

Checklist of the 27 Species of Birds of Prey of Quebec

As you start to observe raptors, check off the ones you see!

ORDER FALCONIFORMES

Family Accipitridae

Subfamily Accipitrinae (Accipiter Hawks)

- Sharp-shinned Hawk, Épervier brun (*Accipiter striatus*)
- Cooper's Hawk, Épervier de Cooper (*Accipiter cooperii*)
- Northern Goshawk, Autour des palombes (*Accipiter gentilis*)

Subfamily Circinae (Harrier)

- Northern Harrier, Busard Saint-Martin (*Circus cyaneus*)

Subfamily Buteoninae (Hawks and Eagles)

- Red-tailed Hawk, Buse à queue rousse (*Buteo jamaicensis*)
- Rough-legged Hawk, Buse pattue (*Buteo lagopus*)
- Red-shouldered Hawk, Buse à épaulettes (*Buteo lineatus*)
- Broad-winged Hawk, Petite buse (*Buteo platypterus*)
- Bald Eagle, Pygargue à tête blanche (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*)
- Golden Eagle, Aigle royal (*Aquila chrysaetos*)

Subfamily Pandioninae (Osprey)

- Osprey, Balbuzard (*Pandion haliaetus*)

FAMILY FALCONIDAE (Caracaras and Falcons)

Subfamily Falconinae (Falcons)

- American Kestrel, Crécerelle d'amérique (*Falco sparverius*)
- Merlin, Faucon émerillon (*Falco columbarius*)
- Perigrine Falcon, Faucon pèlerin (*Falco peregrinus*)
- Gyrfalcon, Faucon gerfaut (*Falco rusticolus*)

ORDER CICONIIFORMES (since 1994)

FAMILY CATHARTIDAE (New World Vultures)

- Turkey Vulture, Urubu à tête rouge (*Cathartes aura*)

ORDER STRIGIFORMES

FAMILY TYTONIDAE (Barn Owls)

- Barn Owl, Effraie des clochers (*Tyto alba*)

FAMILY STRIGIDAE (Owls)

- Short-eared Owl, Hibou des marais (*Asio flammeus*)
- Eastern Screech-Owl, Petit-duc maculé (*Otus asio*)
- Long-eared Owl, Hibou moyen-duc (*Asio otus*)
- Great Horned Owl, Grand-duc d'amérique (*Bubo virginianus*)
- Snowy Owl, Harfang des neiges (*Bubo scandiaca*)
- Barred Owl, Chouette rayée (*Strix varia*)
- Great gray Owl, Chouette Lapone (*Strix nebulosa*)
- Boreal Owl, Nyctale de Tengmalm (*Aegolius funereus*)
- Northern Saw-whet Owl, Petite Nyctale (*Aegolius acadicus*)
- Northern Hawk-Owl, Chouette épervière (*Surnia ulula*)

