

2024-2025 Fort Campbell Hunting & Fishing Regulations

SEASON DATES AND BAG LIMITS

SEASON		OPENING DATE	CLOSING DATE	BAG LIMIT	PAGE
White-Tailed Deer Hunting	Archery	28 Sep 2024	5 Jan 2025	1 antlered/season 3 doe/day	2
	Shotgun, Muzzleloader	9 Nov 2024	5 Jan 2025		
	Youth Deer Hunt (A, SG, M)	16 Nov 2024	17 Nov 2024	1 antlered* 3 doe/day	3
Wild Turkey Hunting	Fall Turkey (Archery Only)	28 Sep 2024	25 Oct 2024	1 bearded turkey/season	4
		28 Oct 2024	8 Nov 2024		
	Fall Turkey (A, SG)	12 Oct 2024	25 Oct 2024		
	Spring Turkey**	TBA	TBA		4
	Youth Turkey Hunt	TBA		1 bearded turkey*	4
Wild Hogs	Hunting Prohibited	No Season		See details to report sightings	4
Small Game Hunting	Squirrel	24 Aug 2024 10 May 2025	15 Mar 2025 8 Jun 2025	10/day	5
	Coyote	Year Round		No limit	5
	Raccoon	20 Sep 2024	15 Mar 2025	4/day	5
	Rabbit	2 Nov 2024	28 Feb 2025	5/day	5
	Bobcat	22 Nov 2024	28 Feb 2025	1/day	5
	Quail (subject to change)	1 Dec 2024	28 Feb 2025	6/day 12/party	5
	Bullfrog	1 Jun 2024 1 Jun 2025	21 Aug 2024 30 Jun 2025	20/day	5
Migratory Bird Hunting	Dove	1 Sep 2024 12 Oct 2024 8 Dec 2024	28 Sep 2024 3 Nov 2024 15 Jan 2025	15/day	6
	Early Duck: Wood Duck and Teal	14 Sep 2024	18 Sep 2024	6/day No more than 2 wood ducks/day	6
	Early Duck: Teal	19 Sep 2024	22 Sep 2024	6/day	6
	Early Canada Goose	1 Sep 2024	22 Sep 2024	5/day	6
	Wilson Snipe	14 Nov 2024	28 Feb 2025	8/day	6
	American Woodcock	9 Nov 2024 10 Jan 2025	1 Dec 2024 31 Jan 2025	3/day	6
	Crow	See schedule details		No limit	7
	Late Waterfowl	30 Nov 2024 5 Dec 2024	1 Dec 2024 31 Jan 2025	Follows federal regulations.	7
	Youth Waterfowl Hunt	1 Feb 2025 and 8 Feb 2025			
	Veterans/Active Military Hunt	2 Feb 2025 and 9 Feb 2025			
Fishing	Various Species	Year Round		Creel limit varies by species	8

CLOSURES TO ALL HUNTING, FISHING, AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES ARE EXPECTED IN THE REAR AREA 11 OCTOBER thru 15 NOVEMBER DUE TO MILITARY TRAINING REQUIREMENTS.

A= Archery, SG= Shotgun, M=Muzzleloader

*Does not count towards Fort Campbell season bag limit

** Spring Turkey/Youth Turkey is TBA due to military training requirements.

For more detailed hunting and fishing regulations review [CAM Reg. 200-4 Installation Hunting and Fishing \(15 July 2020\)](#). This document is located on ft.campbell.isportsman.net under the "Regulations" tab.

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WHITE-TAILED DEER HUNTING

SEASON DATES & BAG LIMITS (Closures to all hunting, fishing, and recreation activities are expected in the rear area 11 October thru 15 November due to military training requirements).

Archery: 28 September 2024 – 5 January 2025

Shotgun and Muzzleloader: 9 November 2024 – 5 January 2025

Only one (1) antlered deer per season. Antler measurements must meet definition of legal antlered deer. Three (3) antlerless deer per day; no season limit. Antlerless deer are considered deer with less than 3 inches antler length.

Deer harvested on Fort Campbell are considered bonus for Tennessee and Kentucky license holders and do not count towards state bag limits. Harvested deer shall be checked-in to Fort Campbell through iSportsman.

