

## Zoos Across America

### A list of zoos in the United States

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#### ARIZONA

##### Wildlife World Zoo

16501 W. Northern, Witchfield Park, 85340

What You'll See: Twelve hundred birds on display. Lory and toucan interactive feeding exhibits, free-flight bird show and an African walk-through aviary.

Contact: (623) 935-WILD

#### CALIFORNIA

##### Oakland Zoo

9777 Golf Links Rd., Oakland, 94605

What You'll See: Several aviaries: Fischer's lovebirds, hornbills, Princess parrot, Pionus parrot, doves and pigeons, and blue-and-gold macaws; Wildlife Theater in Children's zoo, which includes cockatoos.

Contact: [www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org),  
(510) 632-9525

##### Sacramento Zoo

3930 W. Land Park, Dr., Sacramento, 95822

What You'll See: Hornbills, African grey, toucans, Amazon, thick-billed parrots.

Contact: [www.saczoo.com](http://www.saczoo.com),  
(916) 264-5885

##### San Diego Zoo

2000 Zoo Dr., San Diego, 92101

What You'll See: Macaws, mynah, hummingbirds and bearded barbets; "Flights of Fancy," once or twice a day, a free-flying flock of 11 macaws take to the air at the zoo; Scripps Aviary's African rain forest includes 200 birds and waterfalls; two aviaries in the Monkey Trails exhibit.

Contact: [www.sandiegozoo.org](http://www.sandiegozoo.org),  
(619) 231-1515,

##### San Diego Zoo's Wild Animal Park

5500 San Pasqual Valley Rd., Escondido, 92027

What You'll See: Lorikeet landing offers the chance to feed nectar to these parrots. Other exhibits include "Condor Ridge" and a "Frequent Flyers" show.

Contact: [www.sandiegowildanimalpark.org](http://www.sandiegowildanimalpark.org)  
(619) 231-1515

##### Santa Ana Zoo

1801 E. Chestnut Ave., Santa Ana, 92701

What You'll See: Caiques, macaws, Amazon, several toucan species and a hornbill

Contact: [santaanazoo.org](http://santaanazoo.org), (714) 836-4000

#### GEORGIA

##### Zoo Atlanta

800 Cherokee Ave, SE, Atlanta 30315

What You'll See: More than 45 species: sun conures, ground hornbill and turacos; "Wildlife Birds Show."

Contact: [www.zooatlanta.org](http://www.zooatlanta.org),  
(404) 624-5600

FLORIDA

Aviary & Zoo of Naples  
9824 Immokalee Rd, Naples, FL 34120  
What You'll See: Sanctuary, park, and zoo all in one. Where animals reign supreme.  
Contact: [aviaryofnaples.com](http://aviaryofnaples.com)  
(239) 353-2215

Busch Gardens Tampa Bay  
Corner of Busch Blvd. and 40th St., Tampa  
What You'll See: Hornbills; "Lory Landing" is a domed habitat that showcases lorries and turacos. Also a bird show in the Bird Gardens Theater with Amazons, macaws, hornbills, Eclectus and other birds.  
Contact: [www.buschgardenstampabay.com](http://www.buschgardenstampabay.com)  
(888)-800-5447

Gulf World Marine Park  
15412 Front Beach Rd., Panama City Beach, 32413  
What You'll See: A 20,000-square-foot aviary; macaws, cockatoos, toucans, Amazons, African greys, conures, grass parakeets and a variety of finches and canaries; bird show several times a day.  
Contact: [www.gulfworldmarinepark.com](http://www.gulfworldmarinepark.com)  
(850) 234-5271

Miami Metrozoo  
12400 SW 152nd St., Miami, 33177  
What You'll See: Palm cockatoos, Pesquet's parrots, black-necked storks; The American Bankers Family "Wings of Asia," a 54,000-square-foot tropical Asian aviary with about 300 birds.  
Contact: [www.miamimetrozoo.com](http://www.miamimetrozoo.com),  
(305) 251-0400

Naples Zoo at Caribbean Gardens  
1590 Goodlette Frank Rd., Naples, 34102  
What You'll See: Small collection of parrots, including macaws.  
Contact: [www.napleszoo.com](http://www.napleszoo.com),  
(239) 262-5409

