



Girl Scouts Love State Parks 2024

ACTIVITY GUIDE

Join GSGNY in celebrating Girl Scouts Love State Parks in 2024! Get outdoors and explore your local State Park with suggested self-guided scavenger hunts. This can be completed on your own with an adult or with your whole troop!

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Before you go outside:

A Girl Scout is always prepared! Before heading outside make sure you check the weather and dress accordingly. **Remember to bring a notebook, pencil, reusable water bottle, snack, bug spray, and sunscreen.**



Scavenger Hunt for all parks

- Sketch a tree—try to identify it
- Sketch a flower—try to identify it
- Take a picture of an animal—try to identify it
- Find animal tracks
- Find a rock with two different colors
- Take a picture with a statue—find out who it is and one fact about them
- Find an insect—try to identify it
- Take a picture with another Girl Scout at a beautiful spot!
- Find three different birds—try to identify one and learn 1 fact about it

Marsha P Johnson State Park (BK)

- Find out what used to be on the site of the park
- The park is named after Marsha P Johnson – find out 3 facts about her
- Find remnants of old cobblestone streets or railroad tracks

Shirley Chisholm State Park (BK)

- Find out what used to be on the site of this park
- The park is named after Shirley Chisholm—find out 3 facts about her
- Find 1 of 2 piers. Walk out to the end—what do you see?

Roberto Clemente State Park (BX)

- The park is named after Roberto Clemente—find out 3 facts about him
- This park has an Olympic sized swimming pool – how big is this?
- Find a basketball court

Denny Farrel Riverbank State Park (M)

- The park is named after Denny Farrell—find out 3 facts about him
- Find the community garden/greenhouse and go inside (open every day 10am-5pm)
- Find out what is special about the design of this park

Franklin D. Roosevelt Four Freedoms State Park (M)

- Who designed this park?
- What are the four freedoms?
- Who was Franklin D. Roosevelt? Find out 3 facts about him

Gantry Plaza State Park (Q)

- What is a Gantry?
- Find the Pepsi sign
- Find a fishing area and research one fish you could catch

Bayswater Point State Park (Q)

- This park is on a peninsula—what is a Peninsula?
- What bodies of water surround the park?
- What did this park used to be?

Clay Pit Ponds State Park Preserve (SI)

- Find out more about the Bird Conservation Area (BCA)
- Learn 3 facts about the community of Free Blacks at Sandy Ground, who historically lived in and around Clay Pit
- Find the Interpretive Center and learn 3 facts about the ecology of the preserve

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