Grand Canyon National Park



Desert View Campground

Located at the east entrance of Grand Canyon National Park, Desert View Campground offers a peaceful setting for an enjoyable camping experience with close access to Grand Canyon.

Rules and Regulations

Quiet hours: 10 pm to 6 am.

Please be considerate to your fellow campers throughout the day.

Generator hours: 7–9 am and 6–8 pm only.

Check out time: Check out at 11 am. If sites are available, renew before 9 am. Stays limited to 7 consecutive days and 30 days per calendar year.

Food: Store food and trash in your vehicle or hardsided containers. Do not leave pet food outside. This precaution not only protects us, but a host of Grand Canyon wildlife including elk, deer, ravens, ground squirrels, and even mountain lions.

Trash: Deposit trash and recycling in dumpsters. Do not leave trash unattended or hang trash from trees—ravens and other animals will scatter it. You are responsible for cleaning up your site.

Trenching and digging: To prevent erosion, ground disturbance is not permitted.

Vehicles: Cars, trucks, motorcycles, and trailers must remain on the pavement. Maximum vehicle length: 30 feet (9 m).

Fires: Limited to camp stoves and fire rings provided at each site. Drown fires completely before leaving the site, even for a short while. Do not construct rock fire rings or put ashes and charcoal in dumpsters.

Washing: Do not bathe, wash dishes, or do laundry at water spigots. Wash at your site and flush tainted water down the toilet. Do not scatter waste water.

Pets: Must be kept on a leash and under physical control at all times. For the safety of your pet, do not leave them unattended. Pets are not permitted below the rim, on shuttle buses, or in buildings.

Hanging items: All clotheslines, hammocks, and sports nets must be taken down when not in immediate use. This will prevent wildlife from becoming ensnared and protect your property. Do not pierce trees with nails or other sharp objects.

Services

Drinking water: See map for locations. Water is a precious resource; use it conservatively.

Firewood: Purchase wood at the Desert View Market "General Store." Do not gather firewood.

Pay showers, laundry, and change: Available at Camper Services in the Village.

Water tanks: Fill at the dump station in the Village. Do not attach hoses to campground faucets.

Operations

All sites are first-come, first-served. Please adhere to the campground regulations and use established parking and tent areas. Sites that remain unoccupied without a receipt posted and without personal items will be made available to others. Violation of these regulations may result in loss of camping privileges at Grand Canyon National Park or fines.

Campsite limits: Three tents or one RV, fifth wheel, or camper trailer per site. Six bivys allowed at motercycle sites. Sites without an RV may have two vehicles. Overflow parking is available in the Desert View Visitor Center parking lot. Six people allowed per site; group camping available at Mather Campground in the Village.

