



Here are some fun ideas for making the most of this activity!

- Take off your shoes and feel the salt on your bare feet.
- Catch sea monkeys.
- Bring oil pastels to draw the scenery. Look closely and try to find at least 10 different colors in the landscape to use in your drawing.
- The Great Salt Lake is 4-5 times saltier than the ocean! Salt water allows things to float that otherwise won't in fresh water. Bring a few items like an egg, a marker, wood, rocks, or a swimsuit and yourself and see if they float in the saltwater. Compare these same items to see if they float in fresh water in your bathtub or sink.
- Go paddle boarding, kayaking, or canoeing. Earn your Paddle a boat sticker!
- Bring a bird guide and see how many different species of bird you can spot. We like this guide from the library or this helpful pamphlet.
- Bike around the lake.
- Work together with friends or siblings to build a sand city, animal, or mountain on the lakeshore.
- Have a winter fire with your family out on the lakeshore. Cook dinner or roast marshmallows, and huddle close to the warmth of the fire.
- Find some rocks and create your own miniature spiral jetty.

Salt Lake City spots great for this activity:

Farmington Bay Wildlife Management Area 1325 W Glovers Ln Farmington, UT

Lake shores near The Great Saltair 12408 W Saltair Dr Magna, UT

The Great Salt Lake Shorelands Preserve S 3200 W Layton, UT

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