VISIT BOISE LIKE A LOCAL

Mountain views, endless access to trails, a thriving culinary scene...There are so many reasons why people are falling in love with Boise. We’re spilling a few secrets on things to do in Boise to act like (or at least look like) a native.

HIT THE RIVER
Check out Idaho River Outfitters to rent kayaks, paddleboards & more!

FLOATING
Take an inner tube or raft down the river

WHITENWATER KAYAKING AND SURFING
Ride some waves at Boise’s Whitewater Park!

STAND UP PADDLE BOARDING
Paddle through the calm, clear waters at Quinn’s Pond.

FISHING
Catch a big one — bass, trout, steelhead, and more!

BIKING AND LONGBOARDING
Cruise the Greenbelt, a 21-mile long paved trail.

HIKE TABLE ROCK
Throngs of Boise locals do this every week — it’s a tradition of sorts. When you get to the top you will see why. The most popular route climbs steeply from the Old Penitentiary parking lot to the top. It’s an old road, so it’s quite wide for the majority of its length – just keep looking up! When you get to the top, take in the stunning views of the rolling foothills and cityscapes below.

Sunsets are breathtaking here. Bring along a picnic basket for dinner with a view!

WINE AND DINE
Surrounded by local farms and wineries, the City of Trees is home to a thriving culinary scene. Here farm-to-fork dining paired with award-winning local wine isn’t an anomaly — it’s the standard.

PROGRESSIVE DINNER ON 8TH STREET
8th Street in downtown Boise is lined with restaurants that have a fierce loyalty to showcasing fresh, local ingredients. Hit some of our favorites: Fork, Alavita, Juniper and Red Feather.

WINE TASTING ALONG THE RIVER
Get out the bike and cruise along the Boise River Greenbelt, stopping at local wineries along the way. Telaya, Coiled, Cinder and Split Rail are just a few located off the pathway. Cheers!