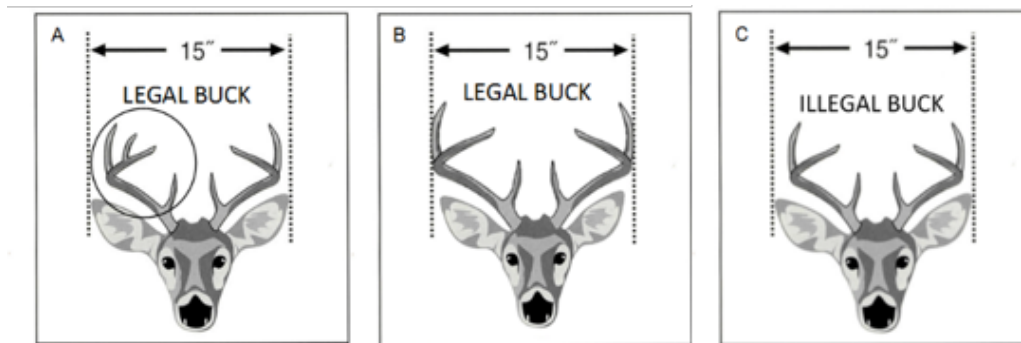
LEGAL ANTLERED DEER DEFINITION

A legal antlered deer is defined as having four (4) points on one antler or an outside spread of fifteen (15) inches. A point must be at least one (1) inch to count towards required four (4) points on one side.

An antlered deer with less than a fifteen (15) inch outside spread may be harvested if that deer has at least four (4) points on one antler.

An antlered deer with less than four (4) points on both antlers may be harvested if that deer has an outside spread of at least fifteen (15) inches.

An antlered deer with a fifteen (15) inch spread will extend just outside each ear.

**LEGAL FORMS OF TAKE**

Crossbows are permitted. Archery equipment is authorized in shotgun/muzzleloader areas. Archery hunters in shotgun/muzzleloader areas must abide by hunter orange requirements. Shotguns and muzzleloaders are prohibited in archery only areas.

Use of centerfire rifles is prohibited.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION All harvested deer must be reported on iSportsman. Specific days may be designated where check-in is required in person for data collection. Schedule is TBD.

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YOUTH DEER HUNT

SEASON DATES & BAG LIMIT

16 - 17 November 2024

Only one (1) antlered deer may be harvested during Youth Deer Hunt. Antler restrictions do not apply for youth hunters participating in the Youth Deer Hunt. Only three (3) antlerless deer may be harvested per day during Youth Deer Hunt. Legal antlered deer for Youth Deer Hunt are considered deer with at least three (3) inches antler length.

Deer harvested by youth during the Youth Deer Hunt do not count towards their Fort Campbell season bag limit.

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Youth deer hunt online registration will begin at 0800 CST on 16 September thru 1600 CST on 31 October 2024 - Youth 9 – 17 years of age, at the time of the hunt, are eligible for participation. Participation will be limited to 200 participants. Additional participants may be allowed at the discretion of the installation pending area availability. Priority will be given to active-duty military. All youth must be accompanied by an adult in order to participate (**one (1) hunting youth per one (1) adult companion**). Both youth hunters and adult companions must possess appropriate Tennessee or Kentucky issued hunting license, proof of a state certified hunter education course completion, and Fort Campbell permits **at the time of registration to be eligible for the hunt**. Area reservations for Saturday, 16 November will be open Friday, 15 November. Area reservations for Sunday, 17 November will be open on Saturday, 16 November 2024.

NEW Online Registration: visit our website ([Home Page](#)) at usarmy.campbell.imcom.mbx.fish-and-wildlife@army.mil and go to Activities/Youth Hunt.

CHECK STATION

All harvested deer must be checked in with Fort Campbell Fish and Wildlife at Lake Kyle.



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WILD TURKEY HUNTING**FALL TURKEY SEASON (Harvest is limited to fall turkey areas only)**

28 September – 25 October 2024 and 28 October – 8 November 2024

(Archery only, crossbows permitted)

12 October 2024 – 25 October 2024

(Archery, crossbows, and shotguns permitted)

Season limit is one (1) bearded turkey during the fall turkey hunting season.

Take of turkeys outside of areas designated for fall turkey hunting is prohibited.

