

MICHIGAN

The Great Lakes State

Isle Royale

A remote island national park in Lake Superior

Copper Mining

The Keweenaw Peninsula once led copper mining

White-tailed Deer

This deer raises its white tail when scared

Tahquamenon Falls

Famous golden-brown waterfalls in the north

Soo Locks

Locks that let ships travel between lakes

Mackinac Bridge

A historic bridge connecting the peninsulas

Petoskey Stone

The official state stone made of fossil coral

Sleeping Bear Dunes

Massive sand dunes towering over the lake

Cherry Farming

Michigan grows most U.S. tart cherries

Eastern White Pine

This tall tree can grow over 100 feet tall

Apple Blossom

Pink and white flowers from apple trees

Auto Industry

Detroit is known as the Motor City

Lake Michigan

One of the Great Lakes bordering the state

KEY FACTS

★ Capital	Lansing
🏙️ Largest city	Detroit
📅 Became a state	January 26, 1837 (26th)
🐦 State bird	American Robin
🌸 State flower	Apple Blossom
🌲 State tree	Eastern White Pine
🚗 Motto	If you seek a pleasant peninsula, look about you

American Robin

This bird has a bright orange breast

★ Lansing

The Motown Sound

Detroit's famous 1960s soul music

Henry Ford Museum

A massive museum celebrating innovation