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Butterflies Sighted in Sedgwick County

Abundantly Found

Butterfly Name	Host Plant	Nectar Preference	When Sited
Checkered Skipper	Hibiscus, Mallow	Flowers, puddles	April-Late Nov
Sachem Skipper	Goosegrass, Bermudagrass	Flowers	Spring-Late Fall
Clouded Sulphur	Indigo Bush, Milkvetch	Flowers, puddles	Late Mar-Dec
Alfalfa Butterfly	Clover	Flowers	May-Dec
Gray Hairstreak	Mallow, Hawthorn	Flowers	April-Oct
Eastern Tailed Blue	Clover	Flowers, puddles	April-Oct
Pearl Crescent	Asters, Sunflowers	Flowers	Early April-Nov
American Painted Lady	Everlastings	Flowers, tree sap, fruit	April-Nov
Painted Lady	Thistles	New England Aster, Buddleia	April
Red Admiral	Nettles	Flowers, tree sap, fruit	April-Nov

Commonly Found

Butterfly Name	Host Plant	Nectar Preference	When Sited
Silver Spotted Skipper	False Indigo, Wisteria	Flowers, puddles	April-Mid Oct
Common Sooty Wing	Bee Balm	Flowers, puddles	April-Mid Sept
Zabulon Skipper	Grasses	Flowers, puddles	July-Late Fall
Eufala Skipper	Grasses	Flowers	July-Late Fall
Pipevine Swallowtail	Dutchman's Pipevine	Flowers	April-Mid Oct
Black Swallowtail	Dill	Flowers	April-Fall
Tiger Swallowtail	Wild Cherry	Flowers	April-Late Fall
Checkered White	Dame's Rocket	Flowers, puddles	March-Nov
Dainty Sulphur	Asters, Sunflowers	Flowers, puddles	Summer
Isola Blue	Wild Indigo	Flowers	April-Nov
Variiegated Fritillary	Violets	Flowers	Migrate May-Nov
Great Spangled Fritillary	Violets	Flowers	Mid May-Oct
Gorgore Checkerspot	Asters, Sunflowers	Flowers	Early April-Sept
Question Mark	Elm, Hackberry	Flowers, tree sap, fruit	Year-round
Buckeye	Snapdragons	Flowers	Late Spring-Fall
Viceroy	Wild Cherry	Flowers, tree sap, fruit	Early May-Oct
Goatweed Butterfly	Goatweed	Puddles, fruit	Summer
Monarch	Butterfly Weed	New England Aster	Summer

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