



Junior Ranger Activity Book - WEB QUEST!



COLOR ME!

Complete this booklet to earn a Junior Ranger badge through the internet! Here's how:

1. Print this booklet.
2. Complete all of the activities, using information from the park's website: www.nps.gov/wrst.
3. Mail your completed booklet to:
Wrangell-St. Elias NP&P
Attn: Interpretation
PO Box 439
Copper Center, AK 99573
4. We will send you a Junior Ranger badge and a certificate!



THIS PARK IS AN INTERNATIONAL TREASURE...

What does Wrangell-St. Elias have in common with the Galapagos Islands and the Great Pyramids? They are all UNESCO World Heritage Sites! Find the following words in the World Heritage Site Word Search:

- ANIMALS
- GLACIERS
- HERITAGE
- MOUNTAINS
- PROTECT
- RESOURCES
- SCENERY
- WORLD

G M B K B O E W F O F E V Y G
 H U S D V H Q U N W O R L D Y
 O V S H F O N O N Y N F T K A
 E P O R E S O U R C E S M V A
 I U S P R P W P N U Z I W Y S
 Z Y O R S Y P H E R I T A G E
 Q F F O Y O W M A Q Q G H L Y
 N G F T W J K O N X N E Z R Z
 P L V E R F R U I U Z B E R K
 H A H C V H I N M A X N S J S
 V C Z T J B V T A D E A P P N
 Z I P F M O F A L C W S T Z G
 Y E V Z D H M I S K A F O Y A
 G R J R R M Z N I R V P Z U M
 O S X B Q T L S Y S T M P W L



WHAT CAN YOU DO THERE?

What are some outdoor activities that you can do at Wrangell-St. Elias?

What are some of YOUR favorite activities to do outside?





LIFE AS A COPPER MINER

Did you know that kids and families lived in the town of Kennecott during the early 1900s? Color the picture of Kennecott Mill Town, and imagine how your life might have been if you'd lived there!



NATIVE CONNECTIONS

Name three Alaska Native groups that lived in or around the park before European settlers arrived. Circle the groups that still live here today.





A LAND OF ROCK, WATER, AND ICE!

Wrangell-St. Elias is known for its majestic mountains, huge river systems, and enormous glaciers.

Name a volcano found in the park, and draw a picture of it:

Name a river found in the park, and draw a picture of it:

Name a glacier found in the park, and draw a picture of it:





ANIMAL SCRAMBLE

Some of the mammals, birds, and fish of the park are all mixed up! Unscramble each animal to find out what lives in Wrangell-St. Elias.

YZRIGZL RBAE _____ _____
TRAEG NDEHRO WLO _____ _____ _____
WROBNIA OTRUT _____ _____
SOMOE _____
DBLA GELAE _____ _____
DER MALNOS _____ _____



FABULOUS FLORA!

Only certain trees can survive in the cold boreal forests of Alaska! Common trees include DECIDUOUS (Paper Birch & Quaking Aspen) and CONIFER (White Spruce & Black Spruce) trees. Draw a picture of each type of tree:

DECIDUOUS TREE:

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CONIFER TREE:



HELP PROTECT NATIONAL PARKS!

Would you like to help protect our national parks when you get older? Come work for the National Park Service! Since 1916 the NPS has helped protect our nation's outstanding natural and cultural resources. Today there are more than 390 National Park Service sites across the United States!

If you were to work for the National Park Service, here is what you might do:



Interpretation/Education Park Ranger—tell people about the park.

Law Enforcement Park Ranger—enforce the laws in the park.

Biologist—study and protect animals, plants, and other wild things.

Archeologist—study and protect ancient ruins and artifacts.

Fire Fighter—help prevent and fight wildland fires.

Maintenance Worker—maintain and fix everything in the park.

Administration & Management—help manage the park.

What would you like to do when you grow up?



JUNIOR RANGER PLEDGE

As a Junior Ranger, I promise to explore, protect, and learn about all the national parks, so that other people can enjoy them too. I promise to share what I have learned with my friends and family.

Junior Ranger Name (Printed): _____

Junior Ranger Signature: _____

Age: _____

