



WILDLIFE OF BERKELEY COUNTY BINGO



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 Wood Stork	 Squirrel	 Anhinga	 Wood Duck	 Turtle
 Barred Owl	 Kingfisher	 Fox	 Opossum	 Armadillo
 White-tailed Deer	 Great Egret	 Cypress Knee	 American Alligator	 Cormorant
 Osprey	 Red-shouldered Hawk	 Beaver	 Prothonotary Warbler	 River Otter
 Rabbit	 Ibis	 Feral Hog	 Bald Eagle	 Great Blue Heron

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Berkeley Outdoor Life Scavenger Hunt

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Keep your eyes, ears and hands ready! You can check these items off at any Berkeley Outdoor Life spot—like the boardwalks at the Old Santee Canal Park, the shaded paths of Cypress Gardens, the Daniel Island Trail, or the Francis Marion National Forest. Can you find them all?

Plants & Trees

- ☐ **A Cypress Knee:** Look near water for these knobby wooden “knees” popping straight up out the mud or dirt.
- ☐ **Spanish Moss:** Spot this gray, lace-like plant hanging down from a giant oak or cypress tree branch.
- ☐ **A Pinecone Longer Than Your Thumb:** Berkeley County is full of tall pine trees. Find one of their fallen cones!
- ☐ **A Giant Live Oak Tree:** Find a massive Live Oak tree with heavy, sweeping branches, wider than 3 people.
- ☐ **Green Moss Growing on a Tree Trunk:** Look closely at the shady, damp side of a tree trunk to spot this soft green “carpet.”

Critters & Wildlife

- ☐ **A Dragon Fly Skimming the Water:** Watch closely near any boat ramp, creek or lake line.
- ☐ **A Lizard Doing “Push-ups”:** Look on railings or tree trunks for little green or brown lizards.
- ☐ **A Spiderweb Shaped Like a Wheel:** Look between branches for a classic, web (but don’t touch).
- ☐ **An Alligator in the Water:** Look for North America’s largest reptile. Always stay right beside your parents and away from the water’s edge!

Sounds & Senses

- ☐ **The Sound of a Woodpecker:** Stop, close your eyes, and listen for the rapid tap-tap-tap up in the trees.
- ☐ **A Feather Left Behind:** Look on the ground or on the water for a feather dropped by a duck, heron or egret.
- ☐ **A Wooden Boardwalk Bridge:** Walk across a bridge or boardwalk designed to keep your feet out of the swamp muck.
- ☐ **A Trail Marker:** Find a helpful sign or painted tree stripe guiding hikers along the path.



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Palmetto Trail

Marion

Lake Moultrie

Camping

Santee River

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THE BERKELEY JUNIOR EXPLORER: NATURAL RULER HUNT!

EXPLORER NAME: _____

DATE: _____



HEY EXPLORERS! Let's become "Junior Field Scientists." Your mission is to explore Berkeley County trails and find the items below. There's one catch: you have to measure stuff!

HOW TO PLAY:

-  **USE A TOOL:** Use the official 8-inch Explorer Ruler printed on this page.
-  **SEARCH THE TRAIL:** Look closely at the ground, trees, and plants.
-  **GUESS FIRST:** Estimate how big you think the item is and write it down.
-  **MEASURE IT:** Hold the item against your paper ruler to see its true size!



MISSION CHECKLIST	MY GUESS (INCHES)	ACTUAL SIZE (INCHES)
☐ 1. Longest Pinecone		
☐ 2. Tiny Acorn		
☐ 3. Tree Mushroom		
☐ 4. Wide Oak Leaf		
☐ 5. Long Pine Needle		
☐ 6. Twisted Vine		
☐ 7. Flat Skipping Stone		
☐ 8. Animal Footprint		
☐ 9. Perfect 'Y' Twig		
☐ 10. Bird Feather		
☐ 11. Tallest Blade of Grass		
☐ 12. Widest Tree Root		



OFFICIAL BERKELEY EXPLORER RULER (8 INCHES)

Don't
measure
a gator!

