**Washington Camping Destinations**

WA SP <http://www.parks.wa.gov/>

A Discover Pass is required for vehicle access to state parks and recreation lands managed by the Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission, the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW), and the Washington State Department of Natural Resources (DNR). One pass can be transferred between two vehicles. The fees are as follows (add transaction/dealer fees, $5 for the annual Discover Pass and $1.50 for the one-day pass.): Annual pass: $30 One-day pass: $10

<http://www.discoverpass.wa.gov/>

WA Ashford 98304 - **Mount Rainier National Park** <https://www.nps.gov/mora/planyourvisit/paradise.htm> - Paradise section is famous for its glorious views and wildflower meadows. The park's main visitor center, the new Paradise Jackson Visitor Center, is located in the upper parking area. The park has multiple campgrounds. <https://www.nps.gov/mora/planyourvisit/campgrounds.htm> There are no electrical, water, or grey water hookups in any of the campgrounds. <https://www.recreation.gov/recreationalAreaDetails.do?contractCode=NRSO&parkId=2835&recAreaId=2835&agencyCode=70904>

WA Blaine 98230 - **Birch Bay State Park** <https://parks.state.wa.us/170/Birch-Bay>

- is a 194-acre camping park with 8,255 feet of saltwater shoreline on Birch Bay and 14,923 feet of freshwater shoreline on Terrell Creek. The park is rich in shellfish resources and offers panoramic views of the Cascade Mountains and Canadian Gulf Islands. The Terrell Creek Marsh is one of the few remaining saltwater/freshwater estuaries in north Puget Sound. The park features nearly two miles of beach and great views of the Canadian Gulf Islands and the Cascade Mountains. A natural game sanctuary is at the park’s north end. Low tide reveals a wide mudflat with a treasure trove of clams and other shellfish that can be harvested in season. Bring out the pails, shovels, mud boots and licenses, and start digging! If you prefer to swim, Birch Bay is known for its relatively warm water. Campground has 20 utility sites that accommodate RVs up to 60 feet long. Eight restrooms (one ADA) and 18 showers. Reservations can be made [online](https://washington.goingtocamp.com/) or by calling (888) CAMPOUT or (888) 226-7688

WA Camano Island WA 98282, 2269 Lowell Point RD, 360-387-3031 **Camano Island State Park** <http://parks.state.wa.us/484/Camano-Island> - A State Park is a 244-acre camping park with 6,700 feet of rocky shoreline and beach located an hour from Seattle on beautiful Camano Island. The park campground has 88 standard sites, a dump station, two restrooms and two showers. The upper camping loop has pull-through sites (sites 43-88) and are better suited for RVs of up to 40 feet. All campsites are first come, first served. Camping reservations: 360-387-1550

WA Castle Rock 98611 **Mount St Helens Recreation** [https://www.fs.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsinternet/cs/main/!ut/p/z0/04\_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijQwgwNHCwN\_DI8zPwBcqYKBfkO2oCADIwpjI/?pname=Mt%20St.%20Helens%20National%20Volcanic%20Monument%20-%20Home&ss=110623&pnavid=null&navid=091000000000000&ttype=main&](https://www.fs.usda.gov/wps/portal/fsinternet/cs/main/%21ut/p/z0/04_Sj9CPykssy0xPLMnMz0vMAfIjo8zijQwgwNHCwN_DI8zPwBcqYKBfkO2oCADIwpjI/?pname=Mt%20St.%20Helens%20National%20Volcanic%20Monument%20-%20Home&ss=110623&pnavid=null&navid=091000000000000&ttype=main&) - At 8:32 Sunday morning, May 18, 1980, Mount St. Helens erupted and blew down or scorched 230 square miles of forest. The Mount St. Helens Visitor Center opened its doors to the public a few years after the monumental eruption of Mount St. Helens. Functioning as a gateway to the mountain, over 30 miles away, our goal is to educate visitors on the historical significance of the landscape before and during the eruption. We also focus on the resulting impact on nearby ecosystems. Our vantage point offers a view of the Western slope of the mountain, visible from both our center and walking. The park campgrounds have no electric hookups. 40 quakes in 2018 but while the recent earthquakes may make residents nearby Mount St. Helens uneasy, there is no immediate danger of an eruption. Mount St. Helens can be approached from three different sides.

