

Birds with special protection

Species shown in **bold** are those recorded regularly in Scotland

BIRDS WITH NESTS AND NEST SITES PROTECTED AT ANY TIME (Schedule A1 Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 as amended)

White-tailed Eagle *Haliaeetus albicilla*

BIRDS PROTECTED FROM HARASSMENT AT ANY TIME (Schedule 1A Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981 as amended)

White-tailed Eagle *Haliaeetus albicilla*

BIRDS PROTECTED BY SPECIAL PENALTIES (Schedule 1 Part I Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981)

Avocet

Recurvirostra avosetta

Barn Owl

Tyto alba

Bearded Tit

Panurus biarmicus

Bee-eater

Merops apiaster

Bewick's Swan	<i>Cygnus columbianus</i>
Bittern	<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>
Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochrurus</i>
Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>
Black-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>
Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>
Black-throated Diver	<i>Gavia arctica</i>
Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
Bluethroat	<i>Luscinia svecica</i>
Brambling	<i>Fringilla montifringilla</i>
Capercaillie	<i>Tetrao urogallus</i>
Cetti's Warbler	<i>Cettia cetti</i>
Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>
Chirl Bunting	<i>Emberiza cirrus</i>
Common Scoter	<i>Melanitta nigra</i>

Corncrake	<i>Crex crex</i>
Crested Tit	<i>Parus cristatus</i>
Crossbills (all species)	<i>Loxia spp</i>
Dartford Warbler	<i>Sylvia undata</i>
Dotterel	<i>Charadrius morinellus</i>
Fieldfare	<i>Turdus pilaris</i>
Firecrest	<i>Regulus ignicapillus</i>
Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>
Goldeneye#	<i>Bucephala clangula</i>
Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>
Greylag Goose#	<i>Anser anser</i>
Golden oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>
Goshawk	<i>Accipter gentilis</i>
Great Northern Diver	<i>Gavia immer</i>
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>

Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>
Gyr Falcon	<i>Falco rusticolus</i>
Harriers (all species)	<i>Circus spp</i>
Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>
Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>
Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>
Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>
Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>
Lapland Bunting	<i>Calcarius lapponicus</i>
Leach's Petrel	<i>Oceanodroma leucorhoa</i>
Little Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>
Little Gull	<i>Larus minutus</i>
Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>
Little Tern	<i>Sterna albifrons</i>
Long-tailed Duck	<i>Clangula hyemalis</i>

Marsh Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus palustris</i>
Mediterranean Gull	<i>Larus melanocephalus</i>
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco perigrinus</i>
Pintail#	<i>Anas acuta</i>
Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>
Purple Sandpiper	<i>Calidris maritima</i>
Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
Red kite	<i>Milvus milvus</i>
Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>
Red-necked Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>
Red-throated Diver	<i>Gavia stellata</i>
Redwing	<i>Turdus illiacus</i>
Roseate tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>

Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>
Savi's warbler	<i>Locustella luscinioides</i>
Scarlet rosefinch	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>
Scaup	<i>Aythya marila</i>
Serin	<i>Serinus serinus</i>
Shore lark	<i>Eremophila alpestris</i>
Short-toed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia brachydactyla</i>
Slavonian Grebe	<i>Podiceps auritus</i>
Snow Bunting	<i>Plectrophenax nivalis</i>
Snowy Owl	<i>Nyctea scandiaca</i>
Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodea</i>
Spotted Crake	<i>Porzana porzana</i>
Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus oediconemus</i>
Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>
Velvet scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>

Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>
White-billed Diver	<i>Gavia adamsii</i>
White-tailed Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus albicilla</i>
Whooper Swan	<i>Cygnus cygnus</i>
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>
Woodlark	<i>Lullula arborea</i>
Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquill</i>

See table below.

Birds which are protected by special penalties during the close season (Schedule 1 Part II Wildlife & Countryside Act 1981)
Goldeneye
Pintail
Greylag Goose (in Outer Hebrides, Caithness & Sutherland and Wester Ross only)