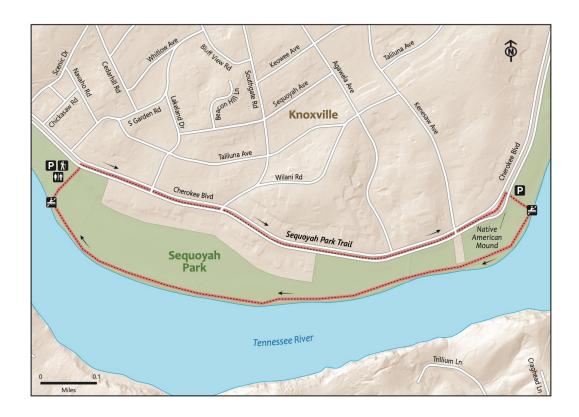
# Trail 7: Sequoyah Park

# **Key Characteristics**

Trail Name	Sequoyah Park
Region	Knoxville and Surroundings
Trail #	7
Time Estimate - Hiking Fast	1 hour
Time Estimate - Hiking Slowly	2 hours
Trail Distance (Miles)	2.1
Elevation Change	Flat
Pets	Allowed on leash
Parking Pass/Entrance Fee	Not Required
Restroom(s)	Yes
Terrain	Dirt path; grass; gravel path



#### Overview

Another gem among Knoxville city parks. The trail starts at a large parking area near the restroom building and walks towards the river. It follows the river past open fields, trees, and bushes that are practically impossible for kids not to explore. The trail cuts up toward the greenway and hikes past Indian burial mounds and the old (many large) houses along the path before returning to the start. In mild weather, it is a fantastic spot to hang up a hammock, go fish, have a picnic, or toss a frisbee or a football. Good for kids of all walking ages; alternate ways to access the greenway make it easy to create a shorter loop.



#### **Directions to the Trailhead**

Trailhead Address	Sequoyah Park Restrooms, W2HG+M9, Knoxville, TN 37919
Trailhead GPS Coordinates	35.92932, -83.97398

The above address takes you to the restrooms that serve as a landmark for this sprawling park. Please note that the address uses a "Plus" code that only works with Google Maps because the restrooms and trailhead don't have an assigned address.

Park in the large parking area and head toward the river and the large Elm tree with the steel wire around it. The trail begins there along the river.

### **Trail Description**

Distance from Start	Description
0.0	Walk southwest (toward the large, open part of the park) along the river.
0.1	Kayak and canoe put in spot on the right.
0.25	Enter a wooded section
0.4	Bench.
0.65	Distinctive, dome-shaded trees that kids can crawl into, between, and through.
0.9	Small rocky hill to walk over (you can walk around it on the greenway, but kids may enjoy scrambling up it).
1.1	Boat launch. Head up beside or through the parking lot to Sequoyak Greenway in the center of Cherokee Blvd. Turn left onto the
1.2	greenway.  Indian burial mound. Note the historical marker. Walk along past the homes on both sides of the greenway.
2.05	Traihead.



## Nearby

- Grabbing a great cup of coffee or breakfast. Nearby Treetop Coffee Shop (1206 Kenesaw Ave, Knoxville, TN 37919) and The Plaid Apron restaurant (1210 Kenesaw Ave, Knoxville, TN 37919) next door are great places to stop by.
- Playing at a nearby playground. Nearby Whitlow Park (4228 Whitlow Ave SW, Knoxville, TN 37919) features a small but fun playground, nice tennis courts, and a basketball court.