

Mount Rainier National Park

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Forest Service Campgrounds Near Mount Rainier National Park



The national forests around Mount Rainier National Park provide a variety of camping and recreation opportunities. Many campgrounds are located along highways 12 and 410 in the Mount Baker-Snoqualmie, Gifford Pinchot, and Wenatchee National Forests. Less developed and dispersed camping is available throughout most of the forests. National forest maps are for sale at Forest Service ranger stations.

Campgrounds generally operate Memorial Day through Labor Day with a few remaining open through September. Some Forest Service campgrounds are available for advanced reservations by calling 1-877-444-6777 or online at www.recreation.gov.

Near Nisqually Entrance

Big Creek

Skate Creek Road/Forest Road 52;
7 miles south of Nisqually Entrance,
20 miles west of Packwood.

Elevation 1,818 feet, 29 sites.
Fee. Reservable. Closed during winter.

Near Ohanapecosh

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Highway 12; 4 miles south of
Ohanapecosh Campground,
7 miles north of Packwood.

Elevation 1,243 feet, 100 sites.
Fee. Piped water. Reservable.
Closed during winter.

Near White River Entrance

Silver Springs

Highway 410; 7 miles north of White
River Entrance, 31 miles southeast of
Enumclaw.

Elevation 2,600 feet, 55 sites.
Fee. Piped water. Reservable.
Open May to October.

The Dalles

Highway 410; 13 miles north of White
River Entrance, 25 miles southeast of
Enumclaw.

Elevation 2,200 feet, 44 sites.
Fee. Piped water. Reservable. Open
Memorial Day through Labor Day.

Near Carbon River and Mowich Lake

Evans Creek OHV Park

Highway 165 (Mowich Lake Road),
Forest Road 7920/7930; 3 miles outside
of Mowich Lake Entrance, 25 miles
south of Enumclaw.

Elevation 3,600 feet, 23 sites.
Fee. Primitive campground; water
available via hand pump. Primitive
campground. Open June to September.

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East of Chinook Pass

<i>Lodgepole</i>	Highway 410; 8.5 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 3,500 feet, 33 sites. Fee. No water. Reservable.
<i>Pleasant Valley</i>	Highway 410; 11 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 3,300 feet, 16 sites. Fee. Well water. Reservable.
<i>Hells Crossing</i>	Highway 410; 15 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 3,250 feet, 18 sites. Fee. No water. Reservable.
<i>American Forks</i>	Highway 410; 20 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 2,900 feet, 12 sites. Fee. No water. All sites first-come, first-served.
<i>Cedar Springs</i>	Highway 410, Forest Road 1800; 20 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 2,800 feet, 15 sites/2 MF*. Fee. Reservable.
<i>Bumping Crossing</i>	Highway 410, Forest Road 1800; 20 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 3,200 feet, 12 sites. No fee. No water. All sites first-come, first-served.
<i>Sawmill Flats</i>	Highway 410; 24 miles east of Chinook Pass.	Elevation 2,500 feet, 24 sites. Fee. Well water. Reservable.

East of White Pass

<i>Dog Lake</i>	Highway 12; 1 mile east of White Pass.	Elevation 3,400 feet, 11 sites. Fee. No water. All sites first-come, first-served.
<i>Clear Lake (North)</i>	Highway 12, Forest Road 1200; 7 miles east of White Pass.	Elevation 3,100 feet, 33 sites. Fee. Water available at Clear Lake (South). All sites first-come, first-served.
<i>Clear Lake (South)</i>	Highway 12, Forest Road 1200; 7 miles east of White Pass.	Elevation 3,100 feet, 22 sites. Fee. Well water. All sites first-come, first-served.
<i>Indian Creek</i>	Highway 12; 8 miles east of White Pass.	Elevation 3,000 feet, 39 sites. Fee. Piped water. Reservable.
<i>Hause Creek</i>	Highway 12; 15 miles east of White Pass.	Elevation 2,500 feet, 43 sites. Fee. Piped water. Reservable.

*MF = multi-family, up to 12 people and two vehicles.