

Welcome to the Junior Ranger Program for Glen Canyon National Recreation Area and Rainbow Bridge National Monument

The National Park Service cares for special places saved by the American People so that all may experience our heritage. Glen Canyon National Recreation Area was established in 1972 to protect 1.25 million acres of desert, canyon country, and Lake Powell, the reservoir created by Glen Canyon Dam. Water is extremely important in this entire region. As you will discover throughout this booklet, every living thing needs water to survive - including you.

This booklet will help you learn about Glen Canyon and Rainbow Bridge as you become a Junior Ranger. Here's how it works:

1. Complete three booklet pages at or above your age level. See **Dilbert's** levels below.
2. If you do at least one activity suggested on the activity log page, have a ranger or tour leader sign your log.
3. Bring your completed booklet to a Glen Canyon visitor center or see a ranger to review your booklet and issue your Junior Ranger badge and signed certificate.

Meet **Dilbert**. He is a water droplet.
Look for him on each page to see the age level for each activity.
Do your best and have fun!



All Ages



Ages 4-6



Ages 7-9



Ages 10-13



Interview a National Park Service Employee

Now that you are becoming a Junior Ranger, you may want to find out what National Park Service employees do. There are many different jobs in national parks. Find a Glen Canyon or Rainbow Bridge National Park Service employee and ask for an interview. You get to fill out the last question about yourself.

Employee's Name _____

Employee's Job Title _____

How long have you worked for the National Park Service? _____

What is your main job? _____

What other parks have you worked in? _____

What do you like best about your job? _____

What is a National Park? _____

And here's a question just about you, our newest Junior Ranger:

Why do you want to become a Junior Ranger? _____