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/recarea/giffordpinchot/recarea/?recid=34143>

Multiple campground near Mount St. Helens <https://www.fs.usda.gov/Internet/FSE_DOCUMENTS/fseprd516228.pdf>

WA Coupeville 98239, 1280 Engle RD, 888-226-7688 **Fort Casey State Park** <https://parks.state.wa.us/505/Fort-Casey> - a 999-acre marine camping park with 10,810 feet of saltwater shoreline on Puget Sound (Admiralty Inlet); it includes Keystone Spit, a 2-mile stretch of land separating Admiralty Inlet and Crocket Lake. The campground has 13 partial-hookup sites with water and electricity, one restroom, and one shower. U.S. Navy jets from nearby Naval Air Station Whidbey Island may fly over the campground at any time for several hours creating noisy conditions for campers. LTVer recommended. Call park for reservations or <https://washington.goingtocamp.com/>

WA Forks 98331, Hoh Valley RD, 360-565-3130 **Hoh Campground Olympic National Park** <https://www.nps.gov/olym/planyourvisit/upload/Hoh.pdf> **-** There are three loops. Loop A is the sun (better for people who have solar) as this is dry camping. Loops B & C are in more of the Hoh Rainforest Canopy with loop C having some tight turns. First come, first served. Very remote location often means that there will be an open campsite when other campgrounds are full. Flush toilets and potable water. No sanitary dump.

WA Grayland 98547, 3120 WA-105, **Grayland Beach State Park** <http://parks.state.wa.us/515/Grayland-Beach> - a 412-acre Washington state park located near Grayland with 7,449 feet of ocean frontage. Park activities include camping, hiking, fishing, clamming, and beachcombing. The park offers 55 full-hookup campsites within walking distance of the ocean with four restrooms, eight showers and a dump station. LTVer recommended. Call (888) CAMPOUT or (888) 226-7688 or online

<https://washington.goingtocamp.com/home>

WA Ilwaco 98624, 244 Robert Gray DR 360-642-3078 **Cape Disappointment State Park** <http://parks.state.wa.us/486/Cape-Disappointment> - located on the north side of the Columbia River where it meets the Pacific Ocean and known for its light houses. Windswept cliffs, sea smells waft up through the air and waves collide with a crash. Hike through old-growth forest or around freshwater lakes, saltwater marshes and ocean tidelands. Can be windy and cold even in the summer. 137 standard campsites, 50 full-hookup sites, 18 partial-hookup sites with water and electricity. Camping is available year-round. LTVer recommended. Reservations call 888-226-7688 or online

<https://washington.goingtocamp.com/home>

WA Kalaloch Camp Grounds 98331 <https://www.recreation.gov/camping/kalaloch/r/campgroundDetails.do?contractCode=NRSO&parkId=70944>

- Located on the southwest coast of the Olympic Peninsula in Olympic National Park, on a high bluff adjacent to the Pacific Ocean. Try site D-24 which offers the most privacy and the best view, very popular in the summer so book ahead. no hookups, nearest shower facility is nine miles away. The Kalaloch Creek Nature Trail is a mile-long walk through the forest along Kalaloch Creek, which drains into the ocean. There are accessible lookout points at Ruby Beach and Beach Trail 4. the Kalaloch area is known for large drifting logs that can pose a threat to swimmers as they wash ashore. Ruby Beach is a famous picture site near Kalaloch.

