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• Health, dental and vision care
• Retirement benefits
• Paid vacation
• Promotional opportunities
• Training and education reimbursements

Our Mission
The mission of California State Parks is to provide for the health, inspiration and education of the people of California by helping to preserve the state’s extraordinary biological diversity, protecting its most valued natural and cultural resources, and creating opportunities for high-quality outdoor recreation.

State Park Ranger
and Lifeguard
Employment Opportunities

CALIFORNIA STATE PARKS
Personnel/Exams Unit
P. O. Box 942896
Sacramento, CA 94296-0001
Personnel Services/Recruitment:
(916) 653-9685

www.parks.ca.gov/jobs

For local state park information, check the front of your telephone directory under State Government, Department of Parks and Recreation.

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State Park Rangers and Lifeguards are trained peace officers with statewide peace officer authority. They help operate and manage State Park units and perform the following duties:

- Interpret natural, historic and cultural resources
- Perform first aid
- Assist and advise park visitors regarding rules and regulations
- Operate and maintain emergency equipment
- Perform cliff rescues and underwater diving
- Rescue persons or vessels in distress (Lifeguards)

We are looking for men and women interested in challenges, opportunities and fulfilling careers as State Park Rangers and State Park Lifeguards.

Few places in the world exist like California, where one can enjoy majestic mountains, wide-open deserts, cool forests, sunny seashores and clear lakes. California State Parks preserves the best of California for all to enjoy, whether it's outdoor fun, peaceful relaxation or learning more about history, nature and California. State Park Rangers and Lifeguards help maintain, interpret and protect California's more than 270 state parks for future generations.

Take the challenge.
Join California State Parks.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

- Two years (60 semester units) of study at a state accredited college or university, including a minimum of 21 semester units of course work satisfying General Education Curriculum standards, such as: Natural/Social Sciences, Language, Humanities and Mathematics
- Possession of a valid California Driver's License of the appropriate class
- Excellent physical condition
- At least eighteen years of age
- Six months of experience as a lifeguard at facilities other than swimming pools (Lifeguards)
- Must pass a comprehensive background investigation
- Must be a U.S. citizen