

**A FISH Checklist  
for New River State Park  
50 taxa**

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Notes

**FISH  
CHECKLIST  
New River State Park**



**Seasons:**

Spring - March to May  
Summer - June to August  
Fall - September to November  
Winter - December to February

**Resources**



<https://www.ncparks.gov/junior-rangers>

**50 FISH taxa**

**CATOSTOMIDAE: [2]**

|                               |         |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| ___ White Sucker .....        | x x x x |
| <i>Catostomus commersonii</i> |         |
| ___ Northern Hog Sucker ..... | x x x x |
| <i>Hypentelium nigricans</i>  |         |

**CENTRARCHIDAE: [5]**

|                              |         |
|------------------------------|---------|
| ___ Rock Bass .....          | x x - - |
| <i>Ambloplites rupestris</i> |         |
| ___ Redbreast Sunfish .....  | x x x - |
| <i>Lepomis auritus</i>       |         |
| ___ Bluegill .....           | x x - - |
| <i>Lepomis macrochirus</i>   |         |
| ___ Smallmouth Bass .....    | - x x - |
| <i>Micropterus dolomieu</i>  |         |
| ___ Largemouth Bass .....    | - x - - |
| <i>Micropterus salmoides</i> |         |

**COTTIDAE: [2]**

|                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| ___ Mottled Sculpin ..... | x x x x |
| <i>Cottus bairdii</i>     |         |
| ___ a sculpin .....       | - x - - |
| <i>Cottus sp.</i>         |         |

**CYPRINIDAE: [27]**

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| ___ Central Stoneroller .....           | x x x x |
| <i>Campostoma anomalum</i>              |         |
| ___ a stoneroller .....                 | - x - - |
| <i>Campostoma sp.</i>                   |         |
| ___ Mountain Redbelly Dace .....        | x x x - |
| <i>Chrosomus oreas</i>                  |         |
| ___ Rosyside Dace .....                 | x x x - |
| <i>Clinostomus funduloides</i>          |         |
| ___ Whitetail Shiner .....              | x x x - |
| <i>Cyprinella galactura</i>             |         |
| ___ Spotfin Shiner .....                | x x x - |
| <i>Cyprinella spiloptera</i>            |         |
| ___ Tonguetied Minnow .....             | x x x - |
| <i>Exoglossum laurae</i>                |         |
| ___ White Shiner .....                  | - x - - |
| <i>Luxilus albeolus</i>                 |         |
| ___ Warpaint Shiner .....               | - x x - |
| <i>Luxilus coccogenis</i>               |         |
| ___ Bluehead Chub .....                 | x x - - |
| <i>Nocomis leptocephalus</i>            |         |
| ___ a chub hybrid .....                 | - x - - |
| <i>Nocomis leptocephalus x ? hybrid</i> |         |

**CYPRINIDAE: [27]**

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| ___ Bigmouth Chub .....                              | x x x x |
| <i>Nocomis platyrhynchus</i>                         |         |
| ___ Redlip Shiner .....                              | x x - - |
| <i>Notropis chiliticus</i>                           |         |
| ___ Spottail Shiner .....                            | - x - - |
| <i>Notropis hudsonius</i>                            |         |
| ___ Tennessee Shiner .....                           | - x - - |
| <i>Notropis leuciodus</i>                            |         |
| ___ Silver Shiner .....                              | x x - x |
| <i>Notropis photogenis</i>                           |         |
| ___ Rosyface Shiner .....                            | - x - - |
| <i>Notropis rubellus</i>                             |         |
| ___ Saffron Shiner .....                             | x x - - |
| <i>Notropis rubricroceus</i>                         |         |
| ___ New River Shiner .....                           | x x x - |
| <i>Notropis scabriceps</i>                           |         |
| ___ Kanawha Rosyface Shiner .....                    | x x x - |
| <i>Notropis sp. (cf. rubellus--upper kanawha)</i>    |         |
| ___ Mimic Shiner .....                               | x x - - |
| <i>Notropis volucellus</i>                           |         |
| ___ Kanawha Minnow .....                             | x x x - |
| <i>Phenacobius teretulus</i>                         |         |
| ___ a dace hybrid .....                              | x - - - |
| <i>Phoxinus oreas x Rhinichthys atratulus hybrid</i> |         |
| ___ Bluntnose Minnow .....                           | x x - - |
| <i>Pimephales notatus</i>                            |         |
| ___ Longnose Dace .....                              | x x x x |
| <i>Rhinichthys cataractae</i>                        |         |
| ___ Western Blacknose Dace .....                     | x x x x |
| <i>Rhinichthys obtusus</i>                           |         |
| ___ Creek Chub .....                                 | x x x - |
| <i>Semotilus atromaculatus</i>                       |         |

**ESOCIDAE: [1]**

|                         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|
| ___ Muskellunge .....   | - x x - |
| <i>Esox masquinongy</i> |         |

**ICTALURIDAE: [2]**

|                                     |         |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| ___ Margined Madtom .....           | - x - - |
| <i>Noturus insignis</i>             |         |
| ___ Flathead Catfish (native) ..... | - x x - |
| <i>Pylodictis olivaris pop1</i>     |         |

**PERCIDAE: [9]**

|                               |         |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| ___ Greenside Darter .....    | x x - - |
| <i>Etheostoma blennioides</i> |         |

**PERCIDAE: [9]**

|   |         |
|---|---------|
| ___ Fantail Darter .....                              | x x - - |
| <i>Etheostoma flabellare</i>                          |         |
| ___ Kanawha Darter .....                              | x x x x |
| <i>Etheostoma kanawhae</i>                            |         |
| ___ Tessellated Darter .....                          | x x - - |
| <i>Etheostoma olmstedi</i>                            |         |
| ___ a smoothbelly darter .....                        | x x x x |
| <i>Etheostoma sp. (cf. flabellare--upper kanawha)</i> |         |
| ___ Yellow Perch .....                                | - x - - |
| <i>Perca flavescens</i>                               |         |
| ___ Logperch .....                                    | x x - - |
| <i>Percina caprodes</i>                               |         |
| ___ Appalachia Darter .....                           | x x x - |
| <i>Percina gymnocephala</i>                           |         |
| ___ Sharpnose Darter .....                            | x x - - |
| <i>Percina oxyrhynchus</i>                            |         |

**SALMONIDAE: [2]**

|                              |         |
|------------------------------|---------|
| ___ Brown Trout .....        | x x - - |
| <i>Salmo trutta</i>          |         |
| ___ Brook Trout .....        | x x x - |
| <i>Salvelinus fontinalis</i> |         |