

Peebles Island State Park

About the Park

Peebles Island State Park is at the confluence of the Hudson and Mohawk Rivers. It offers spectacular river and rapids views for walkers and joggers who take advantage of the miles of paths through the gently rolling and wooded landscape.

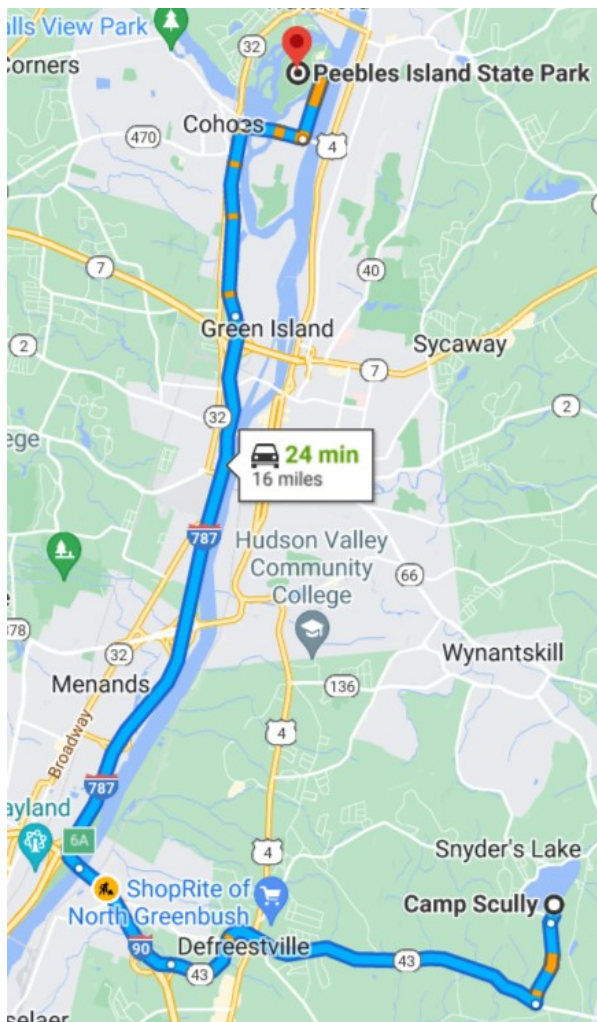
The 2.3 mile Perimeter Trail winds through open meadows, a hardwood forest, along cliff tops, and past river rapids in its two-mile loop. White-tail deer, beaver, skunks, hawks, owls and water fowl can be spotted, especially in the early morning hours. The elevation gain is 108’.

Numerous trails crisscross the island and are preferable during the summer months when the park receives a high volume of visitors. Fishing with a permit is allowed, and picnic tables are available along the route.

Though located within eye-shot of nearby towns, the rapids at the southeast shore drown out the sound of traffic, and three nearby uninhabited islands offer wilderness views to the west. Thus protected, Peebles Island offers nature walks that are both diverse and serene.

More Info: <https://parks.ny.gov/parks/peeblesisland/details.aspx>

Address and Directions



Address: 1 Delaware Avenue North, Cohoes, NY 12047
(~25 minutes from Camp Scully)

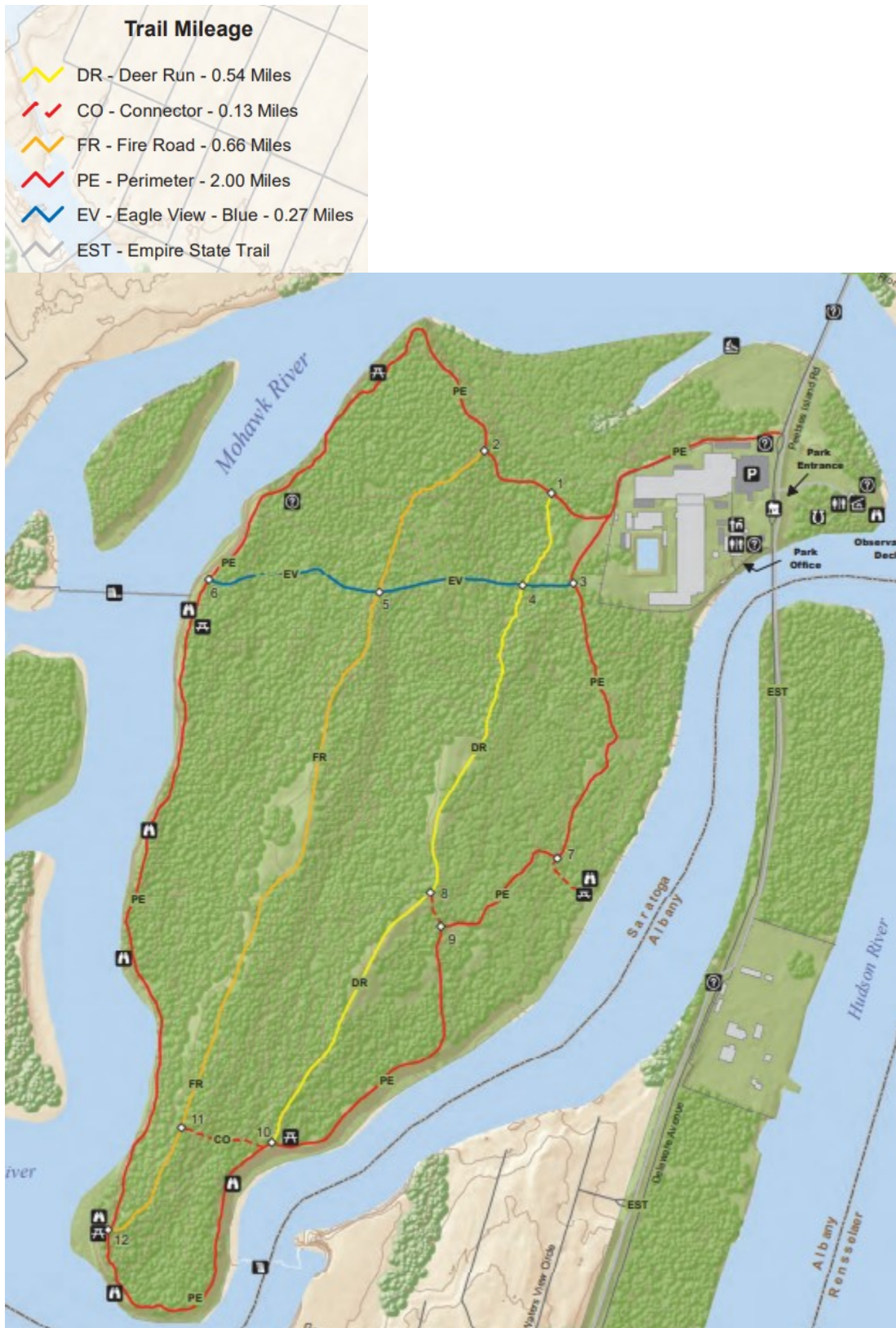
- ↑ Head south on Camp Scully Way toward Geiser Rd
45 s (0.2 mi)
- Take NY-43 W, I-787 N and NY-787 N to Delaware Ave/Railroad Dr in Cohoes
22 min (15.1 mi)
- ↶ Turn left onto Delaware Ave/Railroad Dr
2 min (0.7 mi)



Trail Maps

Download a full trail map: <https://parks.ny.gov/documents/parks/PeeblesIslandTrailMap.pdf>

Or download a digital map to your phone: <https://www.avenzamaps.com/maps/389564>



Park Fees

Unlike most NY State Parks, there is no vehicle entrance fee.