

Birds in the Botanical Garden

The garden provides habitat for an array of wildlife. With a variety of food sources and nesting areas, many birds stop by or call the garden home. This is a small selection of birds commonly seen or heard at the UCLA Mildred E. Mathias Botanical Garden.



Allen's Hummingbird

Selasphorus sasin

Food: Nectar

This is male, the female is more green.



Anna's Hummingbird

Calypte anna

Food: Nectar

This is a male, the female is more green.



Bushtit

Psaltriparus minimus

Food: Insects



California Towhee

Melospiza crissalis

Food: Seeds



Dark-eyed Junco

Junco hyemalis

Food: Seeds



Hooded Oriole

Icterus cucullatus

Food: Insects and nectar



House Finch

Haemorhous mexicanus

Food: Seeds



Lesser Goldfinch

Spinus psaltria

Food: Seeds

Specimen on the left is female, right is male.



Northern Mockingbird

Mimus polyglottos

Food: Insects and fruits



Nuttall's Woodpecker

Picoides nuttallii

Food: Insects



Spotted Towhee

Pipilo maculatus

Food: Insects, fruits, and seeds



Yellow Chevroned Parakeet

Brotogeris chiriri

Food: Fruits, seeds, and nectar