

America in Miniature: 2026 State Park Adventure Challenge Checklist

MARYLAND STATE SYMBOLS

5 points each: _____

- State Reptile- Terrapin
- State Bird- Baltimore Oriole
- State Flower- Black Eyed-Susan
- State Fossil Shell- Ecphora
- State Crustacean- Blue Crab
- State Fish- Rockfish
- State Tree- White Oak

BEST SEAT IN THE PARK: STATE PARK BENCHES

20 points each: _____

- Elk Neck State Park
- Janes Island State Park
- Deep Creek Lake State Park
- New Germany State Park
- Wye Island State Park
- Herrington Manor State Park
- Merkle NRMA
- Palmer State Park
- Smallwood State Park
- Seneca Creek State Park

MORE TO EXPLORE: NATURE CENTERS

5 points each: _____

- Sandy Point State Park
- Pocomoke River State Park
- Elk Neck State Park
- Rocky Gap State Park
- Assateague State Park
- Janes Island State Park
- Patuxent River State Park

DISCOVERY AWAITS: DISCOVERY CENTERS

5 points each: _____

- Deep Creek Lake D.C.
- Sweden Point D.C.

MUSEUM MOMENTS: STATE PARK MUSEUMS

5 points each: _____

- CCC Museum
- Museum of the Ironworker
- William Offutt Johnson History Center
- Friends Store at Sang Run

BE OUR GUEST: STATE PARK VISITOR CENTERS

5 points each: _____

- Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad State Park
- Patapsco Valley State Park-Mobile Visitor Center (MVC)
- North Point State Park-Takos Visitor Center
- Soldier's Delight V.C.

SOARING AROUND THE STATE: BALD EAGLES

5 points each: _____

- Deep Creek Lake State Park
- Rocky Gap State Park
- Cunningham Falls State Park
- Tuckahoe State Park

TOTAL POINTS:



ADVENTURES AWAIT!

The "America in Miniature" 2026 State Park Adventure Challenge runs from April 23- November 15, 2026.

Just snap a photo (or selfie) for each challenge, check off your list and once you've reached 250 points, submit this form:



All information for the "America in Miniature" Challenge can be found online:

<https://dnr.maryland.gov/publiclands/Pages/MPS-AIM.aspx>

