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INTERAGENCY PASS PROGRAM



U.S. Fish and
Wildlife Service
www.fws.gov



U.S. Forest
Service
www.fs.usda.gov



Bureau of
Reclamation
www.usbr.gov



Bureau of Land
Management
www.blm.gov



National Park
Service
www.nps.gov



U.S. Army Corps
of Engineers
www.usace.army.mil

	COST	VALID FOR	PROVIDES ADDITIONAL DISCOUNT	ELIGIBILITY
Non-Resident Annual Pass	\$250	12 months from month of purchase	No	N/A
Resident Annual Pass	\$80	12 months from month of purchase	No	U.S. citizens or residents. Must present one of the following: U.S. state or territory-issued driver's license or ID card, U.S. Passport, or Permanent Resident Card ("Green Card").
Senior Annual Pass	\$20	12 months from month of purchase	Discounts some expanded amenity fees, e.g. camping	U.S. citizens or residents age 62 or older must present proof of age and residency.
Senior Lifetime Pass	\$80	Lifetime of pass holder	Discounts some expanded amenity fees, e.g. camping	U.S. citizens or residents age 62 or older must present proof of age and residency.
Military Annual Pass	Free	12 months from month of issuance	No	Current U.S. military members and their dependents must present a valid DoD CAC Card or Dependent ID Card (Form 1173 or Next Generation USID Replacement).
Military Lifetime Pass	Free	Lifetime of pass holder	No	U.S. military veterans must present one of the following: DoD ID Card (DD Form 2, DD Form 2765, or Next Generation USID Replacement), Veterans Health ID Card (VHIC), Veteran ID Card, or Veteran Designation on a U.S. state or territory-issued driver's license or ID card. Gold Star Family members must present voucher from: www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/veterans-and-gold-star-families-free-access.htm .
Access Pass	Free	Lifetime of pass holder	Discounts some expanded amenity fees, e.g. camping	U.S. citizens or residents with a permanent disability must present proof of medically-determined permanent disability and residency.
4th Grade Pass	Free	Valid Sept. 1 through Aug. 31 of the 4th grade year	No	U.S. 4th graders must present voucher showing completion of activity at www.everykidoutdoors.gov .
Volunteer Pass	Free	12 months from month of issuance	No	Volunteers with 250 hours on record with participating agencies (see logos). Obtain through Volunteer Coordinator at federal recreation sites.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q. Where are passes accepted and what fees do they cover?

A. Passes are accepted at federal recreational lands managed by six agencies. All pass types cover entrance fees and standard amenity (day-use) fees. Only the Senior and Access Passes provide a discount on some expanded amenity fees such as camping and tours. Check with the location you plan to visit to learn more.

Q. Who can use a pass and how many people does it cover?

A. Each pass is issued to one person (the pass holder) who must be present, with valid photo identification, each time the pass is used. At sites that charge per vehicle, a pass covers one private vehicle or two motorcycles. At sites that charge per person, a pass covers the pass holder, plus 3 adults (16 and older).

Q. Where can I get a pass?

A. Many federal recreational lands that charge entrance or day-use fees also offer these passes. Find a location near you at www.nps.gov/planyourvisit/pickup-pass-locations.htm.

Skip the wait and get a digital pass which can be stored on a mobile device and used immediately. Only available at <https://www.recreation.gov/pass>.

For an additional processing fee, you can also order your pass online and have it mailed to you at <https://store.usgs.gov>.

Q. How do I display my pass at unstaffed federal recreation sites?

A. Display your physical pass on the dashboard of your vehicle or from your rearview mirror with a hangtag. The expiration side must be visible. Digital pass holders can use the printable PDF version of their pass. Decal stickers are available at agency locations for open-topped vehicles (motorcycles, etc).

Q. Are passes accepted at locations managed by concessioners?

A. Passes cover entrance fees and standard amenity fees at federal recreational lands. Concessioners are private companies that charge their own fees and may not accept the pass. **Check with the location to learn more.**

Q. Are non-U.S. residents eligible to purchase a pass?

A. Yes, anyone may purchase the Non-Resident Annual Pass; there are no eligibility requirements.

America the Beautiful—

The National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Pass is a great way to save money, support your public lands, and experience America's outdoor treasures! Funds from pass sales help federal agencies maintain visitor facilities and support visitor experiences.

Whether gazing upon the Grand Canyon, birding at Chincoteague, hiking the White Mountains, exploring Red Rock Canyon, picnicking at New Melones Lake, or swimming at Table Rock Lake, America's public lands offer something for everyone at hundreds of locations managed by six federal recreational agencies.

This interagency pass covers entrance fees at National Parks and National Wildlife Refuges, as well as standard amenity (day-use) fees at lands managed by the Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Reclamation, and U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

There are a variety of passes available; the Non-Resident Annual Pass can be purchased by anyone, but other passes have eligibility requirements. Review the chart on reverse side to see all the pass options.

For more information go to <https://www.recreation.gov/pass> or scan the QR code.



Remember:

- Passes are not replaceable, even if lost or stolen.
- Pass holder must be present for the pass to be used.
- Passes are non-transferable and may not be re-sold.
- Copies or photos of the pass are prohibited; pass holder must show actual pass.
- Passes generally do not cover or reduce special recreation permit fees or fees charged by concessioners.