Georgia's Coast Region

A place of natural and cultural wonders, the Georgia's Coast has luxury resorts, sandy beaches, historic forts, lighthouses, trails and museums for all to discover and enjoy. (Exploregeorgia.org)

Counties

County	Creation Date	County Seat	Courthouse Record Loss*
Brantley	1920	Nahunta	No
Bryan	1793	Pembroke	Yes
Camden	1777	Woodbine	No
Chatham	1777	Savannah	No
Charlton	1854	Folkston	Yes
Effingham	1777	Springfield	No
Glynn	1777	Brunswick	Yes
Liberty	1777	Hinesville	No
McIntosh	1793	Darien	Yes
Pierce	1857	Blackshear	Yes
Ware	1824	Waycross	Yes

*A courthouse loss does not mean all records were lost, contact the courthouse for available records.

Cities

Blackshear
Brunswick
Cumberland Island
Darien
Ellabell
Eulonia
Flemington
Folkston
Garden City
Guyton
Hinesville
Hoboken
Jekyll Island
Kings Bay
Kingsland
Little St. Simons Island
Meridian
Midway
Nahunta
Pembroke
Pooler
Port Wentworth
Riceboro
Richmond Hill
Rincon
Saint George
Sapelo Island
Savannah
Sea Island
Shellman Bluff
Springfield
St. Marys
St. Simons Island
Sunbury
Thunderbolt
Townsend
Tybee Island
Waverly
Waycross
Waynesville
Woodbine

Genealogical Societies

- Coastal Georgia Genealogical Society, https://coastalgagensociety.org
- Savannah Area Genealogical Association (SAGA), Savannah, contact Carol Thompson (lcsthompson@bellsouth.net)

Historical Societies

- Historic Effingham Society, http://www.historiceffinghamsociety.org
- Coastal Georgia Historical Society, St. Simons Island, www.coastalgeorgiahistory.org
- Liberty County Historical Society, https://www.libertyhistory.net/
- Pierce County Historical and Genealogical, Blackshear, http://www.50megs.com/piercecounty
- Georgia Historical Society, Savannah, www.GeorgiaHistory.com

Repositories

- Okefenokee Regional Library System, Waycross, www.okrls.org

- Loest Research Library, Georgia Salzburger Society, Ebenezer (Effingham County), www.govisitebenezer.com
- They Had Names, https://theyhadnames.net

Resources

- Family Search Wiki - https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Georgia,_United_States_Genealogy
- Georgia Archives - www.georgiaarchives.org Morrow
- Georgia Historical Society – www.GeorgiaHistory.com Savannah
- National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) – www.archives.gov/atlanta , Morrow
- Newberry Library - Atlas of Historical County Boundaries – www.digital.newberry.org/ahcb
- Okefenokee Heritage Center, http://okefenokeeheritagecenter.org/ , Waycross
- University of Georgia Press, Georgia Open History Library -https://ugapress.manifoldapp.org/ , Athens