

JUNIOR RANGER PROGRAM



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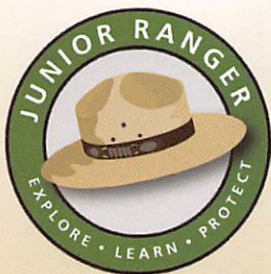
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This program helps Junior Rangers and their families **EXPLORE** the wonders of our national parks. Whether you're in the park being guided by a Ranger or at home discovering what it means to be a WebRanger online, the Junior Ranger program helps people of all ages and ability levels cultivate a passion for parks. Come discover what is only available to those who dare to explore!

Junior Rangers **LEARN** more about the nation's history, our shared cultural heritage and the natural world by learning in an informal and fun way. By taking advantage of specially designed activity books, apps, and even summer camps, the Junior Ranger is sure to learn more about the world around them.

Junior Rangers even discover things they can do to help make sure there will be parks in the future. They will learn how to **PROTECT** meaningful places both at the park and everywhere they go by spreading the message of national parks.

When you're ready to take on the responsibility of becoming a Junior Ranger, you can prepare to take the oath, be sworn-in, and receive a patch, badge, or certificate.

The National Park Service offers hundreds of Junior Ranger Programs and most participating parks have a different set of activities, tailored to help children and their families discover the stories and meanings that are a part of that special place. The NPS even offers Junior Ranger activities that go beyond specific parks and embrace themes found throughout many park sites.

In every case, the Junior Ranger Program is connecting people of all ages with the places that shaped the nation's history—places of natural beauty and scientific wonder—the best America has to offer.

To learn more and see a listing of parks that offer Junior Ranger programs visit:

<https://www.nps.gov/Kids/jrRangers.cfm>

ABOUT THE WEB RANGERS

Come help a baby sea turtle reach the sea...
Be a spy... Drive a dog sled... Experience
the life and death struggle of a puma.
WebRangers are for those interested in
the world around them and their nation's
heritage. And best of all, the WebRanger
programs let you become a Junior Ranger
from home, school or anywhere. Visit:

<https://www.nps.gov/webangers>

to set up your ranger station and start your
journey!



There are more than 50 activities created for children to learn along with their parents as they explore, learn and protect their own park.