

Learn, Earn and Return to Grand Teton National Park



Grand Teton National Park and its program partners support youth as they *learn, earn*, and continue to *return* to the Park through diverse program offerings including;

- Internships and employment to promote the NPS mission,
- Educational experiences that deepen kids connection to the history and landscape,
- Service opportunities to “give back” through projects that enhance Park resources.

Educational Opportunities

Teton Xplorations (Grades 7-9) Each summer students from the around the country develop leadership skills by hiking, backpacking, canoeing through Grand Teton and Yellowstone National Parks.

Jackson Hole Science Xpedition (Grades 11-12) Immerse yourself in this month long study of the natural sciences through field science explorations, research, and backpacking in Grand Teton and Yellowstone National Park.

High school credit offered.

Xpressions in Nature & Art (Grades 9-11) Explore the art and writing of Grand Teton National Park as you hike, canoe, backpack and to create the adventure of a lifetime. High school credit offered.

Educational Opportunities Registration (www.tetonscience.org) or call 307.733.1313.

Pura Vida Academic year program designed for local Latino youth and their families providing memorable experiences in Grand Teton National Park . [Pura Vida](http://www.gtnpf.org/cin.php) (<http://www.gtnpf.org/cin.php>)

Internships and Employment Opportunities

National Park Service Academy (NPS) Academy A week long introduction to NPS career opportunities for college age students. Upon completion, students are eligible for a paid internship with the NPS or SCA.

<http://www.thesca.org/serve/internships/special-programs/national-park-service-academy>

http://www.gtnpf.org/nps_academy.php

Grand Teton Association Summer Interns (16 - 25 years of age) Internship with the NPS paid through Grand Teton Association. Students work at the park in visitor services and as naturalists.

<http://www.nps.gov/grte/planyourvisit/upload/Intern-Announcement.pdf>

Youth Conservation Program A summer job, innovative educational opportunity and a chance to accomplish something meaningful for one of America's most popular landscapes.

[Youth Conservation Program](http://www.gtnpf.org/ycp.php) (<http://www.gtnpf.org/ycp.php>)

Partner Initiatives for Local Youth

Young Stewards and Leaders A year-long, multicultural program, open to local high school students. Graduates may transition into NPS Academy’s internships. [Young Stewards & Leaders](http://www.gtnpf.org/stewards.php) (<http://www.gtnpf.org/stewards.php>)

Class of 2016 Educational, recreational and career opportunities provided to Jackson Hole students in celebration of the 2016 Centennial of the NPS. <http://www.nps.gov/grte/parknews/news-release-91.htm>

Partners

