

Queen Elizabeth Park

CHECKLIST *of* BIRDS



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RED DATA: Regional*, Global

CR Critically Endangered
EN Endangered
VU Vulnerable
NR Near Threatened
LC Least Concern
EX Extinct (regionally)
DD Data Deficient
NR Not Recognised by BirdLife International
NA Not Assessed

STATUS IN SOUTH AFRICA

V Vagrant
I Introduced

**The 2015 Eskom Red Data Book of Birds of South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland*

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ENDEMISM IN SOUTH AFRICA(not southern africa, as in field guides)

E Endemic
SLS Endemic to South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland
NE Near endemic (i.e. ~70% or more of population in RSA)
BNE Breeding near endemic

This checklist was generated using data from the Southern African Bird Atlas Project (SABAP2; sabap2.birdmap.africa) captured by citizen scientists in the surrounding area (approximately 60km²). As such, this checklist is descriptive of the general area and may include birds not normally found at this site. Rare birds with low occurrence or no reports in the atlas data may also be missing from this list.

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SPECIES	
1	Apalis, Bar-throated <i>Apalis thoracica</i>
2	Barbet, Acacia Pied <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
3	Barbet, Black-collared <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
4	Barbet, Crested <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
5	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
6	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
7	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
8	Blackcap, Bush <i>Sylvia nigricapillus</i> (VU, SLS)
9	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
10	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
11	Brubru, Brubru <i>Nilaus afer</i>
12	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
13	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
14	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
15	Bushshrike, Olive <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i>
16	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
17	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
18	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
19	Camaroptera, Green-backed <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>
20	Canary, Brimstone <i>Crithagra sulphurata</i>
21	Canary, Cape <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
22	Canary, Forest <i>Crithagra scotops</i> (SLS)
23	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
24	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
25	Chat, Mocking Cliff <i>Thamnodaea cinnamomeiventris</i>
26	Cisticola, Croaking <i>Cisticola natalensis</i>
27	Cisticola, Lazy <i>Cisticola aberrans</i>
28	Cisticola, Levallant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
29	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
30	Cisticola, Red-faced <i>Cisticola erythrops</i>
31	Cisticola, Wing-snapping <i>Cisticola ayresii</i>
32	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
33	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
35	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
36	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
37	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
38	Crane, Grey Crowned <i>Balearica regulorum</i> (EN)
39	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
40	Crow, Cape <i>Corvus capensis</i>
41	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
42	Cuckoo, African Emerald <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>
43	Cuckoo, Black <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
44	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
45	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
46	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
47	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
48	Cuckooshrike, Grey <i>Ceblepyris caesius</i>
49	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
50	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
51	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
52	Dove, Lemon <i>Columba larvata</i>
53	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
54	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
55	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>
56	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistria</i>
57	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
58	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
59	Duck, White-faced Whistling <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
60	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
61	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
62	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
63	Eagle, Crowned <i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i> (VU, NT)
64	Eagle, Long-crested <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
65	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
66	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>

SPECIES	
67	Falcon, Lanner <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
68	Falcon, Peregrine <i>Falco peregrinus</i>
69	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
70	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
71	Flufftail, Buff-spotted <i>Sarothrura elegans</i>
72	Flufftail, Red-chested <i>Sarothrura rufa</i>
73	Flycatcher, African Dusky <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
74	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
75	Flycatcher, Blue-mantled Crested <i>Trochocercus cyanomelas</i>
76	Flycatcher, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
77	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
78	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
79	Francolin, Shelley's <i>Scleroptila shelleyi</i>
80	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
81	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
82	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
83	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
84	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
85	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
86	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
87	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
88	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
89	Harrier, African Marsh <i>Circus ranivorus</i> (EN, LC)
90	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
91	Heron, Goliath <i>Ardea goliath</i>
92	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
93	Heron, Purple <i>Ardea purpurea</i>
94	Honeybird, Brown-backed <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
95	Honeyguide, Greater <i>Indicator indicator</i>
96	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
97	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
98	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
99	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>

