

# Five Things to Do

at Blackwood River National Park



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## Have a picnic

Whether you're just passing through Blackwood River National Park, or spending a few days camping here, make sure you take the time to pack and enjoy a picnic!

Relax beside Chapman Pool at Warner Glen Campground or enjoy the river views from raised decking at nearby Blackwood Views. With picnic tables located at multiple sites along the riverbanks, there are plenty of picnicking options available.

Slightly further afield, visitors can also grab a picnic table near Sues Bridge, in the shade of tall native trees, just a few metres from the water.

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## Follow the Blackwood River Walk

The Blackwood River Walk is a six-kilometre loop trail, starting at Blackwood River Park in Bridgetown.

This trail follows the Blackwood River, winding along the riverbank through the lush green forest. It's a particularly beautiful walk to do on a frosty morning, when the birds are singing and mist is hanging in the air.

This is a grade one (1) walk that is relatively flat and suitable for wheelchair users who have someone to assist them. Visit [Trails WA](#) for more information.

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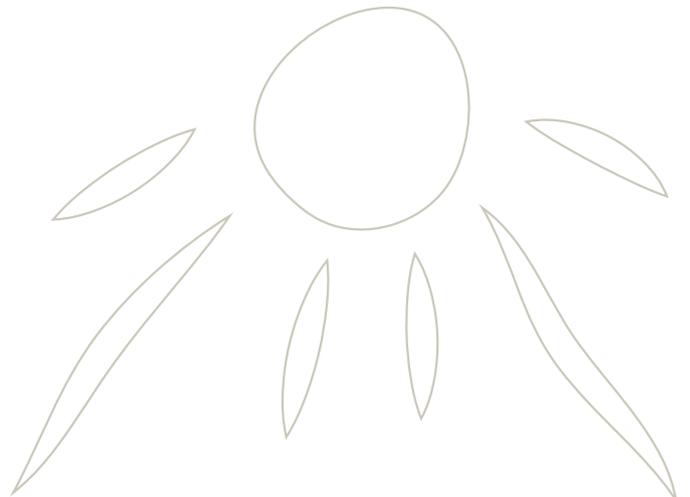
## Go camping

Take your time to explore Blackwood River National Park by staying a few days! The camping facilities within the park are perfect for beginner and experienced campers alike.

Sues Bridge Campground features 25 campsites (including two accessible campsites), drop toilets and barbecues. Wright's Bridge offers camping further inland, with 15 campsites and toilets available.

Each campground offers access to the Blackwood River for swimming and fishing, and the launch of canoes and kayaks.

Campsites cannot be booked and operate on a first-come, first-served basis, so make sure you get there early during the busy school holidays. For more information on camping in Blackwood River National Park, visit the [Explore Parks WA website](#).



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## Paddle along the Blackwood River

Paddling along the Blackwood River is one of the most serene ways to explore the national park.

Take in the beautiful native forest as you canoe or kayak through the water and keep an eye on the riverbanks for any curious wildlife, like waterbirds, emus and kangaroos!

If you don't have a canoe or kayak of your own, you can hire one or book a tour with [Blackwood River Canoeing](#). They'll even give you a lift to the perfect spot for your experience level.

For canoe and kayaking safety, visit the [Explore Parks WA website](#).

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## Try a tourist drive

If walking isn't your preferred method of exploration, you can discover Blackwood River National Park by car!

The Blackwood River Tourist Drive takes visitors alongside the Blackwood River at some points, passes through the quaint towns of Bridgetown and Nannup, and winds through stunning jarrah and marri forest.

You can find the details of the Blackwood River Tourist Drive on the [Trails WA website](#).

