

# Common Wetland Birds of Central California

## Grebes

**Eared Grebe** *spring-summer plumage*

**Horned Grebe** *spring-summer plumage*

**Pied-billed Grebe** *spring-summer plumage*

**Western Grebe**

## Cormorants & Pelicans

**American White Pelican**

**Brown Pelican**

**Double-crested Cormorant** *adult* and *juvenile*

## Ducks

### Dabbling Ducks

**American Wigeon** ♀

**Cinnamon Teal** ♀

**Green-winged Teal** ♀

**Northern Pintail** ♀

**Northern Shoveler** ♀

### Diving Ducks

**Ruddy Duck** ♀

**Red-breasted Merganser** ♀

**Bufflehead** ♀

**Common Goldeneye** ♀

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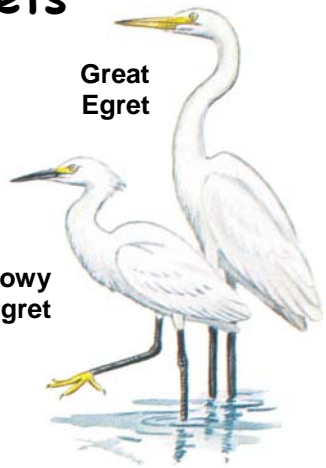


# Herons & Egrets

Black-crowned Night Heron



Great Egret



Snowy Egret



Great Blue Heron



# Coots

American Coot



# Kingfishers

Belted Kingfisher



# Shorebirds

## Stilts & Avocets



American Avocet

spring-summer plumage



Black-necked Stilt



spring-summer plumage



Black-bellied Plover



Semipalmated Plover

Snowy Plover



Killdeer

## Plovers



Least Sandpiper

spring-summer plumage



Dunlin

Western Sandpiper

## Sandpipers

Dowitcher



Whimbrel

Long-billed Curlew



Willet



Marbled Godwit

# Gulls & Terns

Forster's Tern



spring-summer plumage

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Caspian Tern

California Gull



Ring-billed Gull

Western Gull



Glaucous-winged Gull