

General Hunting Seasons

FALL 2025 – SPRING 2026

Deer Archery

Oct. 1, 2025–Jan. 15, 2026

Youth Deer Gun

Oct. 17–19, 2025

Deer Muzzleloader

Oct. 25–Nov. 2, 2025

Deer Gun

Nov. 22–Dec. 7, 2025

Holiday Antlerless Deer Gun

Dec. 18–31, 2025

Turkey Fall Archery

Oct. 1, 2025–Jan. 15, 2026

Turkey Fall Gun

Nov. 1–21, 2025

Youth Turkey Spring

April 11–12, 2026

Turkey Spring

April 16–May 16, 2026

Dove*

Sept. 1–Oct. 31, 2025 and Dec. 1–29, 2025

Crow

Oct. 10–Nov. 16, 2025 and Dec. 9, 2025–March 4, 2026

September Teal**

Sept. 13–21, 2025

Special Resident Canada Goose**

Sept. 13–22, 2025

Waterfowl**

Nov. 8–30, 2025 and Dec. 6, 2025–Jan. 25, 2026

Squirrel

May 15, 2025–Feb. 28, 2026

Rabbit

Oct. 1, 2025–March 15, 2026

Furbearers

Dec. 1, 2025–Feb. 28, 2026



CHICKASAW NATION LIFETIME HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE

Chickasaw citizens can apply for a lifetime license to hunt and fish within the Chickasaw Nation. An Oklahoma state hunting and fishing license is not required to participate in this program.

Chickasaw citizens can submit an application at no cost. Additional eligibility requirements may apply.

LICENSEE PERMIT-TRIBAL LAND SPECIAL HUNT

Whitetail deer and turkey hunts on Chickasaw Nation-owned lands are available through a special draw. From the Kullihoma Hunting Grounds to other sections of land across the Chickasaw Nation, this special draw program offers hunters a chance to hunt more than 3,400 acres of prime hunting land.

For more information about the special draw hunting program, visit:

Chickasaw.net/Hunting



Scan to find more information about the Chickasaw Nation Fish & Wildlife Service.

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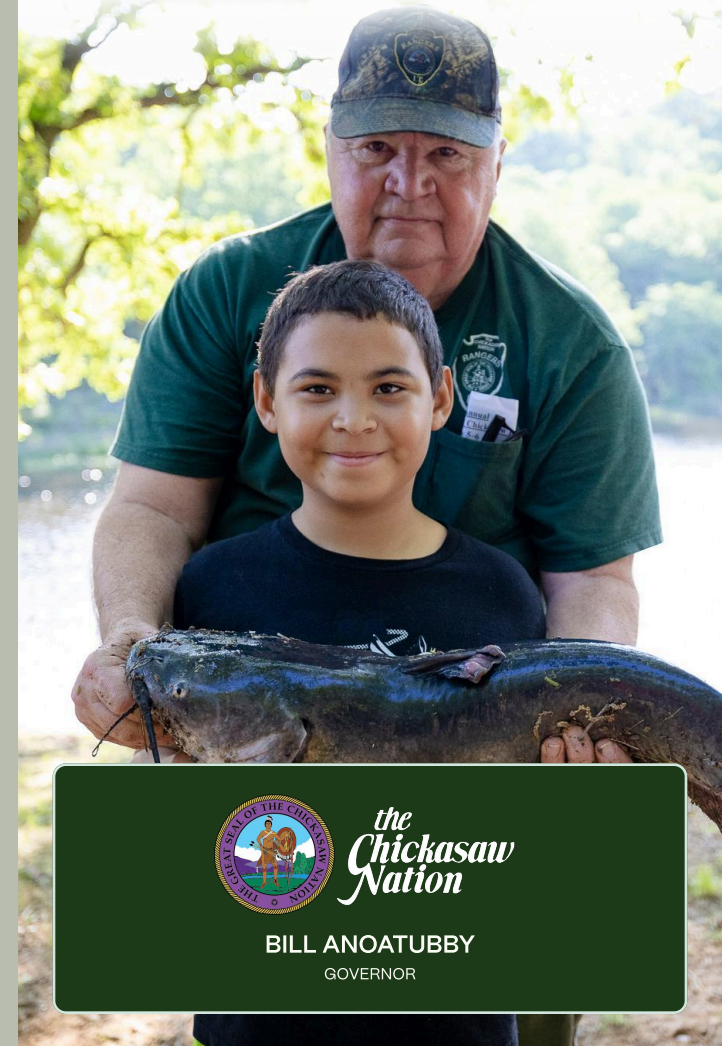
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*requires Harvest Information Program (HIP) permit
**requires HIP and Federal Waterfowl Stamp

FAQS

Q: What is the Five Tribes Wildlife Management Reciprocity Agreement?

A: In July 2024, the Cherokee Nation, Chickasaw Nation, Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, Muscogee Nation, and Seminole Nation of Oklahoma each signed an agreement to accept each other's hunting and fishing licenses, so a license from one of the Five Tribes is valid in the reservation of the other tribe. However, hunters and fishers must still follow the specific rules of the tribe where they are hunting or fishing and adhere to federal laws. Citizens must also get permission before hunting on private land or in wildlife management areas.

Q: Who is eligible to hunt and fish within the Chickasaw Nation?

A: Chickasaw citizens, other participating Five Tribe members, and individuals with a valid state-issued license can hunt and fish within the Chickasaw Nation.

Q: What does a Chickasaw citizen need to carry to show they are licensed by the Chickasaw Nation?

A: Chickasaw citizens must carry their valid, tribally issued hunting and fishing license. Law enforcement is also authorized to accept a valid Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation license if you have not yet gotten your Chickasaw license. If you receive any contrary guidance from a law enforcement officer in the field, be respectful but please contact us and let us know what happened. Chickasaw citizens are not exempt from federal wildlife regulations. *You can apply for a license at Chickasaw.net/Hunting.*



Fishing Regulations

SPECIES DAILY LIMIT SIZE LIMIT

BASS

Largemouth/ Smallmouth	6 (combined)	1 over 16 in.
Spotted	None	None
Striped	5	None
Striped hybrid	20	5 over 20 in.
White	None	None

CATFISH

Channel/Blue	15 (combined)	1 blue over 30 in.
Flathead	5	None

CRAPPIE

White/Black	37 (combined)	None
Alligator Gar	1	None
Walleye, Sauger, Saugeye	6 (combined)	14 in. min.
Trout	See local regulations	

Special regulations for daily and size limits apply to specific areas. No daily or size limits exist for any fish caught from privately owned ponds and lakes.

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Q: Are Chickasaw Nation Hunting and Fishing License holders required to purchase deer and turkey tags? How does a Chickasaw citizen check in a harvest?

A: Pre-purchased tags are not required; however, field tagging and check-ins are required. The Chickasaw Nation Fish & Wildlife Service provides an online portal for Chickasaw citizens to report the harvest of any species with a check-in requirement. Harvests are required to be reported within 24 hours to obtain a unique confirmation. *More details are available at Chickasaw.net/Hunting.*



CHICKASAW NATION COUNTIES

Grady	Stephens	Love
McClain	Carter	Marshall
Garvin	Murray	Bryan
Pontotoc	Johnston	Coal
	Jefferson	

Illegal activity under state law constitutes illegal activity under Chickasaw Nation law.

Reference Title 29 of the Oklahoma State Statutes and Section 4 of the Chickasaw Nation Wildlife Regulations.