

Sequoia and Kings Canyon

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Fee Information

Entrance

Single trip	\$5.00 per vehicle, or \$2.00 per person on bus, foot, bicycle or other. Good for 1-7 days.
Sequoia and Kings Canyon Passport	\$15.00 annually; good for calendar year. It may be purchased at park entrance stations. Free entrance to Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks only.
Golden Eagle Passport	\$25 annually; good for calendar year. It may be purchased at park entrance stations. Free entrance to all designated federal fee areas.
Golden Age Passport	Free lifetime pass. Free entrance to any federal fee area and 50% discount on user fees such as camping. Issued to citizens or permanent residents of the U.S. who are at least 62 years old. May be obtained at any NPS area; proof of age required.
Golden Access Passport	Free lifetime pass. Free entrance to any federal fee area and 50% discount on user fees such as camping for citizens or permanent U.S. residents who are blind or permanently disabled. Bring appropriate documentation to any NPS area to receive passport.

Campgrounds

Campsites available only on a first-come, first-served basis except for Lodgepole Campground.

Reservation Campsites	\$8 per night per site; from mid-May through mid-September Lodgepole campsites may be reserved up to eight weeks in advance at any Ticketron outlet or by mail. Write to: Ticketron Department R 401 Hackensack Avenue Hackensack, NJ 07601
Other Developed Campsites	\$6 per night per site; includes Cedar Grove, Grant Grove, Buckeye Flat, Potwisha, and Lodgepole when reservations are not possible but snow has not accumulated.
Primitive Campsites	\$4 per night per site; includes South Fork and Mineral King campgrounds.
Group Campsites	Group campsites located at Sunset Campground in Grant Grove and Canyon View Campground in Cedar Grove, Kings Canyon National Park. Group sites available summers only to groups of 12 or more persons (Sunset) and 20 or more (Canyon View).

GROUP CAMPSITES MUST BE RESERVED BY WRITING:

Grant Grove Campground Group Sites
Grant Grove Ranger Station
Box 948
Kings Canyon National Park, CA 93633

-or-

Canyon View Campground Group Sites
Cedar Grove Ranger Station
Box 948
Kings Canyon National Park CA 93633

Crystal Cave Tours

\$2.00 for 12 years and older; \$1.00 for ages 6-11; children under 6 admitted free. Holders of Golden Age Passports, \$1.00 per person.

Tours last about 55 minutes. Hike down to cave is steep and requires sturdy shoes. Allow 15 minutes for the hike to the cave entrance. Cave temperature 48 degrees F. Light wraps are recommended.

Crystal Cave open 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on following schedule:

May 13-June 13, 1988: Friday through Monday, tours on the hour.

June 14-September 12: Open daily, tours on the half hour.

September 16-26: Friday through Monday, tours on the hour. Closes for season on September 26, 1988.

Crystal Cave is operated by Sequoia Natural History Association, a nonprofit, educational corporation.

Winter Information

Winter
Entrance

Entrance fee remains the same.. Always be prepared for winter travel; carry tire chains and emergency winter supplies with you. Call (209) 565-3351 for road and weather conditions, updated by 9 a.m. daily and more frequently as travel restrictions change.

Winter
Camping

No reservations; All first-come, first-served

South Fork

No fee; no water. (Usually below snowline.)

Potwisha

\$6.00. Water, restrooms, sanitary disposal station. (Snow does fall at this elevation occasionally, but usually doesn't last long.)

Lodgepole
& Azalea

No fee after snow has covered fire grates. Camping is on a plowed parking area. One restroom kept open with water available there. Sanitary disposal station closed.