Parrot Jungle Island  
1111 Parrot Jungle Trail, Miami, 33132  
Aviaries and exhibits located throughout the park.  
Contact: [www.parrotjungle.com](http://www.parrotjungle.com)  
305-400-7216

Sarasota Jungle Gardens  
3701 Bay Shore Road, Sarasota, 34234  
What You'll See: A variety of bird species including macaws, Amazons, conures, eclectus, cockatoos, and turacos.  
Contact: [www.sarasotajunglegardens.com](http://www.sarasotajunglegardens.com)  
(941) 355-5305

Tampa's Lowry Park Zoo  
1101 W. Sligh Ave., Tampa, 33604  
What You'll See: Three hundred to 350 individual birds on exhibit in the zoo's two free-flight aviaries and Florida Boardwalk, including macaws and toco toucans. Lorikeet Landing is a free-flight aviary where visitors can feed the birds with nectar.  
Contact: [www.lowryparkzoo.com](http://www.lowryparkzoo.com),  
(813) 935-8552

ILLINOIS

Miller Park Zoo  
1020 S. Morris Ave., Bloomington, IL 61701

What You'll See: Tropical America Rainforest, with more than 20 species of free-flying birds, including tanagers, red-fronted macaws, Amazons, parrotlets, pigeons and saffron finch; summer bird show each Tuesday, Thursday, and Sunday.  
Contact: [www.millerparkzoo.org](http://www.millerparkzoo.org),  
(309) 663-5906

## INDIANA

### Fort Wayne Children's Zoo

3411 Sherman Blvd., Fort Wayne, 46808

What You'll See: The family-oriented zoo exhibits more than 500 individual birds on 38 acres. Includes free-flying fruit doves and pigeons; an aviary with Australian rainbow lorikeets, five species of rosellas; a breeding colony of African black-masked lovebirds; an Australian finch aviary; and macaws; award-winning rain forest exhibit and a half-acre walk-through aviary.

Contact: [www.kidszoo.org](http://www.kidszoo.org),  
(260) 427-6800

### Indianapolis Zoo

1200 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, 46222

What You'll See: An interactive lorikeet exhibit features 33 birds of six species. Small cups of nectar may be purchased.

Contact: [www.indianapoliszoo.com](http://www.indianapoliszoo.com),  
(317) 630-2001

### Potawatomi Zoo

500 Greenlawn Ave., South Bend, 46615

What You'll See: Hornbills, Swainson's and keel-billed toucans, paradise tanagers, fairy blue birds and African cranes.

Contact: [www.potawatomizoo.org](http://www.potawatomizoo.org),  
(574) 235-9800

## IOWA

### Blank Park Zoo

7401 SW 9th St.,  
Des Moines, 50315

What You'll See: More than 120 free-flight avian species, including green-winged doves, 40 Gouldian finches, lilac-crowned fruit pigeons, Livingston's turaco, and a scarlet macaw clay river bank.

Contact: [www.blankparkzoo.com](http://www.blankparkzoo.com),  
(515) 285-4722

## KANSAS

### Lee Richardson Zoo

3121 Finnup Dr., Garden City, 67846

What You'll See: Turacos, lovebirds and lots of swans and ducks in the aviary.

Contact: [www.garden-city.org/zoo/](http://www.garden-city.org/zoo/),  
(620) 276-1250

### Sedgwick County Zoo

5555 W. Zoo Blvd., Wichita, 67212

What You'll See: Australian and South American outdoor walkway, which houses more than 100 species of free-flight birds, including seven species of macaws, guam rail, bleeding-heart pigeon, lorikeets, palm cockatoos, king parrots and eight species of Amazons.

Contact: [www.scz.org](http://www.scz.org)  
(316) 660-WILD

## KENTUCKY

### The Louisville Zoo

1100 Trevilian Way Louisville, KY 40213

Lorikeet Landing at Rainbow Springs is located in the Australian Area  
Contact: [www.louisvillezoo.org](http://www.louisvillezoo.org)  
502-459-2181

#### LOUSIANNA

BREC's Baton Rouge Zoo  
3601 Thomas Rd., Baton Rouge, 70807  
What You'll See: "Tropical Bird House" houses both softbills and hornbills and the "African Flight Exhibit" contains turacos, sacred ibis and waterfowl.  
Contact: [www.brzoo.org](http://www.brzoo.org)  
(225) 775-3877

