



Apostle Islands National Lakeshore (APIS)

Species Checklist

This species list is a work in progress. It represents information currently in the NPSpecies data system and records are continually being added or updated by National Park Service staff. To report an error or make a suggestion, go to <https://irma.nps.gov/npspecies/suggest>.

Scientific Name	Common Name
<u>Mammals</u>	
Artiodactyla/Cervidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Alces alces</i>	Eurasian Elk, moose
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>	white-tailed deer, White-tailed Deer
Carnivora/Canidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Canis latrans</i>	Coyote
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	Red Fox
Carnivora/Mephitidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	Striped Skunk
Carnivora/Mustelidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lutra canadensis</i>	river otter
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Martes pennanti</i>	Fisher
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Mustela erminea</i>	Ermine
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Mustela frenata</i>	Long-tailed Weasel
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Mustela vison</i>	American mink, mink
Carnivora/Ursidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Ursus americanus</i>	American Black Bear, black bear
Chiroptera/Vespertilionidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>	big brown bat
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i>	silver-haired bat
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lasiurus borealis</i>	eastern red bat, red bat
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lasiurus cinereus</i>	hoary bat
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Myotis lucifugus</i>	little brown bat, little brown myotis
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Myotis septentrionalis</i>	northern long-eared bat, northern myotis
<input type="checkbox"/> * <i>Pipistrellus subflavus</i>	eastern pipistrelle
Lagomorpha/Leporidae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Lepus americanus</i>	Snowshoe Hare
<input type="checkbox"/> * <i>Sylvilagus floridanus</i>	Eastern Cottontail
Rodentia/Castoridae	
<input type="checkbox"/> <i>Castor canadensis</i>	American Beaver



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Rodentia/Dipodidae	
[] * <i>Napaeozapus insignis</i>	woodland jumping mouse
[] <i>Zapus hudsonius</i>	meadow jumping mouse
Rodentia/Erethizontidae	
[] <i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	common porcupine, porcupine
Rodentia/Muridae	
[] <i>Clethrionomys gapperi</i>	southern red-backed vole
[] <i>Microtus pennsylvanicus</i>	meadow vole
[] * <i>Mus musculus</i>	house mouse
[] <i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>	muskbeaver, muskrat
[] <i>Peromyscus maniculatus gracilis</i>	woodland deer mouse
[] * <i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	Norway rat
[] * <i>Synaptomys cooperi</i>	southern bog lemming
Rodentia/Sciuridae	
[] <i>Glaucomys sabrinus</i>	Northern Flying Squirrel
[] * <i>Sciurus carolinensis</i>	Eastern Gray Squirrel, gray squirrel
[] <i>Tamias minimus</i>	Least Chipmunk
[] <i>Tamias striatus</i>	Eastern Chipmunk
[] <i>Tamiasciurus hudsonicus</i>	Red Squirrel
Soricomorpha/Soricidae	
[] <i>Blarina brevicauda</i>	mole shrew, Northern Short-tailed Shrew, short-tailed shrew
[] * <i>Sorex arcticus</i>	Arctic Shrew, black-backed shrew, saddle-back shrew
[] <i>Sorex cinereus</i>	masked shrew
[] * <i>Sorex palustris</i>	American Water Shrew, northern water shrew, Water Shrew
Soricomorpha/Talpidae	
[] * <i>Condylura cristata</i>	Star-nosed Mole
Report Species Count: 41	

*Documented occurrences of the species in the park or in the adjoining region of the park give reason to suspect that it probably occurs within the park; however, current, verifiable evidence is needed.

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The species listed here are assumed to be 'present in park.' Evidence, in the form of a current, verifiable reference, voucher or observation, is included in the NPSpecies data system or is readily available. Those species marked with an asterisk have the designation of 'probably present,' and efforts are underway to obtain current, verifiable evidence to elevate the status to 'present in park.'