



# ARKANSAS

## Arkansas: some state symbols



flag



bird: northern mockingbird



tree: pine



seal



flower: apple blossom

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<https://portal.arkansas.gov/>



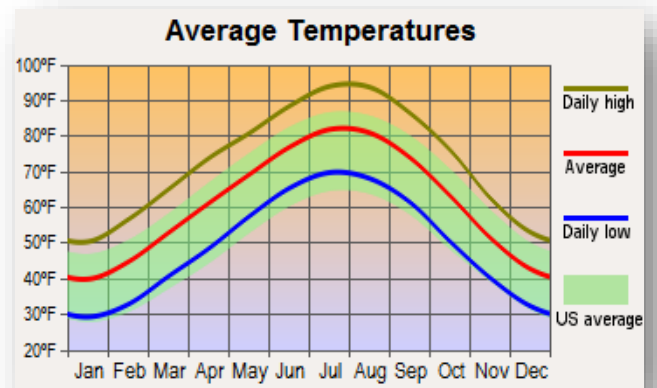
## ARKANSAS – CLIMATE

<https://www.britannica.com/place/Arkansas-state/Climate>

The climate of Arkansas generally is mild in the winter and hot in the summer. In Little Rock in January, temperatures usually rise from a low of about 30 °F (−1 °C) to a high of about 50 °F (10 °C) daily; in July, daily low temperatures are normally in the low 70s (low 20s C), and high temperatures are in the low 90s F (low 30s C). Temperatures vary with elevation and latitude, however. Precipitation in Arkansas typically amounts to nearly 50 inches (1,270 mm) annually and is distributed about equally throughout the year. October, however, tends to be somewhat drier than other months. The wettest areas are in the Ouachita Mountains and the southeastern part of the state; the driest area is in the Ozarks in the northwest. The Ozark Mountains and Crowley's Ridge support extensive hardwood forests dominated by oak and hickory, with understories of dogwood and redbud. In the Ouachitas the vegetation is predominantly mixed pine and hardwood forest. The lowlands were extensively modified by agriculture, but remnants of the original bottomland hardwood forest remain. About half of the state is forest-covered. Arkansas is the year-round home to some 300 native species of birds, including bald eagles, assorted hawks, barn owls, blue jays, cardinals and other finches, and flycatchers, among others. Sightings of the large, majestic ivory-billed woodpecker, for decades thought to be extinct, were reported in the early 21st century in the state's east-central wooded wetlands. Arkansas is situated on the Mississippi flyway and thus is a seasonal way station for migratory ducks, geese, shorebirds, and various small land birds.

## MAJOR CITIES:

Middle Arkansas – Little Rock  
West Arkansas – Fort Smith  
East Arkansas – Jonesboro  
North Arkansas – Fayetteville



# CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

Click on these sites for more cultural activity ideas:

- <https://www.tripadvisor.com/Attractions-g28925-Activities-Arkansas.html>
- <https://www.arkansas.com/things-to-do>
- <https://www.busytourist.com/things-to-do-in-arkansas/>



**Crystal Bridges Museum  
of American Art – Bentonville**  
<https://crystalbridges.org/>

**Hot Springs National Park – Hot Springs**  
<https://www.nps.gov/hosp/index.htm>

**Garvan Woodland Gardens – Hot Springs**  
<https://www.garvangardens.org/>

**Little Rock Central High School  
National Historic Site – Little Rock**  
<https://www.nps.gov/chsc/index.htm>

**River Market – Little Rock**  
<https://www.littlerock.com/river-market/>

**Clinton Presidential Library – Little Rock**  
<https://www.clintonlibrary.gov/>

**Botanical Garden of the Ozarks – Fayetteville**  
<https://www.bgozarks.org/>

**Crater of Diamonds State Park – Murfreesboro**  
<https://www.arkansasstateparks.com/parks/crater-diamonds-state-park>

**Locked Away Escapes – Jonesboro**  
<https://www.escaperoomjonesboro.com/>





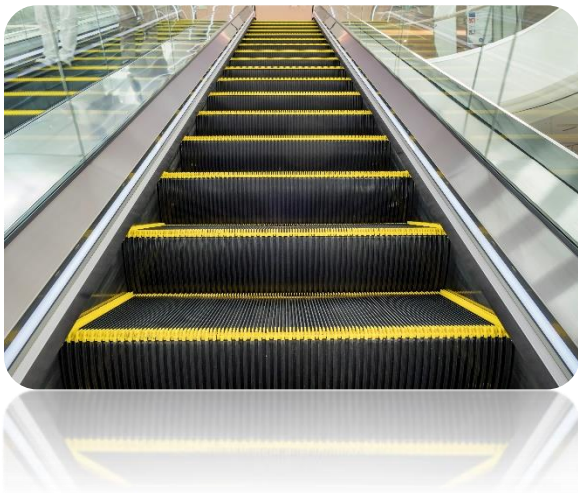
# GROCERY SHOPPING

Harvest Foods	Brookshire Brothers
Kroger	Piggly Wiggly
Riceland Foods	Save A Lot
Neighborhood Market	



