

WE ARE LEARNING BIRD CALLS and BIRD IDENTIFICATION! The photo is a robin eating a worm in our Bird Sanctuary!



Learning bird calls is fun and the cool thing is that these are birds all around us. Once you get to know their sounds, even if you can't see them, you can hear them around you: At some point over the next week, listen to all of them and pick the 5 you most want to learn. I suggest you start with the ones on the first page since they are the ones you are most likely to hear and see.

When you click the site, you can listen to the sound or you can click "sounds". There will be a movie there of the bird and then a variety of its calls. Be prepared to tell the class ways you remember which bird makes which sound... good site to help from audubon society

<https://www.audubon.org/news/get-know-these-15-common-birds>

Our Bird of the month--- American Robin -

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/American_Robin/

Cardinal - Northern Cardinal: Sounds like it's saying peanut butter peanut butter peanut butter peanut butter all right all right all right all right

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Northern_Cardinal/

Red Tailed Hawk: https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Red-tailed_Hawk/

Black Capped Chickadee: There are two main sounds... slow... fee bee, fee bee sound and then sometimes the faster chic a dee dee dee,

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Black-capped_Chickadee

Blue Jay: https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/blue_jay

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Blue_Jay/sounds

Mourning Dove: hooooo hoo hoo hoo

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Mourning_Dove/

Bald Eagle: From the eagle cam- these are now easier to know.

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/bald_eagle

Brown-headed cowbird

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Brown-headed_Cowbird/sounds

Carolina Wren: https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/carolina_wren

Downy Woodpecker:

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/downy_woodpecker

American Goldfinch: To me it sounds like a fast twee, twee, tweet twee.

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/American_Goldfinch/

Baltimore Oriole: To me it sounds like: tweet - pause - twee, twee twee twee ,
Tweet, pause... twee, twee twee twee

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Baltimore_Oriole

Nuthatch: To me it sounds like it is saying; ha ha ha ha

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/White-breasted_Nuthatch/sounds

Red winged blackbird: To me it sounds like it is announcing a king or something: da da dah!!

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Red-winged_Blackbird/

Northern Mockingbird: This is a hard one because they make so many kinds of sounds. But, they go on so long, that it's one way to identify them.

[longhttps://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Northern_Mockingbird/](https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Northern_Mockingbird/)

Cedar Waxwing! A student and parent saw this bird the other day at Driscoll!

https://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Cedar_Waxwing/id#