

Paul M. Grist State Park




DANETTE MILLS

The centerpiece of this beautiful 1,080-acre park is a 100-acre lake. Visitors enjoy the relaxing atmosphere surrounding the lake, which offers fishing, paddling and swimming.

Day use opportunities include picnicking and barbecue grills are available throughout the picnic area. Pavilions are available for family reunions, birthday parties and other special events. Two hiking trails offer short excursions into the surrounding forest.

Six modern campsites overlook the lake, which is surrounded by southern pines and hardwoods. For those who prefer tent camping, primitive sites are also available.

While staying at Paul M. Grist State Park, you can visit the nearby city of Selma, where there are many historic houses and The Old Depot Museum, an interpretive museum in an 1891 railway depot. Selma is also known for civil rights history and is home to the National Voting Rights Museum. Selma hosts several events throughout the year such as the Battle of Selma Re-enactment in April and Kenan's Mill Bluegrass Festival in November. Nearby is Old Cahawba Archaeological Park, the site of Alabama's first capital. 



- **LOCATION:** 15 miles north of Selma, Alabama in Dallas County
- **ADMISSION:**
Age 6 to 12: \$1.00
Age 13 to 61: \$2.00
Age 62 and over: \$1.00
Fishing and boat launch covered under admission price.
- **RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES:** swimming, fishing, boating, picnicking, hiking and camping.
- **GROUP PAVILIONS:** 1 small, 1 large
- **CAMPING:** 6 RV sites with sewer, water and electricity. A bathhouse is located nearby that is ADA accessible. 50 amp service at all campsites; primitive camping also available.
- **FISHING:** 100-acre lake stocked with bass, bluegill, redear sunfish and catfish. No gasoline motors are allowed, but electric trolling motors are welcome. Jon-boats are available for rent and a launching ramp is provided for privately owned boats.
- **RENTALS:** Jon boats, canoes and paddleboats
- **VENDING:** Fishing tackle, bait and refreshments.

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