Click on this link for more grocery stores:

<http://supermarketpage.com/state/AR/>



# SHOPPING MALLS

Click on this link for a list of shopping malls:

<https://mallseeker.com/arkansas-malls.aspx>

# PHARMACIES

CVS Pharmacy	Walgreens
Walmart	
Kroger Pharmacy	

Click here to locate other pharmacies:

<https://www.goodrx.com/pharmacy-near-me/all/ar>



# POST OFFICES / SHIPPING



Click here for more information:

<http://www.postofficehours.net/state/AR.html>



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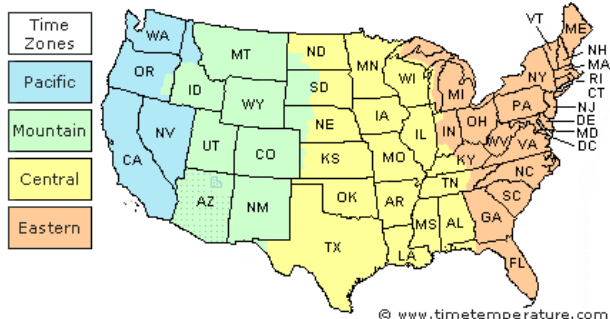
<https://local.fedex.com/en-us/ar>



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<https://locations.theupsstore.com/ar>

## TIME ZONES



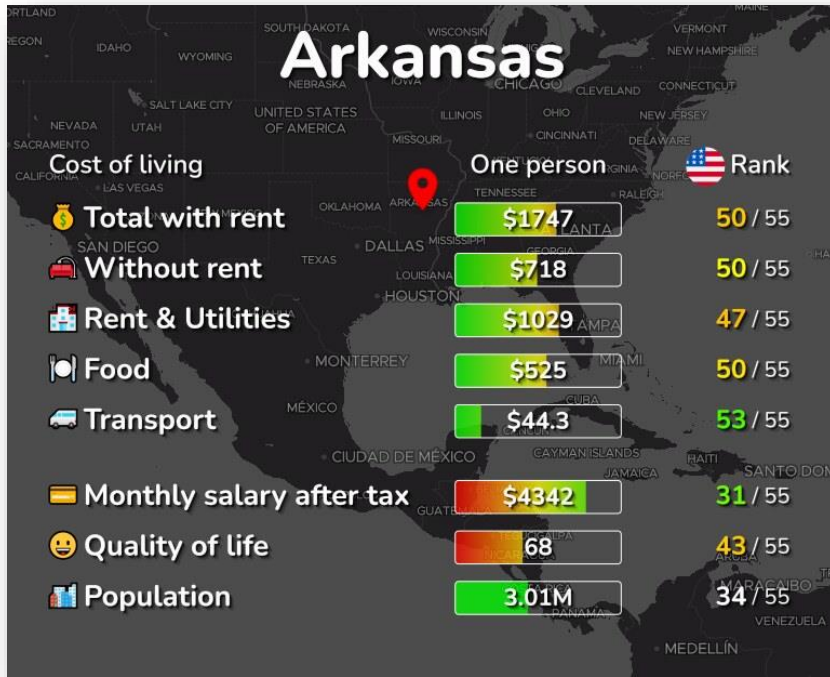
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[https://www.timetemperature.com/tz/arkansas\\_time\\_zone.shtml](https://www.timetemperature.com/tz/arkansas_time_zone.shtml)

### Arkansas Local Time Details

Time Zone Abbreviations	Central Standard Time - is abbreviated as CST Central Daylight Time - is abbreviated as CDT
UTC - GMT Offset	Arkansas is GMT/UTC - 6h during Standard Time Arkansas is GMT/UTC - 5h during Daylight Saving Time
Daylight Saving Time Usage	Arkansas does utilize Daylight Saving Time.
Daylight Saving Start Date	Arkansas starts Daylight Saving Time on Sunday March 10, 2024 at 2:00 AM local time.
Daylight Saving End Date	Arkansas ends Daylight Saving Time on Sunday November 3, 2024 at 2:00 AM local time.

# COST OF LIVING IN ARKANSAS



Click here for more information:

<https://livingcost.org/cost/united-states/ar>



## MINIMUM WAGE

State	2024 Minimum Wage	2024 Tipped Wage
AR	\$11.00	\$2.63

Click here for more information:

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/minimum-wage/state#ar>

or

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/state/minimum-wage/tipped#Arkansas>

## WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Click here for more information:

<http://www.awcc.state.ar.us/>



## TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Click here for more information:

<https://www.apta.com/research-technical-resources/public-transportation-links/arkansas/>

Ride Sharing:

[www.uber.com](http://www.uber.com)

[www.lyft.com](http://www.lyft.com)

