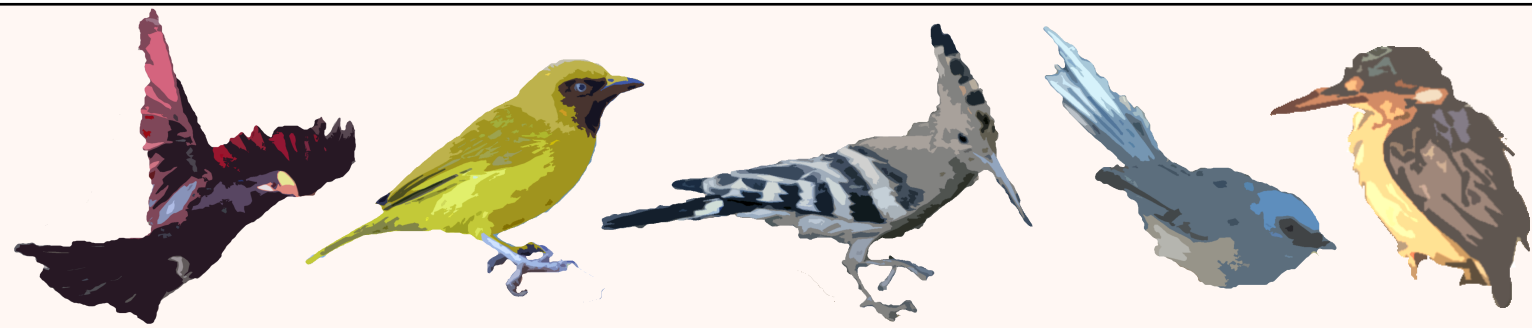




50 COMMON BIRDS OF JOS AND CENTRAL NIGERIA

This poster shows 50 of the most common species of bird found in Jos and the surrounding area, numbered roughly in order from the most common to the least common. It should be noted that populations of individual species can fluctuate from year to year and from place to place. Most of the species shown are regular visitors to urban gardens and can be seen without too much difficulty, although some of them can only be seen for part of the year. Hausa names are given, if known, although many species have several Hausa names.



1. Laughing Dove (*Streptopelia senegalensis*)
Hausa: Kurciya



2. African Thrush (*Turdus pelios*)
Hausa: Tsebebe



3. Speckled Mousebird (*Colius striatus*)



4. Common Bulbul (*Pycnonotus barbatus*)
Hausa: Kojje



5. Red-cheeked Cordon-bleu (*Uraeginthus bengalus*) Hausa: Asisita



6. Scarlet-chested Sunbird (*Chalcomitra senegalensis*) Hausa: Sha Kauci



7. Village Weaver (*Ploceus cucullatus*)
Hausa: Marai / Gado



8. Variable Sunbird (*Cinnyris venustus*)



9. Yellow-billed Kite (*Milvus aegyptius*)
Hausa: Shirwa



10. Western Grey Plantain-eater (*Crinifer piscator*) Hausa: Kulkulu



11. Yellow-crowned Gonolek (*Laniarius barbarus*) Hausa: Dan dufuwa



12. Northern Black Flycatcher (*Melaenornis edoloides*)



13. African Paradise Flycatcher* (*Terpsiphone viridis*)



14. Grey-backed Camaroptera (*Camaroptera brevicaudata*)



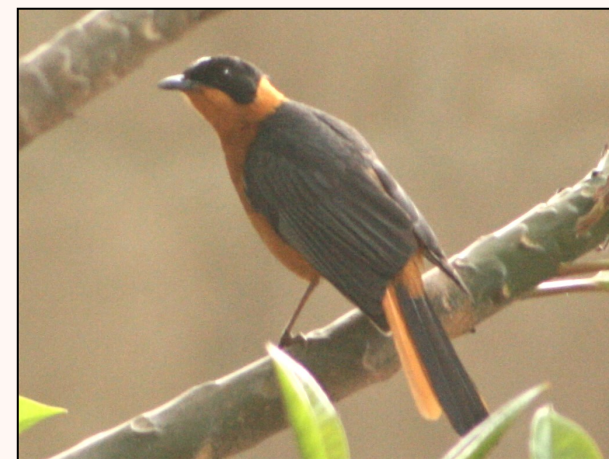
15. Common Kestrel (*Falco tinnunculus*)
Hausa: Karammata



16. Pied Crow (*Corvus albus*)
Hausa: Hankaka



17. Red-eyed Dove (*Streptopelia semitorquata*) Hausa: Bolo / Kirkir / Wala



18. Snowy-crowned Robin-chat (*Cossypha niveicapilla*)



19. Piapiac (*Ptilostomus afer*)
Hausa: Carkin giwa



20. African Yellow White-eye (*Zosterops senegalensis*) Hausa: Kunun dorawa



21. African Blue Flycatcher (*Elminia longicauda*)



22. Red-billed Firefinch (*Lagonosticta senegala*) Hausa: Baiwar Allah



23. Adamawa Turtle Dove (*Streptopelia hypopyrrha*)



24. Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird (*Pogoniulus chrysoconus*)



