

Birds that Nest in Columbus Park (Chicago)

Many birds set up territories, build nests, and raise their young in Columbus Park.



Song Sparrow

Father singing to announce his territory.



American Goldfinch

Mother gathers thistle down to build nest.



Baltimore Oriole

Mother oriole just fed babies (hidden in nest).



Warbling Vireo

Parent catching bugs to feed babies.



Eastern Kingbird

Parent catching bugs to feed babies.



Killdeer

Mother acts injured to lure predators away.



Cooper's Hawk

Baby in nest high above Austin woods.



Cedar Waxwing

Fledgling at the south edge of the golf course.



Gray Catbird

Fledgling near the playground.