



**STATE OF TENNESSEE**  
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**Application for Scientific Research and Collection on State Parks and Natural Areas\***

Return Application to  
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\*Note: if collecting on other agencies' properties (Wildlife Management Areas, State Forests, etc.), a permit is needed from that land management agency rather than Department of Environment and Conservation. Any wildlife collections (vertebrates, mollusks, or crustaceans), regardless of location, require a permit from the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency. Visit <http://www.tn.gov/twra/sciencollection.html> for more information.

Use your tab key to move between fields when completing electronically.

Name and Address	Institution or Organization
If student, name of major professor	E-mail address
For how long is the permit requested?	From:            to:            Telephone
	[One (1) year maximum, renewable]

**NARRATIVE OF PROPOSED RESEARCH**

Area(s) of Collection/Research:

Purpose of Research:

Objectives:

Procedures of study (methods and materials):

Specimens to be collected (include common and scientific name and number of each):

Any anticipated environmental alterations that might result during or after completing the study:

Ultimate deposition(s) of specimens:

Permanent location of recorded data:

**Applicant Signature**

Filling in your name in this field is considered to be your signature if filing electronically.

**Date**