

Attracting birds to your garden

There are three key elements that birds require to visit or nest in your garden - water, food and shelter.

By planting a wide range of indigenous plants, you can provide nectar, seeds, berries, shelter and safe perches that will attract a wide range of indigenous birds to your garden.

A shallow dish of water located in a high, safe place will provide birds with a drinking and bathing place.

Cats are a major threat to birds, so providing shrubs with dense leaves or prickles can provide birds with much needed shelter and safe nesting sites.



Spotted Pardalote



New Holland Honey-eater

Trees

<i>Acacia melanoxylon</i>	Blackwood
<i>Allocasuarina litoralis</i>	Black Sheoke
<i>Eucalyptus luecoxylon</i>	Yellow Gum
<i>Eucalyptus melliodora</i>	Yellow Box
<i>Callistemon sieberi</i>	River Bottlebrush

Large Shrubs

<i>Banksia marginata</i>	Silver Banksia
<i>Bursaria spinosa</i>	Sweet Bursaria
<i>Kunzea ericoides</i>	Burgan
<i>Olearia lirata</i>	Snowy Daisy Bush
<i>Viminaria juncea</i>	Golden Spray

Small Shrubs

<i>Acacia acinacea</i>	Gold-dust Wattle
<i>Acacia paradoxa</i>	Hedge Wattle
<i>Correa glabra</i>	Rock Correa
<i>Goodenia ovata</i>	Hop Goodenia
<i>Melicactus dentatus</i>	Tree Violet
<i>Myoporum viscosum</i>	Sticky Boobialla

Groundcovers

<i>Atriplex semibaccata</i>	Berry Saltbush
<i>Einadia nutans</i>	Nodding Saltbush
<i>Enchylaena tomentosa</i>	Ruby Saltbush
<i>Kennedia prostrata</i>	Running Postman

Grasses & Tussocks

<i>Austrodanthonia caespitosa</i>	Wallaby Grass
<i>Austrostipa rudis</i>	Spear Grass
<i>Dianella longifolia</i>	Flax Lily
<i>Lomandra longifolia</i>	Mat Rush
<i>Poa labillardieri</i>	Tussock Grass
<i>Themeda triandra</i>	Kangaroo Grass

Wildflowers

<i>Arthropodium strictum</i>	Chocolate Lily
<i>Bracteantha</i> spp.	Everlasting
<i>Bulbine bulbosa</i>	Yellow Bulbine Lily
<i>Chrysocephalum</i> spp.	Everlasting
<i>Tricoryne elatior</i>	Yellow Rush Lily
<i>Wahlenbergia communis</i>	Tufted Bluebell
<i>Xerochrysum viscosum</i>	Shiny Everlasting



Sweet Bursaria

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