



Sky Bridge Trail #214

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Gladie Visitor Center

3451 Sky Bridge Road
Stanton, KY 40380
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Please call ahead for days and hours of operation.



Directions

From Slade, turn right on KY 15 and travel east 7 miles to KY 715. Turn left on 715 and continue for 4.7 miles to Sky Bridge Road. From Pine Ridge (exit 40 on the Mountain Parkway), head west on KY 15 to KY 715. Turn right on 715 and continue 4.7 miles to Sky Bridge Road.



Parking

Sky Bridge Picnic Area



Open Dates

Trail is open all year.



Trail Fees

None.



Permit

Permit required if **camping** in the Red River Gorge between 10 p.m. and 6 a.m.



Picnic Tables

9 tables.



Restrooms

Accessible vault toilets.



Accessibility

Trail does not meet accessibility standards for persons with disabilities.



This hiking-only trail is closed to motorized vehicles.



Consumption of alcohol and open containers of alcohol are prohibited.



Do not chisel, carve or spray paint into rock or any other natural feature.



Climbing or rappelling within 300 feet of Sky Bridge, Grays Arch, Nada Tunnel or Chimney Top Rock overlook is prohibited.



Camping and firebuilding in rock shelters is prohibited.



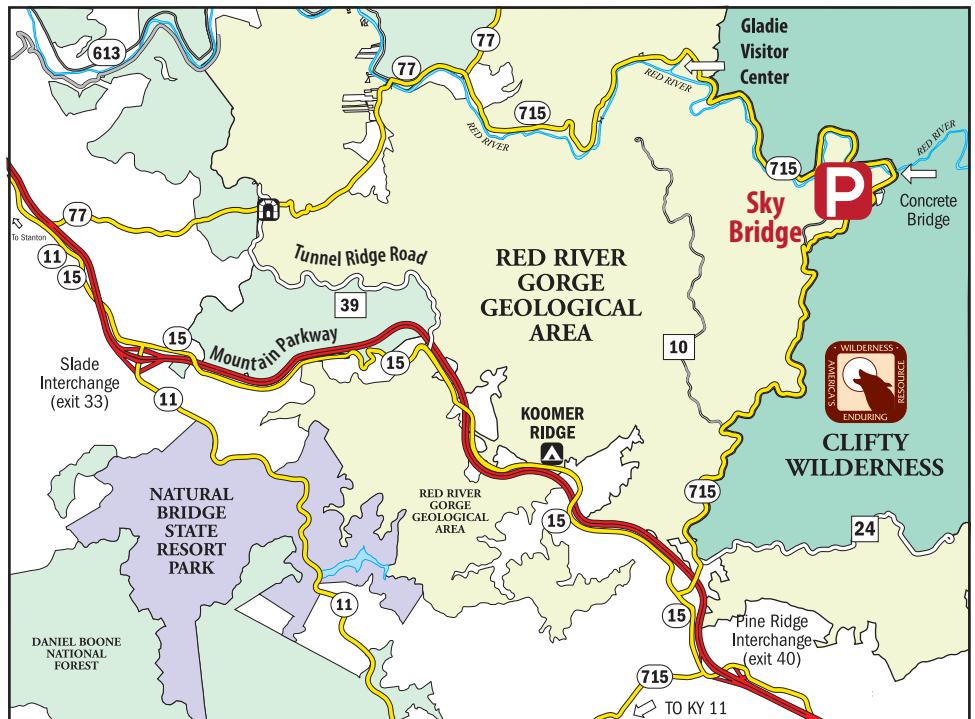
Camp 300 feet AWAY from any road or trail.

Sky Bridge Trail, located in the Red River Gorge on the Cumberland District, is a loop trail that leaves the Sky Bridge parking area and extends along a high narrow ridge to Sky Bridge and scenic overlooks. The trail passes over and beneath Sky Bridge, along a high cliff shelf and then up a flight stairs (75 steps) back to the parking area. The main attractions are breathtaking overlooks into the gorge and the natural sandstone arch. The way across the bridge is wide, but there is no guardrail to prevent a fall. Keep a close eye on children and keep pets on a leash when crossing.

Begins:	Sky Bridge Recreation Area	Difficulty:	Moderate
Ends:	Sky Bridge Recreation Area	Surface:	Dirt
Length:	1 mile	Quad:	Pomeroyton
County:	Wolfe	Latitude:	37.81601347
Closest Town:	Slade	Longitude:	-83.58478573

Storing Your Food and Trash in Bear Country

Food and trash storage is mandatory, to reduce odors that attract bears. Unless cooking or eating, store your food inside a hardtop vehicle, the trunk of a car or a bear-resistant container. In the backcountry, hang your food at least 10 feet off the ground and 4 feet away from a tree.



KNOW before you **GO** You are responsible for your own safety.

All outdoor activities have inherent risks and you may encounter a variety of unexpected and/or dangerous conditions. It is your responsibility to be informed and take precautions. Learn more at www.fs.usda.gov/r8.



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Sky Bridge Trail and Recreation Area
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	State Highway		Parking		Stairs
	Forest Road		Picnic Area		Viewpoint
	Forest Trail		Toilets		Accessible
	Stream				
	National Forest Land		Clifty Wilderness		Private Land



WARNING!
Use Caution Near Cliffs!