



## Trail Explorers Scavenger Hunt Questions 2021

#SugarBadger



These questions represent locations you will encounter while exploring the trails in Southern Wisconsin. Some questions pertain to locations slightly off the trail, providing you with a flavor of the communities along the way.

Be sure to bring this list and a pencil to record your answers. If your goal is to become a Trail Explorer, answer all 10 questions. A Badger Explorer should answer the 5 questions that end with "Badger Explorer" and a Sugar River Explorer the 5 questions labeled "Sugar River Explorer." When you have all the answers, submit them along with your photos and a summary of your experiences to [explorer@friendsofbadgerstatetrail.org](mailto:explorer@friendsofbadgerstatetrail.org).

- 1. Freeport:** Does the trail go over or under Hwy 20? (Badger Explorer)

Hint: At the Jane Addams Trail Head at West Block Access the trail crosses Hwy 20, a four-lane auto roadway. Note whether the trail goes over or under this highway.

- 2. Brodhead:** What road intersects with the Sugar River Trail twice? (Sugar River Explorer)

Hint: The road also crosses the Norwegian River at Headgates Park.

- 3. Brodhead:** What is the name of the covered bridge on the Sugar River State Trail that is near Brodhead? (Sugar River Trail)

- 4. Monroe:** What fighter jet did General Nathan Twining believe was the best in the Air Force?

Hint: At 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue turn into Twining Park and follow the road to where an antique jet airplane is on display. A nearby plaque describes the accomplishments of Monroe native Nathan Twining. Record the name of the jet. (Badger Explorer)

- 5. Clarno:** What is the name of the first road you cross north of the Illinois/Wisconsin border? (Badger Explorer)

Hint: This is the first county road you cross over at grade.

- 6. Albany:** A section of the Sugar River Trail is part of the Ice Age National Scenic Trail. Name the two roads between which this section is located. (Sugar River Explorer)

Hint: This section of the Ice Age Trail starts after New Glarus and ends just after Albany.

- 7. Monticello:** Who is memorialized in the historical marker at Montesian Lake and why? (Sugar River Explorer)

Hint: On the west side of the lake is a tall sign with the lake's name. The historical marker next to it celebrates the man who left his aromatic mark on Green County's dairy industry.

- 8. Belleville:** What was the brick building in the John Frederick Memorial Park originally called? (Badger Explorer)

Hint: The trail runs through a park in downtown Belleville called the John Frederick Memorial Park at East Main St. and South Park St. There is a brick building in the park. Find the sign near the top of the building that says "Erected 1894". Record the words above this date that say what the building was originally constructed as.

- 9. New Glarus:** How many settlers were in the initial group that arrived in New Glarus in August 1845? (Sugar River Explorer)

Hint: The Sugar River Trail ends at a former rail depot at Railroad St. and Fifth Ave. in downtown New Glarus. There is a historical marker in the parking lot erected in 1961 that tells the story of the first settlers to the region. Read the story and record the number of settlers.

- 10. Madison:** The Badger Trail connects with Jane Addams, Sugar River State, Cannonball Path, Southwest Path and what other trail? (Badger Explorer)

Hint: The surface of the Badger Trail is paved north of Purcell Road and at the Velo UnderRound it intersects with this trail.