SPRING TURKEY SEASON

TBA – Due to Military Training Exercise Dates.

Bag limits and restrictions are one (1) bearded turkey during the spring turkey season. Fanning or Reaping is prohibited.

All harvested turkey must be reported to Fort Campbell Fish and Wildlife through iSportsman. Specific days may be designated where check-in is required in person for data collection. Schedule is TBD.

SPRING TURKEY YOUTH HUNT

TBA – due to Military Training Exercise Dates.

Spring turkey youth hunt online registration will begin **at 0800 CST on 10 March** thru **1600 CST on 12 April 2025**. Turkeys harvested by Youth during Youth Turkey Hunt do not count towards their Fort Campbell season bag limit. Only one (1) bearded turkey may be harvested per youth during Youth Turkey Hunt. Bearded turkeys are considered turkeys with a visible beard. All youth must be accompanied by an adult in order to participate (**one (1) hunting youth per one (1) adult companion**). Both youth hunters and adult companions must possess appropriate Tennessee or Kentucky issued hunting license, proof of a state certified hunter education course completion, and Fort Campbell permits **at the time of registration to be eligible for the hunt**.

Online Registration: visit our website (**Home Page**) at usarmy.campbell.imcom.mbx.fish-and-wildlife@army.mil and go to Activities/Youth Hunt.

CHECK STATION

All turkey harvested on the youth hunt must be checked in with Fort Campbell Fish and Wildlife at Lake Kyle the day of the hunt (See map on page 3).

Wild Hogs

FERAL HOG HUNTING Pursuing feral hogs by any means is illegal on Fort Campbell, to include incidental take. Please report all feral hog sightings to Fort Campbell Fish and Wildlife on the iSportsman HazRDS App link at the bottom of the Fort Campbell iSportsman Homepage (<https://ftcampbell.isportsman.net>) or by calling the installation biologist at (270) 798-9854.

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SMALL GAME HUNTING

FALL SQUIRREL

24 August 2024 – 15 March 2025

Daily bag limit is ten (10)

SPRING SQUIRREL

10 May 2025 – 8 June 2025

Daily bag limit is ten (10)

COYOTE

YEAR ROUND - *Deer & Turkey Hunting will take precedence over Coyote Hunting*

No daily limit. No season limit. Coyotes may be taken with shotgun, muzzleloader, rimfire rifles, or archery. Shot size greater than 00 buck is prohibited. Coyotes may be taken on any authorized hunt, **except raccoon hunts**. Use of electronic and non-electronic calls to lure coyotes are permitted only in designated coyote hunting areas. Coyotes may not be hunted at night.

RACCOON

20 September 2024 – 15 March 2025

Daily bag limit is four (4). Nightly Hunting parties can consist of three (3) hunters. Raccoons may be harvested during any hunt within defined season dates and bag limits. Opossum may be taken during any authorized raccoon hunt. No daily bag limit for Opossum.

RABBIT

2 November 2024 – 28 February 2025

Daily bag limit is five (5). Hunting parties can consist of up to four (4) hunters.

BOBCAT

22 November 2024 – 28 February 2025

Daily bag limit is one (1). Bobcats may be harvested on any authorized deer, or coyote hunt within defined season dates and bag limits. Use of electronic and non-electronic calls to lure bobcats are permitted in areas designated as coyote hunting areas.

QUAIL

1 December 2024 – 28 February 2025 (early season areas may be limited).

Daily bag limit is six (6). Party limit is twelve (12). Hunting parties can consist of three (3) hunters but combined daily bag limit is restricted to twelve (12) per party. Harvest of quail outside of an area designated for quail hunting is prohibited.

BULLFROG

1 June 2024 – 21 August 2024 & 1 June 2025 – 30 June 2025

Daily bag limit is 20.

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MIGRATORY BIRD HUNTING

Tennessee, Kentucky, and Federal laws regarding daily bag limits and possession limits apply to all migratory birds.

DOVE

1 September 2024 – 28 September 2024

12 October 2024 – 3 November 2024

8 December 2024 – 15 January 2025

May be harvested (within season dates) in any small game hunting area. Daily bag limit is fifteen (15).