SPECIES	
100	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
101	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
102	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
103	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
104	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
105	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
106	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
107	Kite, Yellow-billed <i>Milvus aegyptius</i>
108	Lapwing, Black-winged <i>Vanellus melanopterus</i>
109	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
110	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
111	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
112	Longclaw, Cape <i>Macronyx capensis</i>
113	Longclaw, Yellow-throated <i>Macronyx croceus</i>
114	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
115	Mannikin, Red-backed <i>Spermestes nigriceps</i>
116	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
117	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
118	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
119	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
120	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
121	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)
122	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
123	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
124	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
125	Ostrich, Common <i>Struthio camelus</i>
126	Owl, African Wood <i>Strix woodfordii</i>
127	Pigeon, African Olive <i>Columba arquatrix</i>
128	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
129	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
130	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
131	Prinia, Drakensberg <i>Prinia hypoxantha</i> (SLS)
132	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>

SPECIES	
133	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
134	Quail, Common <i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
135	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
136	Rail, African <i>Rallus caerulescens</i>
137	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
138	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
139	Robin-Chat, Chorister <i>Cossypha dichroa</i> (SLS)
140	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
141	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
142	Robin, White-starred <i>Pogonochila stellata</i>
143	Saw-wing, Black <i>Psalidoprocne pristoptera</i>
144	Scimitarbill, Common <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
145	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
146	Shelduck, South African <i>Tadorna cana</i>
147	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
148	Sparrow, Cape <i>Passer melanurus</i>
149	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
150	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
151	Sparrow, Yellow-throated Bush <i>Gymnoris superciliaris</i>
152	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
153	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
154	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
155	Spurfowl, Red-necked <i>Pternistis afer</i>
156	Starling, Black-bellied <i>Notopholia corusca</i>
157	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
158	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
159	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
160	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
161	Stork, White <i>Ciconia ciconia</i>
162	Stork, Woolly-necked <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>
163	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
164	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
165	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)

SPECIES	
166	Sunbird, Grey <i>Cyanomitra veroxii</i>
167	Sunbird, Malachite <i>Nectarinia famosa</i>
168	Sunbird, Olive <i>Cyanomitra olivacea</i>
169	Sunbird, Southern Double-collared <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> (NE)
170	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
171	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
172	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
173	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
174	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
175	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
176	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
177	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
178	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
179	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
180	Tchagra, Southern <i>Tchagra tchagra</i> (NE)
181	Thick-knee, Spotted <i>Burhinus capensis</i>
182	Thrush, Cape Rock <i>Monticola rupestris</i> (SLS)
183	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
184	Thrush, Olive <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
185	Tinkerbird, Red-fronted <i>Pogoniulus pusillus</i>
186	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>
187	Trogon, Narina <i>Apaloderma narina</i>
188	Turaco, Knysna <i>Tauraco corythaix</i> (SLS)
189	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>
190	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
191	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
192	Warbler, African Reed <i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
193	Warbler, African Yellow <i>Iduna natalensis</i>
194	Warbler, Barratt's <i>Bradypterus barratti</i> (NE)
195	Warbler, Knysna <i>Bradypterus sylvaticus</i> (VU, E)
196	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>
197	Warbler, Little Rush <i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
198	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>

SPECIES	
199	Warbler, Yellow-throated Woodland <i>Phylloscopus ruficapilla</i>
200	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
201	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
202	Waxbill, Orange-breasted <i>Amandava subflava</i>
203	Waxbill, Swee <i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i> (NE)
204	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
205	Weaver, Dark-backed <i>Ploceus bicolor</i>
206	Weaver, Eastern Golden <i>Ploceus subaureus</i>
207	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
208	Weaver, Thick-billed <i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
209	Weaver, Village <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
210	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
211	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>
212	Widowbird, Fan-tailed <i>Euplectes axillaris</i>
213	Widowbird, Long-tailed <i>Euplectes progne</i>
214	Widowbird, Red-collared <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
215	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>
216	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed <i>Campethera abingoni</i>
217	Woodpecker, Olive <i>Dendropicos griseocephalus</i>
218	Wryneck, Red-throated <i>Jynx ruficollis</i>

NOTES