#### MARYLAND

Salisbury Zoo  
755 South Park Dr., Salisbury, 21802  
What You'll See: Two species of macaws and Amazons, and sun conures  
Contact: [www.salisburyzoo.org](http://www.salisburyzoo.org),  
(410) 548-3188

#### MASSACHUSETTS

Franklin Park Zoo  
1 Franklin Park Rd., Boston, 02121  
What You'll See: Lorikeets, cockatoos, African greys, Patagonian conure, blue-crowned hanging parrot, hornbills and Bali mynah. Two avian exhibits: Bird's World, opened in 1913, separated into five habitats with free-flight birds; The Tropical Forest with hornbills and turacos.  
Contact: [www.zoonewengland.com](http://www.zoonewengland.com),  
(617) 989-2000

#### MICHIGAN

Detroit Zoological Institute  
Ten Mile Rd. & Woodward Ave., Royal Oak, 48073  
What You'll See: Walk-through aviary with more than 130 individuals of 30 species, including softbills, parrots, turacos and fruit doves.  
Contact: [www.detroitzoo.org](http://www.detroitzoo.org),  
(248) 398-0903

John Ball Zoological Gardens  
1300 W. Fulton St., Grand Rapids, 49504  
What You'll See: The 2005 budgie exhibit contained more than 300 budgies and the exhibit will be expanded for 2006. Also ground hornbills and a South American Boardwalk. Daily bird show.  
Contact: [www.johnballzoosociety.org](http://www.johnballzoosociety.org),  
(616) 336-4301

#### MINNESOTA

Minnesota Zoo  
13000 Zoo Blvd., Apple Valley, 5512  
What You'll See: Green aracari, Bali mynahs and greater Indian hornbills; the "World of Birds Show" six days a week.  
Contact: [www.mnzoo.org](http://www.mnzoo.org)  
(952) 431-9500

#### NEBRASKA

Riverside Zoo  
1600 S. Beltline Hwy. W., Scottsbluff, 69361  
What You'll See: A sympatric, mixed species exhibit with normal grey cockatiels and bearded dragons.

Contact: [www.riversidezoo.org](http://www.riversidezoo.org)  
(308) 630-6236

#### NEW JERSEY

##### Popcorn Park Zoo

Humane Way, Forked River, 08731

What You'll See: This 7-acre rescue zoo is home to 20 cockatiels, 20 budgies, 12 finches, two Amazons, a cockatoo, an African grey and two macaws. Wildlife Club sponsorships for the birds that live at the zoo offer members updates and photos of their sponsored animal.

Contact: [www.ahscares.org](http://www.ahscares.org)  
(609) 693-1900,

#### NEW MEXICO

##### Rio Grande Zoo

903 Tenth St., SW, Albuquerque, 87102

What You'll See: Umbrella cockatoo, Amazon, several species of macaws, sun conure, Abyssinian ground hornbill, Swainson's toucan, pigeons, lorikeet and many birds of prey; the "World Animal Encounters Show" features macaws, hornbills and birds of prey.

Contact: [www.cabq.gov/biopark/zoo](http://www.cabq.gov/biopark/zoo),  
(505) 764-6236

#### NEW YORK

##### The Buffalo Zoo

300 Parkside Ave., Buffalo, 14214

What You'll See: The Scrub Forest contains Cloncurry parrots, Princess parrots, red-rumped parrots, Eastern rosellas and Bourke's parrots. At Lorikeet Landing visitors can feed lorries, and in late 2006 or early 2007, a South American Rainforest will open with dozens of free-flight birds and an observation deck that offers a view of the canopy and a two-story waterfall.

Contact: [www.buffalozoo.org](http://www.buffalozoo.org),  
(716) 837-3900

##### Rosamond Gifford Zoo at Burnet Park

1 Conservation Pl., Syracuse, 13204

What You'll See: Twenty-six species of birds reside in the aviary here: hyacinth macaws, blue crowned motmots, bleeding heart doves and lorikeets.

Contact: [www.rosamondgiffordzoo.org](http://www.rosamondgiffordzoo.org),  
(315) 435-8511

##### Wildlife Conservation Society's Bronx Zoo

Bronx River Pkwy at Fordham Rd., Bronx, 10460

What You'll See: Hornbills, flamingos and penguins, blue-fronted and Cuban Amazons and silvery-cheeked and trumpeter hornbills; an exhibit of lovebirds at the Carter Giraffe Building.

