

#OptOutsideIN2023 Scavenger Hunt

Spend time at an Indiana State Park on Friday, Nov. 24, 2023, and complete at least 10 of the activities below. Return this completed scavenger hunt form to SPContests@dnr.IN.gov or mail it to State Park Contests, Indiana State Parks, 402 W. Washington Room W298, Indianapolis, IN 46204 by Dec. 9, 2023, and you'll be entered in a drawing for a 2024 annual entrance pass or one of several great outdoor experiences led by DNR staff. Be sure to include your name, address, phone number, and email. Complete the scavenger hunt at a property that is a part of the Indiana State Nature Passport Program, enter the scavenger hunt PIN found at the property, and you will receive a bonus entry for the prizes. Learn about the State Nature Passport Program at visitindiana.com/explore.

- ___ 1. Hike a trail (any length) and describe one thing you saw or heard. Property: _____
Trail Number or Name (if applicable) _____ What you saw or heard: _____
- ___ 2. Find a property bulletin board or hunter sign-in station and describe one thing you read about.
- ___ 3. Create a leaf, stick or other earth-art sculpture, photograph it, and attach the photo when you send your scavenger hunt email.
- ___ 4. Take along a bag, pick up any litter you see during your visit, and practice “carry-in, carry-out” by taking the trash home.
- ___ 5. Find a weird looking tree at a state property. Take a photo and attach it when you send your scavenger hunt email. Where did you find the tree? _____
- ___ 6. Wildlife is all around you. Take a photo of some sign of wildlife at a state property—a feather, tracks, or an animal, and attach the photo when you send your scavenger hunt email.
- ___ 7. Take a photo of yourself, your family, or group at a DNR property shouting “#OPTOUTSIDE!” Attach the photo when you send your scavenger hunt email.
- ___ 8. Visit a playground and try the equipment. Where did you visit? _____
- ___ 9. What kinds of activities are encouraged at the property you are visiting? Pick two and list them here:
Property: _____ Activities: _____
- ___ 10. Sit at a picnic table or on a blanket and eat lunch or a snack, or visit a state park inn and pick up a carryout lunch to eat outdoors.
- ___ 11. Take a selfie/group photo at the entrance sign of the property you are visiting and attach it when you send your scavenger hunt email.
- ___ 12. Find a sign that tells you something about a property feature or activity. What is the sign about?
- ___ 13. Find something “old” at the property you are visiting and describe it. It can be something living or a structure.
- ___ 14. Describe your favorite moment during your visit with words or a photo. Attach your photo to your scavenger hunt email.

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