

Terrestrial Vertebrates at LCRA Recreation Areas

Note: The following, developed by Texas A&M University's Wildlife and Fisheries Sciences Department, is a composite list of possible species common to Burnet County. This does not include birds. Compiled 2007.

Salamanders

smallmouth salamander	<i>Ambystoma texanum</i>
tiger salamander	<i>Ambystoma tigrinum</i>

Frogs and Toads

bullfrog	<i>Rana catesbeiana</i>
cliff chirping frog	<i>Syrhopus marnocki</i>
Couch's spadefoot	<i>Scaphiopus couchi</i>
cricket frog	<i>Acris crepitans</i>
gray treefrog	<i>Hyla versicolor</i>
Great Plains narrowmouth toad	<i>Gastrophryne olivacea</i>
green toad	<i>Bufo debilis</i>
green treefrog	<i>Hyla cinerea</i>
Gulf Coast toad	<i>Bufo valliceps</i>
red-spotted toad	<i>Bufo punctatus</i>
Rio Grande leopard frog	<i>Rana berlandieri</i>
spotted chorus frog	<i>Pseudacris clarki</i>
Strecker's chorus frog	<i>Pseudacris streckeri</i>
Texas toad	<i>Bufo speciosus</i>
Woodhouse's toad	<i>Bufo woodhousii</i>

Turtles

eastern box turtle	<i>Terrapene carolina</i>
ornate box turtle	<i>Terrapene ornata</i>
slider	<i>Trachemys scripta</i>
snapping turtle	<i>Chelydra serpentina</i>
spiny softshell	<i>Apalone (Trionyx) spinifera</i>
stinkpot	<i>Kinosternon odoratum</i>
Texas map turtle	<i>Graptemys versa</i>
Texas river cooter	<i>Pseudemys texana</i>
yellow mud turtle	<i>Kinosternon flavescens</i>

Lizards

crevice spiny lizard	<i>Sceloporus poinsetti</i>
eastern collared lizard	<i>Crotaphytus collaris</i>
fence lizard	<i>Sceloporus undulates</i>
four-lined skink	<i>Eumeces tetragrammus</i>
Great Plains skink	<i>Eumeces obsoletus</i>
greater earless lizard	<i>Cophosaurus texanus</i>
ground skink	<i>Scincella lateralis</i>
lesser earless lizard	<i>Holbrookia undulate</i>
Mediterranean gecko	<i>Hemidactylus turcicus*</i>
slender glass lizard	<i>Ophisaurus attenuatus</i>
spot-tailed earless lizard	<i>Holbrookia undulate</i>
Texas alligator lizard	<i>Gerrhonotus infernalis</i>
Texas horned lizard	<i>Phrynosoma cornutum</i>
Texas spiny lizard	<i>Sceloporus olivaceus</i>
Texas spotted whiptail	<i>Cnemidophorus gularis</i>
tree lizard	<i>Urosaurus ornatus</i>

Snakes

brown snake	<i>Storeria dekayi</i>
bullsnake	<i>Pituophis melanoleucus</i>
coachwhip	<i>Masticophis flagellum</i>
common kingsnake	<i>Lampropeltis getula</i>
copperhead	<i>Agkistrodon contortrix</i>
corn snake	<i>Elaphe guttata</i>
cottonmouth	<i>Agkistrodon piscivorus</i>
diamondback water snake	<i>Nerodia rhombifer</i>
eastern coral snake	<i>Micrurus fulvius</i>
eastern hognose snake	<i>Heterodon platirhinos</i>
eastern racer	<i>Coluber constrictor</i>
eastern rat snake	<i>Elaphe obsoleta</i>
flathead	<i>Tantilla gracilis</i>
ground snake	<i>Sonora semiannulata</i>
longnose snake	<i>Rhinocheilus lecontei</i>
mountain patchnose snake	<i>Salvadora grahamiae</i>
night snake	<i>Hypsiglena torquata</i>
northern cat-eyed snake	<i>Leptodeira septentrionalis</i>
plainbelly water snake	<i>Nerodia erythrogaster</i>
ringneck snake	<i>Diadophis punctatus</i>
rough green snake	<i>Opheodrys aestivus</i>
striped shipsnake	<i>Masticophis taeniatus</i>
Texas blind snake	<i>Leptotyphlops dulcis</i>
western diamondback rattlesnake	<i>Crotalus atrox</i>

Mammals

black-tailed jackrabbit	<i>Lepus californicus</i>
cottontail rabbit	<i>Sylvilagus sp.</i>
coyote	<i>Canis latrans</i>
fox squirrel	<i>Sciurus niger</i>
gray fox	<i>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</i>
nine-banded armadillo	<i>Dasyus novemcintus</i>
raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>
ringtail	<i>Bassariscus astutus</i>
striped skunk	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>
Virginia opossum	<i>Didelphus virginiane</i>
white-tailed deer	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>