

About Gateway Nature Preserve

Gateway Nature Preserve is made up of three habitats: a forested hillside to the north, an open meadow to the south, and Salem Creek flowing between them alongside the Salem Creek Greenway.

Directions & Parking

Gateway Nature Preserve is located next to Washington Park, south of downtown Winston-Salem at 1490 South Broad Street. Use Bond Street to enter the Washington Park parking lot. Follow the map to reach the Greenway or the Meadow. The Pollinator Garden entrance is off S. Broad Street.

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Protecting Habitat for Wildlife and People

The mission of Gateway Nature Preserve is to protect 19 acres of urban wildlife habitat and develop it as an environmental education center. The Preserve's natural biodiversity in the heart of Winston-Salem, combined with trails, gardens, and creative playscapes, invite children and adults to immerse themselves in nature and discover the myriad wildlife species that contribute to a healthy ecosystem.





Visit Gateway

Explore Forest Trails

Immerse yourself in the quiet beauty of the woods and learn about the ecological benefits of forests on the Forest Discovery Trail.

Romp and Stomp at Salem Creek

The creek provides water for wildlife and habitat for macroinvertebrates that are important to the food web.

Visit the Pollinator Garden

Our Pollinator Garden provides a muchneeded habitat for bees, butterflies, and other pollinators, whose numbers have been depleted by commercial development.

Gather at the Story Circle

Bordering the Greenway, our Story Circle serves as an outdoor classroom and gathering place to share stories and fun times.

SAMPLE WORKSHOPS:

Bird walks on forest trails Creek stomps in Salem Creek Plant tours in the Pollinator Garden Raptor workshops in the Story Circle

How You Can Help

Gateway exists for the community. Please support our work by becoming a member, volunteering in the garden or at activities, or sponsoring an event. You can learn more about specific opportunities at:

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