An oceanfront campground on a palmetto-lined beach famed for its shelling is just one highlight of Edisto Beach State Park.

Only an hour from Charleston, the park also offers another campground deep in the maritime forest full of live oaks and some of the state’s tallest palmetto trees, as well as a row of comfortable cabins nestled in the woods but with a front-row view of miles of pristine marshland.

Edisto Beach State Park also offers the state’s longest system of handicapped-friendly hiking and biking trails, including one leading to a mysterious, 4,000-year-old shellmidden alongside a secluded bend on a tidal creek.

The park also has an environmental education center, a “green” building full of exhibits that highlight the natural history of Edisto Island and the surrounding ACE Basin, one of the nation’s largest preserved estuaries.

Counties: Colleton
Acreage: 1255
Pets: Pets are not allowed in the cabins or the cabin areas. Pets are allowed in most other outdoor areas provided they are kept under physical restraint or on a leash not longer than six feet.
Driving Directions:
From Hwy. 17: Take Hwy 174, 28 mi. to entrance of the town of Edisto Beach. As you enter the town limits, the entrance to the park will be on your left.
Lodging Information: Seven fully furnished cabins (2 cabins with handicap access)
GPS Coordinates: Long: 80° 18’ 0.54”W, Lat: 32° 31’ 15.05”N
Park Facilities & Activities:
Birding
Boating/Boat Landing
Camping: Standard Sites (112), 50 AMP Services (48), Tent Only Sites (5)
Canoeing/Kayaking
Education Center
Hiking
Interpretive Trails
Ocean Swimming
Picnic Areas/Picnic Shelters
Surf Fishing: flounder, whiting, spot tail and others

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