

TRAIL DESCRIPTIONS

South Peachtree Creek PATH - 2.6 miles

Mason Mill to Medlock Park: 1.2 mile

Mason Mill to N. Druid Hills Rd: 0.8 mile

Mason Mill to Emory University: 0.6 mile

(1) Dog Park Trail

0.2 mile - easy

(includes a moderate creek crossing)

This short out-and-back trail leads to the Mason Mill dog park (parking at Jamestown Rd) via stepping stones across Burnt Fork Creek. Crossing can be impassible in inclement weather.

(2) Privet Path & Champion Tree Loop

0.5 mile - easy

This flood plain trail leads through a tunnel of privet, along the banks of Burnt Fork Creek, and past the largest red maple and river birch trees in the city.

(3) Labyrinth Loop

0.3 mile moderate

This trail that winds back and forth over Ginger Hill can feel like a maze. Keep your eye out for native wildflowers, mature hardwood trees, and views of Burnt Fork Creek.

(4) Piedmont Loop

0.3 mile - moderate

This trail is a great example of a hardwood Piedmont forest. Despite past human disruption and some invasive plants, you'll enjoy the large trees and sloping hillside of this loop trail.

(5) High Point Loop

0.4 mile - moderate/ difficult

Be prepared for steep ascents and descents on this beautiful trail that connects the banks of South Fork Peachtree Creek with one of the highest ridges in the park.

(6) Watershed Loop

0.3 mile - easy

This loop trail connects the watersheds of South Fork Peachtree and Burnt Fork Creeks through a healthy forest that is home to wildflowers, laurels, and some beautiful beech trees.

(7) Three Creeks Trail

0.85 mile - easy (includes a difficult creek crossing)

The Three Creeks Trail is part of the South Fork Conservancy's network of trails and connects Mason Mill and Ira B. Melton Parks via the Old Decatur Waterworks and a creek crossing.

(8) StoryWalk® and (9) Woodland Cove

0.4 mile - easy

The StoryWalk® Trail is unblazed but displays a picture book for you to read. It connects the library and playground and provides access to the Woodland Cove Loop.

Connector Spur Trails

Trails with white blazes are point-to-point spur trails that connect the various loops. You can use the spur trails to plan a longer hike that utilizes several of the loops and the PATH. You'll find many more "social trails" in the park, but only blazed trails are official and maintained.