



Choose a Trail

Hiking Options for the Trout Adventure Trail

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CUSTOM ROUTES

The BLUE, RED, GREEN and GOLD routes are examples of the hiking options on the Trout Adventure Trail and are not the only way to experience the trail. *There is virtually no limit to the customized routes available, and planning for time constraints, abilities of the hikers, educational experiences, and merit badge or rank requirements for scouts can all be accommodated with custom options of routes.* Planning the route is part of the fun of the experience. For example, one method is to have a vehicle drop hikers off at the Springer Mountain parking area and ultimately pick hikers up at Three Forks, which could allow hikers to plan a route that experiences much of the trail but shortens the distance and eliminates much of the uphill portions of the hike. This also turns a hike of moderate difficulty into an easy one. For a similar length hike that is more physically challenging, start at the Three Forks area and arrange pick-up at Springer Mountain Parking area.

For more detailed planning information, driving directions to the parking areas and educational opportunities, see [\[insert hyperlinks\]](#).