



# Lenape Names for Birds

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On this page are photos and the Lenape names for some common birds. Click on the Lenape name to hear the bird's name as pronounced by Lenape speaker Nora Thompson Dean. For those images with a speaker icon at the bottom, you may also click on the bird's photo to hear its call.



## Tànktiyas

Tufted Titmouse  
(*Parus bicolor*)



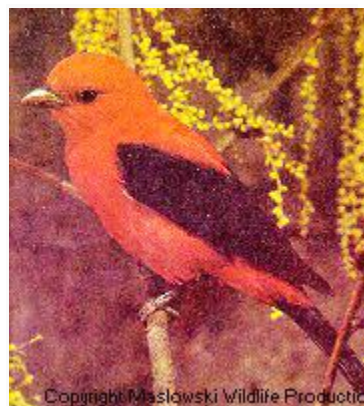
## Tàskëmus

Mockingbird  
(*Mimus polyglottos*)



## Chihopèkëlis

Eastern Bluebird  
(*Sialia sialis*)



## Wetënteis

Scarlet  
Tanager  
(*Piranga olivacea*)



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Wisawtayas

American  
Goldfinch

(*Carduelis  
tristis*)



Tihtës

Downy  
Woodpecker

(*Picoides  
pubescens*)



Sënihële

Sparrow, Hawk  
or American  
Kestrel

(*Falco  
sparverius*)



Hinutët

Wren

(*Picoides  
pubescens*)



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[Chiskukus](#)

Robin  
(*Turdus migratorius*)



[Lelèmpëlis](#)

Ruby-Throated  
Hummingbird  
(*Archilochus colubris*)

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