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Unlike other trails in the Apache and Sitgreaves National Forests, the Indian Springs Trail is limited to mountain bikers and hikers only. The trail is a moderate challenge, as there are a few steep climbs along the way.



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States: Arizona

Counties: Apache

Length: 7.5miles

Trail end points: Apache and Sitgreaves
National Forests to Apache and Sitgreaves
National Forests

Trail surfaces: Gravel

Trail category: Rail-Trail

Trail activities: Mountain Biking, Walking

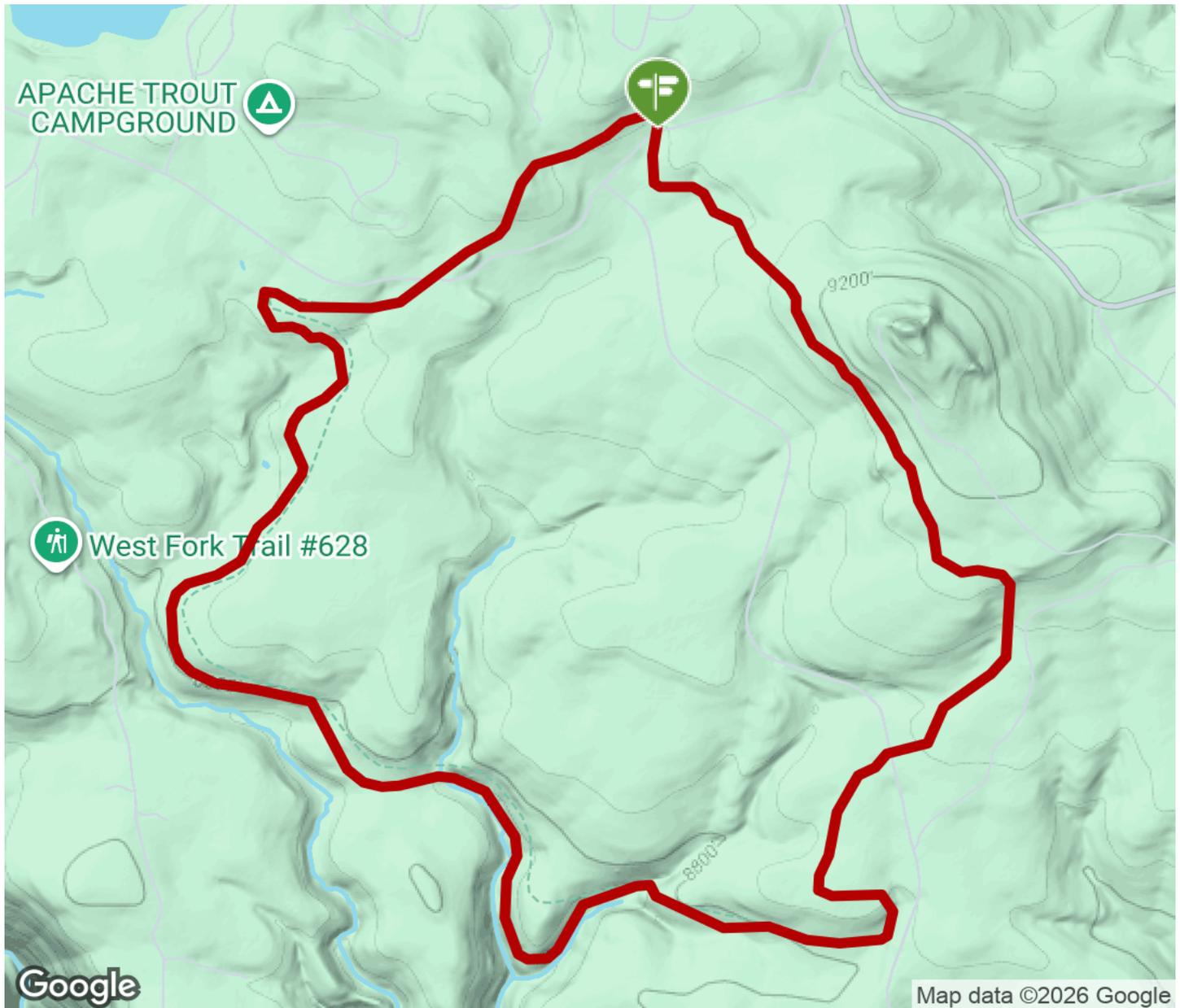
Parking & Trail Access

The trailhead for the Indian Springs Trail is located southeast of Big Lake, on the south side of Forest Road 249E. Note that parking is limited to 5 or 6 cars.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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