Contact: [www.bronxzoo.com](http://www.bronxzoo.com)  
(718) 367-1010

#### OHIO

##### Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden

3400 Vine St., Cincinnati, 45220

What You'll See: "A Celebration of Flight," exhibit 160 species of birds, including including the paradise Tanager, Pesquet's parrot, rhinoceros hornbill and king penguins. The summer show, "Great American Wings of Wonder Bird Show," features 21 species of birds, including macaws. Passenger Pigeon Memorial.

Contact: [www.cincinnati-zoo.org](http://www.cincinnati-zoo.org),  
(800)-94-HIPPO

##### Cleveland Metroparks Zoo

3900 Wildlife Way, Cleveland, 44109

What You'll See: Three species of macaws, lorikeets, palm and sulphur-crested cockatoos, African grey, toucan and thick-billed parrots; "Dr Zoolittle's Wild Animal Show," features trained parrots and other birds.

Contact: [www.clemetzoo.com](http://www.clemetzoo.com)  
(216) 661-6500

Toledo Zoo

2700 Broadway, 43609

What You'll See: Cuban Amazons, Goldie's lorikeet, exotic pigeons and hornbills; presented a 1999 Exhibit Award for Excellence for the aviary.

Contact: [www.toledo zoo.org](http://www.toledo zoo.org)  
(419) 385-5721

## PENNSYLVANIA

National Aviary, Allegheny Commons West, Pittsburgh, 15212

What You'll See: An indoor, nonprofit zoo dedicated exclusively to birds. Contains more than 700 birds: barbets, conures, macaws, flamingos, cockatoos and many more; "Wetlands of the America" exhibit, a lush free-flight exhibit, Tropical Forest exhibit; summer bird show with trained parrots, ravens, owls and hornbills.

Contact: [www.aviary.org](http://www.aviary.org)  
(412) 323-7235

The Philadelphia Zoo

400 West Girard Ave., Philadelphia, 19104

What You'll See: The collection houses 350 birds, including hyacinth macaws, victoria-crowned pigeons and Kingfishers.

Contact: [www.philadelphi zoo.org](http://www.philadelphi zoo.org),  
(215) 243-1100

## RHODE ISLAND

Roger Williams Park Zoo

1000 Elmwood Ave., Providence, 02907

What You'll See: Bali mynah, Eastern rosella, pigeons and doves; wetlands trail with native birds, including blue herons.

Contact: [www.rogerwilliamsparkzoo.org](http://www.rogerwilliamsparkzoo.org),  
(401) 785-3510

## SOUTH CAROLINA

Riverbanks Zoo and Garden

500 Wildlife Pkwy., Columbia, 29210

What You'll See: Features three distinct avian habitats: Penguin Coast; Asian Trek, featuring the rhinoceros hornbill and the Bali mynah; and Savanna Camp, showcasing birds from Africa and South America. Received the American Zoo and Aquarium Association's Edward H. Bean Award for long-term breeding of toucans in 1997. Bird flight demonstrations are every day.

Contact: [www.riverbanks.org](http://www.riverbanks.org)  
(803) 779-8717

## SOUTH DAKOTA

Bramble Park Zoo

800 10th St., Watertown, SD 57201

What You'll See: Blue-and-gold macaws, sun conures, cockatoo, hornbills, turacos and lots of waterfowl.

Contact: [www.brambleparkzoo.com](http://www.brambleparkzoo.com),  
(605) 882-6269

## TENNESSEE

Knoxville Zoo

3500 Knoxville Zoo Dr., Knoxville, 37914



What You'll See: Fifty species of birds; bird show that features the famous African grey, Einstein, who has appeared on "The Tonight Show with Jay Leno, "Good Morning America" and "Pet Star."

Contact: [www.knoxville-zoo.org](http://www.knoxville-zoo.org),  
(865) 637-5331

UTAH

Tracy Aviary  
589 East 1300 South, Salt Lake City  
Destination Argentina, a free flight aviary featuring Argentine birds.  
Contact: [www.tracyaviary.org](http://www.tracyaviary.org)  
801-596-8500