

TENNESSEE

The Volunteer State



KEY FACTS

★ Capital	Nashville
🏙️ Largest city	Nashville
📅 Became a state	June 1, 1796 (16th)
🐦 State bird	Mockingbird
🌸 State flower	Iris
🌳 State tree	Tulip Poplar
🏠 Motto	Agriculture and Commerce

STATE SYMBOLS



Mockingbird
Can mimic the songs of dozens of other birds



Iris
Its name is the Greek word for rainbow



Tulip Poplar
This tall tree can grow over 100 feet tall



Raccoon
This nocturnal mammal has a black masked face