



POCKET GUIDE

Quick Facts

- 📍 Location: Brevard, NC (30 miles SW of Asheville)
- 💧 Waterfalls: 250+ in Transylvania County
- 🌲 Forests: Pisgah • DuPont • Gorges
- 🕒 Best Seasons: Spring (flow) • Summer (swim) • Fall (color) • Winter (ice)

Top 5 Must-See Waterfalls

- Looking Glass Falls — roadside icon, 60 ft drop
- Sliding Rock — natural waterslide, lifeguarded in summer
- Moore Cove Falls — easy hike, walk behind the veil
- Triple Falls (DuPont) — Hunger Games filming site
- Rainbow Falls (Gorges) — powerful, misty rainbows on sunny days

Family-Friendly Options

- Hooker Falls — calm pool for wading
- Moore Cove Falls — magical, short trail
- Sliding Rock — kids' summer favorite

Hidden Gems

- Log Hollow Falls — short hike, low crowds
- Slick Rock Falls — quiet roadside cascade
- Twin Falls — 6-mile hike, double cascade reward

ADA & Easy Access

- Looking Glass Falls — viewable from parking area
- Whitewater Falls (Upper Overlook) — paved path, tallest in Eastern US (811 ft)

Safety & Trail Etiquette

- 🚫 Stay off slick rocks & waterfall tops
- 🐕 Dogs allowed on leash
- 📶 Download offline maps (cell service is spotty)
- 🗑️ Leave No Trace: pack it in, pack it out

Pro Tips For Your Trip

- Basecamp in Brevard, NC for breweries, coffee, & outfitters
- Pair your hikes with a Blue Ridge Parkway drive
- Early morning = fewer crowds & best light for photos