Western Gull

The white bird flies high and low

Next to the blue

It sits on a rock

To watch the blue

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## BIRDS

A List of Birds Commonly Seen on the Point Arena-Stornetta Public Unit of the California Coastal National Monument



If I were a bird

I would be a Hawk

I would spread my wings and fly

I would see the clouds

I would feel light

If I were a Hawk I would be beautiful

Observations from students at the Pacific Community Charter School

tudents from the Pacific
Community Charter School
compiled the following list
from observations made during
birding trips with the Mendocino
Coast Audubon Society. Most of
these birds can be seen throughout
the year along with many migratory
birds. Use the checklist on the
backside to track other birds seen
during your visit. Happy birding!



- € Brandt's Cormorant
- € Pelagic Cormorant
- € Brown Pelican
- € Turkey Vulture
- € Red-tailed Hawk
- € American Kestrel
- € Black Oystercatcher
- € Western Gull
- € Anna's Hummingbird
- € Black Phoebe
- € Steller's Jay
- € Common Raven
- € Pygmy Nuthatch
- € Pacific Wren
- € Marsh Wren
- € Western Bluebird
- € American Robin
- € Orange-crowned Warbler
- € Song Sparrow
- € White-crowned Sparrow
- € American Goldfinch
- € Red Crossbill

**BIRDS** 

Beak

Inch worm

Red Robin

**D**elicious

Sing

On a fallen log

I hear the high pitched chirp

The Pacific Wren

