

TRY AND FIND ME!!! - Aquatic Animals

American Alligator
(*Alligator mississippiensis*)
Status: *Threatened*
Official State Reptile



Young American alligator basking on edge of pond.

Florida Softshell Turtle
(*Apalone ferox*)



Adult softshell turtle floating on mat of vegetation.

Florida Red-bellied Turtle
(*Pseudemys nelsoni*)
Status: *Under Review*



Red-bellied turtle basking on mat of vegetation.

Florida Banded Water Snake
(*Nerodia fasciata pictiventris*)



Florida banded water snake eating a fish on a boat ramp.

Cottonmouth
(*Agkistrodon piscivorus*)



Juvenile cottonmouth slithering through muck.

Green Tree Frog

(*Hyla cinerea*)



Green tree frog perched on a leaf.

Pig Frog

(*Rana grylio*)



Pig frog resting on aquatic vegetation.

Largemouth Bass

(*Micropterus salmoides*)

Official State Freshwater Fish



Two largemouth bass hovering over nest in floor of wetland.

BlueGill

(*Lepomis macrochirus*)



Bluegill sunfish swimming in water.

Florida Gar

(*Lepisosteus platyrhincus*)



Florida gar swimming through water.