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Guides



**Santa Cruz
River Park
Trail**
Arizona



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The Santa Cruz River Park Trail follows the Santa Cruz River throughout Tucson, providing access to various amenities and neighborhoods, as well as the [Rillito River Park Trail](#), [Cañada del Oro River Park Trail](#), [Harrison Greenway](#) and [Julian Wash Greenway](#). It offers more than 40 miles of pathway along both sides of the river, which is a dry wash during most of the year.

Much of the paved trail is paralleled by a soft-surface path preferred by equestrians and joggers. The trail is also part of the expansive trail network known as The Chuck Huckelberry Loop, spanning more than 136 miles throughout Tucson and Pima County.



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States: Arizona

Counties: Pima

Length: 41.8miles

Trail end points: N. Sanders Rd. (Marana) to
W. Valencia Rd. (Tucson)

Trail surfaces: Asphalt

Trail category: Greenway/Non-RT

Trail activities: Bike, Inline

Skating, Wheelchair Accessible, Horseback

Riding, Walking

Parking & Trail Access

You can access the Santa Cruz River Park Trail wherever it crosses a road. Parking is available at the following locations:

- the ballfields off El Camino del Cerro west of the river
- Christopher Columbus Park off Silverbell Road
- off Riverview Boulevard just north of where it meets Apache Drive
- at the end of Ontario Street at Riverside Road
- a trailhead shared with the Julian Wash Greenway on Santa Cruz Lane (south of Silverlake Road)



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- Trailhead
- Restroom
- Parking
- Water Fountain
- Tunnel