EARLY DUCK SEASON

Wood Duck and Teal Only

14 September 2024 – 18 September 2024

The daily bag limit of ducks is six (6) and may include no more than two (2) wood ducks.

Teal Only

19 September – 22 September 2024

The daily bag limit of ducks is six (6).

EARLY CANADA GOOSE SEASON

1 September 2024 – 22 September 2024

Daily bag limit is five (5) Canada geese.

WILSON SNIPE

14 November 2024 – 28 February 2025

May be harvested (within season dates) in any small game hunting area. Daily bag limit is eight (8).

AMERICAN WOODCOCK

9 November 2024 – 1 December 2024

10 January 2025 – 31 January 2025

Daily bag limit is three (3). May be harvested (within season dates) in any small game or authorized quail hunting area.

CROW

1 Sep 2024 – 5 Sep 2024

13 Sep 2024 – 20 December 2024

1 January 2025 – 28 February 2025

No bag limit for crows - may be harvested (within season dates) in any small game hunting area.

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LATE WATERFOWL SEASON

30 November 2024 – 1 December 2024

5 December 2024 – 31 January 2025

Ducks: The daily bag limit of ducks is six (6) birds a day which may include no more than four (4) mallards (no more than two (2) of which may be a female), three (3) wood ducks, two (2) canvasbacks, two (2) redheads, two (2) black ducks, one (1) pintail, and one (1) mottled duck. The daily bag limit for scaups is one (1) scaup 30 Nov. and 1 Dec., 5 Dec. – 17 Dec. then two (2) scaups from 5 Dec – 31 Jan 2025.

Mergansers: Daily bag limit is five (5), only two (2) of which may be hooded mergansers.

Coot: Daily bag limit is fifteen (15).

Canada geese: Daily bag limit is three (3).

The possession limit is three (3) times the daily bag limit, except on opening day and the second day of the season when the possession limit is one (1) and two (2) times the daily bag limit, respectively.

LATE WATERFOWL YOUTH HUNT AND VETERANS / ACTIVE MILITARY PERSONNEL

Youth Hunt: 1 February 2025 and 8 February 2025

Veterans/Active Duty: 2 February 2025 and 9 February 2025

Daily bag limit for Canada geese is restricted to three (3) per day.

Only youth hunters 9 – 16 years of age may harvest coots, gallinules, moorhens, ducks, mergansers, and geese during Youth Waterfowl Season. Youth aged 16 are still required to possess a valid Federal Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (Federal Duck Stamp). Non-hunting adults 21 years of age shall accompany the youth hunter(s) into the field during the Youth Waterfowl Season and must remain in a position to take immediate control of the hunting device. Up to three (3) youth hunters may be accompanied by a single qualifying adult. Both youth hunter(s) and accompanying adults must possess appropriate Tennessee or Kentucky State issued hunting licenses and Fort Campbell permit.

Veterans (as defined in section 101 of title 38, United States Code) and members of the Armed Forces on active duty, including members of the National Guard and Reserves on active duty (other than for training), may participate and harvest coot, gallinule, moorhen, ducks, mergansers, and geese.

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FISHING CREEL LIMITS

SPECIES	MINIMUM LENGTH	DAILY LIMIT	POSSESSION LIMIT
Trout	None	7	14
Black Bass	See slot limit details below	5	10
Panfish (all species)	None	25	50
Catfish	None	10	20
Crappie	10"	10	20

Slot Limit for Black Bass: Black bass under 15" may be harvested with a daily limit of five (5). Only one (1) black bass over 15" may be harvested per day.

Black Bass (includes Largemouth, Smallmouth, and Spotted Bass).

Anticipated Trout Stocking Dates

Dates	Agency	Species	Hatchery
July 2024	TWRA	Rainbow Trout	Dale Hollow Fish Hatchery
September 2024	TWRA	Rainbow Trout	Dale Hollow Fish Hatchery
February 2025	KDFWR	Brown and Rainbow Trout	Wolf Creek Fish Hatchery
April 2025	KDFWR	Brown and Rainbow Trout	Wolf Creek Fish Hatchery
June 2025	TWRA	Rainbow Trout	Dale Hollow Fish Hatchery
July 2025	TWRA	Rainbow Trout	Dale Hollow Fish Hatchery

Subject to fish availability and hatchery schedules



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