML52729781, Lapland Longspur (Female and Winter Male): Liron Gertsman/ML71841961, Chipping Sparrow: Kevin J McGowan, Grasshopper Sparrow: Caroline Lambert/ML38562651, Vesper Sparrow: Ian Davies/ML33372891, Savannah Sparrow: Kevin J McGowan, Fox Sparrow (Red Form): Daniel Irons/ML91206541, Fox Sparrow (Sooty Form): Joshua Covill/ML41994371, Song Sparrow: Luke Seitz/ML60982331, Lincoln's Sparrow: Kevin J McGowan, Swamp Sparrow: Brendan Klick/ML98734141, White-throated Sparrow: Keenan Yakola/ML63894671, White-crowned Sparrow (Adult): Kevin J McGowan, White-crowned Sparrow (Immature): DigiBirdTrek/ML78651261, Dark-eyed Junco (Slate-colored Male): Scott Martin/ML47337561



Additional Eastern Sparrows



Eastern Towhee
(Male)



Eastern Towhee
(Female)



Bachman's Sparrow



Field Sparrow



Henslow's Sparrow



Seaside Sparrow



Nelson's Sparrow



Saltmarsh Sparrow



Additional Central Sparrows



Clay-colored Sparrow



Lark Bunting
(Breeding Male)



Lark Bunting
(Female and Winter Male)



Baird's Sparrow



LeConte's Sparrow



Harris's Sparrow
(Breeding Adult)



Harris's Sparrow
(Winter Adult and Immature)



Eurasian Tree Sparrow



Chestnut-collared Longspur
(Breeding Male)



Chestnut-collared Longspur
(Female and Winter Male)



Smith's Longspur
(Breeding Male)



Smith's Longspur
(Female and Winter Male)

Clay-colored Sparrow: Bradley Hacker/ML71892801, Lark Bunting (Male): Ed Harper/ML105694121, Lark Bunting (Female): Joseph Hood/ML73318911, Baird's Sparrow: Josh Adams/ML61713781, LeConte's Sparrow: Joseph Bourget/ML72315771, Harris's Sparrow (Adult): Mike Stewart/ML88596591t, Harris's Sparrow (Immature): RJ Adams/ML79358791, Eurasian Tree Sparrow: Jeff Dale/ML59970971, Chestnut-collared Longspur (Male): James Kennerly/ML92988681, Chestnut-collared Longspur (Female): Jakob Drucker/ML40231731, Smith's Longspur (Male): Nick Hajdukovich/ML106274191, Smith's Longspur (Female): Joanne Redwood/ML42831281.



Additional Western Sparrows



Lark Sparrow



Black-throated Sparrow



Sagebrush Sparrow



Bell's Sparrow



Golden-crowned Sparrow (Breeding Adult)



Golden-crowned Sparrow (Winter Adult and Immature)



Olive Sparrow



Green-tailed Towhee



Yellow-eyed Junco



Spotted Towhee (Male)



Spotted Towhee (Female)



Five-striped Sparrow



Rufous-crowned Sparrow



Canyon Towhee



California Towhee



Abert's Towhee



Rufous-winged Sparrow



Botteri's Sparrow



Cassin's Sparrow



Brewer's Sparrow



Black-chinned Sparrow (Breeding Male)



Black-chinned Sparrow (Female and Nonbreeding)

Lark Sparrow: Jim Hully/ML48297461, Black-throated Sparrow: Janet Rathjen/ML95180731, Sagebrush Sparrow: Marky Mutchler/ML80048611, Bell's Sparrow: Dean LaTray/ML102373821, Olive Sparrow: Edward Plummer/ML79603911, Golden-crowned Sparrow (Breeding Male): Ian Davies/ML31720851, Golden-crowned Sparrow (Winter Adult and Immature): Brooke Miller/ML44444651, Green-tailed Towhee: John Sullivan/ML81891191, Yellow-eyed Junco: Luke Seitz/ML78556781, Spotted Towhee (Male): Patricia Clark/ML90647061, Spotted Towhee (Female): Kay Zagst/ML92130261, Five-striped Sparrow: Mike Charest/ML62695271, Rufous-crowned Sparrow: Andrew Johnson/ML94506191, Canyon Towhee: Jeffrey Moore/ML38644821, California Towhee: Matt Davis/ML52550811, Abert's Towhee: Lindsay Story/ML87693271, Rufous-winged Sparrow: Paul Suchanek/ML21493611, Botteri's Sparrow: Arlene Ripley/ML67117931, Cassin's Sparrow: Brian Sullivan, Brewer's Sparrow: Steven Mlodinow/ML85713701, Black-chinned Sparrow (Breeding Male): James Hully/ML48234101, Black-chinned Sparrow (Female and Nonbreeding): William Higgins/ML45617841