25. Senegal Coucal (*Centropus senegalensis*)
Hausa: Dan Raguwa



26. Northern Grey-headed Sparrow (*Passer griseus*) Hausa: Gwara



27. Speckled Pigeon (*Columba guinea*)
Hausa: Habjiya



28. Bronze Mannikin (*Lonchura cucullata*)
Hausa: Zazewa



29. Yellow-billed Shrike (*Corvinella corvina*)
Hausa: Jabebi



30. Senegal Parrot (*Poicephalus senegalus*)
Hausa: Kalo



31. Tawny-flanked Prinia (*Prinia subflava*)
Hausa: Tsigi da tukku



32. Western Cattle Egret (*Bulbulcus ibis*) Hausa: Balbela



33. Bearded Barbet (*Lybius dubius*)
Hausa: Jendahoda



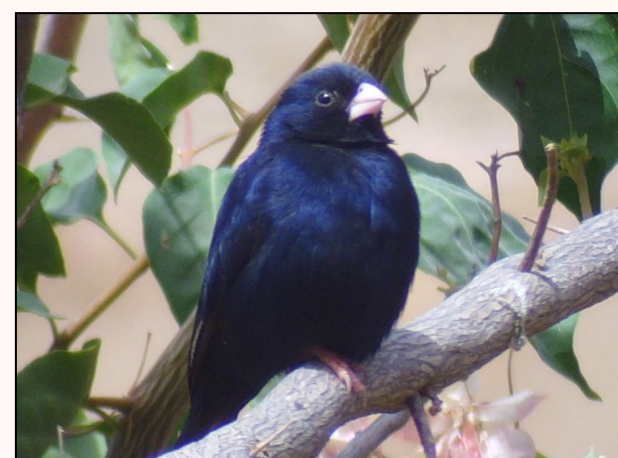
34. African Grey Hornbill (*Lophoceros nasutus*) Hausa: Cilkowa



35. African Palm Swift (*Cypsiurus parvus*)
Hausa: Tsattsewa



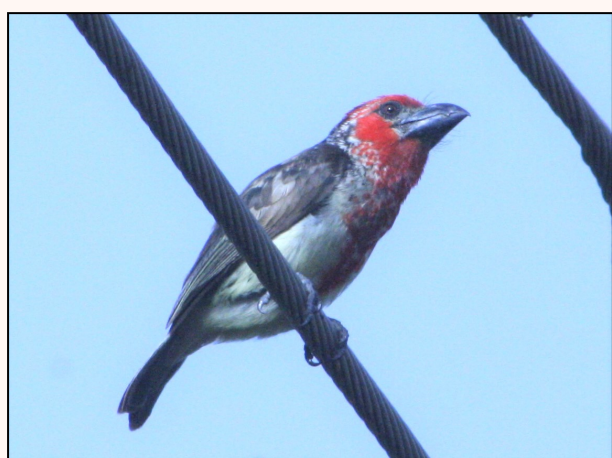
36. European Pied Flycatcher (*Ficedula hypoleuca*)



37. Village Indigobird (*Vidua chalybeata*)
Hausa: Dan baki



38. African Grey Woodpecker (*Dendropicus goertae*) Hausa: Makwakkwafi



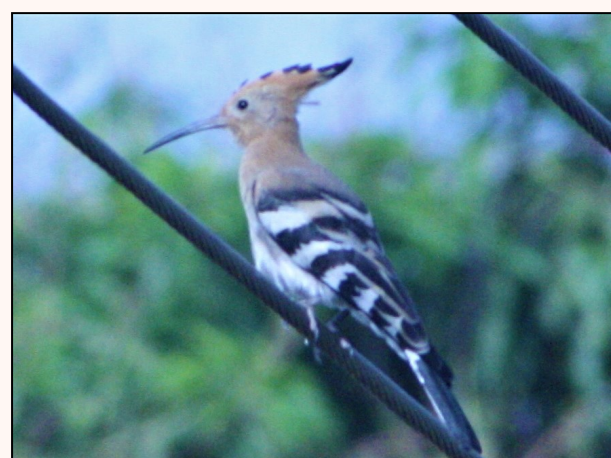
39. Vieillot's Barbet (*Lybius vieillotii*)
Hausa: Makeri



40. Grey-headed Kingfisher (*Halcyon leucocephala*) Hausa: Tsintsar



41. Green Wood-hoopoe (*Phoeniculus purpureus*) Hausa: Kilakilai



42. Eurasian Hoopoe (*Upupa epops*)
Hausa: Alhudahuda



43. Lavender Waxbill (*Estrilda caeruleus*)



44. Purple Starling (*Lamprolornis purpureus*)
Hausa: Shaya



45. Little Weaver (*Ploceus luteolus*)
Hausa: Kabaren kaba

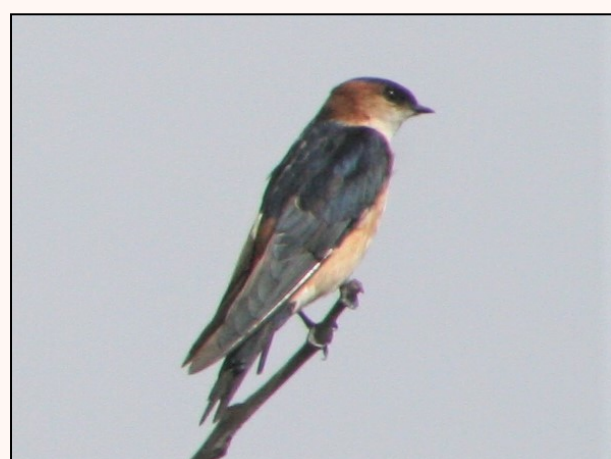
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46. Hamerkop (*Scopus umbretta*)
Hausa: Shaida



47. West African Swallow (*Cecropis domicella*) Hausa: Saysaywa



48. Northern Red Bishop (*Euplectes franciscanus*) Hausa: Dale



49. Double-spurred Francolin (*Pternistis bicalcaratus*) Hausa: Makwarwa



50. Little Bee-eater (*Merops pusillus*)
Hausa: Raina baka



13. *African Paradise Flycatcher (Same species as 13, but different 'morph')

