



Hopper Feeders



Tube Feeders



Tin Jay Feeder



Finch Feeders



Squirrel proof feeders

Birds that winter in Southern Ontario are finding it more and more difficult to forage for seeds as urban sprawl has depleted much of their food sources. The use of pesticides in our lawns, while reduced over the past decade, has also affected our wild bird populations.

Lending birds a hand by providing them with ready nutrition will benefit them throughout the difficult winter months. This guide outlines the food liked by the most common birds in our area, as well as their preferred feeder types.

All of these feeds are available at our store in bulk or bagged form. While the seeds are listed in singular format, we also carry Bragg's Premium Bird Seed mixes and suet cakes which cater to a wide variety of birds.



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A GUIDE TO FEEDING BIRDS IN WINTER



BLACK CAPPED CHICKADEE

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds
- 2. Safflower, Striped Sunflower Seeds, Whole Peanuts
- 3. Cracked Corn, Nyjer Seeds, Red Milo (sorghum), White Proso Millet

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform, Hopper, Tube Feeders and Suet Feeders



BLUE JAY

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Striped Sunflower Seeds, Peanuts (in shell or pickouts)
- 2. Cracked Corn
- 3. Sunflower Kernels/Chips, Suet, Acorns, Safflower Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Tray and Platform feeders
Wire Peanut Wreaths – fill with peanuts in the shell



NORTHERN CARDINAL

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Striped Sunflower Seeds, Safflower Seeds
- 2. Peanut Pickouts (out of the shell), Sunflower Kernels/Chips

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform Feeders and Hopper Feeders
They also enjoy feeding directly on the ground – usually under a feeder



DARK EYED JUNCO

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Nyjer Seeds, Fine & Medium Sunflower Chips, White Millet
- 2. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Cracked Corn, Safflower Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform Feeders, Hopper Feeders , Tube Feeders



WHITE BREASTED NUTHATCH

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Striped Sunflower Seeds, Fine & Medium Sunflower Chips, Whole Peanuts
- 2. Cracked Corn, Safflower Seeds
- 3. Nyjer Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform Feeders, Hopper Feeders, Tube Feeders



DOWNY & HAIRY WOODPECKER

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Fine & Medium Sunflower Chips, Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Striped Sunflower Seeds
- 2. Peanut Pickouts, Safflower Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform Feeders, Hopper Feeders, Tube Feeders, Suet Feeders

*Hairy Woodpecker shown



GOLD FINCH & PURPLE FINCH

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Nyjer Seeds, Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Sunflower Chips,
- 2. Striped Sunflower Seeds
- 3. Millet

TYPES OF FEEDERS

Platform Feeders, Hopper Feeders , Tube Feeders



HOUSE FINCH

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Nyjer Seeds, Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Sunflower Chips
- 2. Striped Sunflower Seeds, Millet
- 3. Safflower Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

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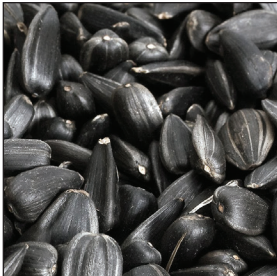
SPARROW

FOOD PREFERENCES

- 1. Black Oil Sunflower Seeds, Striped Sunflower Seeds, Nyjer Seeds, Sunflower Chips
- 2. Millet
- 3. Safflower Seeds

TYPES OF FEEDERS

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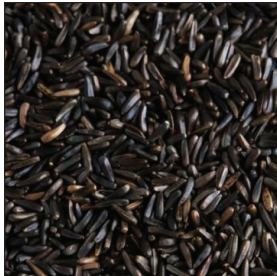
Black Oil Sunflower Seeds



Striped Sunflower Seeds



Sunflower Chips



Nyjer Seeds (Thistle)



White Millet



Safflower Seeds



Whole Peanuts



Peanut Pickouts



Cracked Corn