<https://www.nps.gov/olym/planyourvisit/visiting-kalaloch-and-ruby-beach.htm>

WA Monitor 98836, 2924 US-2, (509) 667-7503 **Wenatchee River County Park** <http://www.wenatcheeriverpark.org/> - Wenatchee River County Park is centrally located in the very middle of Washington on Highway 2 and the Wenatchee River. We are in a town called Monitor just between Cashmere and Wenatchee. Campground <https://reserve5.resnexus.com/resnexus/reservations/lodging/141CD821-AAA0-4FDD-9366-CE6FE171F115> has 43 full hook-ups that include water, electric, and sewer. Amenities include: Laundry facilities, showers, restrooms, sand filled volleyball court, horseshoes, golfing cage, basketball hoop, free movie usage, books to read and a small Workout Center, a playground area and a swing set. We have also added an outdoor Ping Pong Table and outdoor workout center and free Wi-Fi. LTVer recommended

**WA Mukilteo 98275, 8415 Paine Field Blvd,** **The Future of Flight Aviation Center & Boeing Tour** <https://www.futureofflight.org/> is one of Seattle's most-loved, premier attractions. Located just 25 miles north of Seattle, the Boeing Tour is a one-of-a-kind opportunity to view 747, 777, and 787 Dreamliners being assembled on the [Everett production line](http://www.boeing.com/company/about-bca/everett-production-facility.page) before they take to the sky. Each tour is approximately 90 minutes long and includes fascinating facts about Boeing and the planes that bear its name. Tickets for the Boeing Tour sell out quickly. To ensure that you will be able to visit the Future of Flight Aviation Center & Boeing Tour on the day and time that works best for you, it is advisable to book your tickets ahead of time. Call 1-800-464-1476 to reserve your space.

<https://www.futureofflight.org/directions>

WA Nordland 98358, 10541 Flagler Rd, **Fort Flagler State Park** <http://parks.state.wa.us/508/Fort-Flagler> is a Washington state park on the site of Fort Flagler, a former United States Army fort at the northern end of Marrowstone Island. Fort Flagler Historical State Park is a 1,454-acre marine camping park surrounded on three sides by 19,100 feet of saltwater shoreline. 55 full hook-up spaces in the lower beach camp ground. Lower Beach Campground (sites (48-116) are reservable 9 months in advance beginning April 1 - October 31. Reservations can be made [online](https://washington.goingtocamp.com/) or by calling 888-CAMPOUT (888-226-7688).

WA Oak Harbor 98277 - **Deception Pass State Park** <https://parks.state.wa.us/497/Deception-Pass> - Washington's most popular state park, 4,134-acre marine and camping park with 77,000 feet of saltwater shoreline, and 33,900 feet of freshwater shoreline on three lakes. Mysterious coves, rugged cliffs drop to meet the turbulent waters of Deception Pass. Deception Pass is a strait separating Whidbey Island from Fidalgo Island, in the northwest part of the U.S. state of Washington. Camping is located at three locations in the park. 54 utility sites at Quarry Pond, 83 utility sites are at Cranberry Lake. Reservations 888-226-7688 or

<https://washington.goingtocamp.com/>

WA Olympia 98512, 12245 Tilley Road S., **Millersylvania State Park** <http://parks.state.wa.us/546/Millersylvania> - freshwater shoreline on Deep Lake. The park, filled with trails, is abundant in old-growth Cedar and Fir trees. With two swimming beaches, miles of forested hiking and biking trails, boat launches, non-motorized watercraft rentals (kayaks, paddleboards, pedal boats) and abundant fishing, Campsite has 48 utility spaces, three restrooms (one ADA), eight showers (two ADA), and one dump station. Ph: (888) 226-7688

WA Port Angeles 98362, 3002 Mt Angeles Rd, **Olympic National Park** <https://www.nps.gov/olym/index.htm> - Olympic National Park is on Washington's Olympic Peninsula in the Pacific Northwest. The park sprawls across several different ecosystems, from the dramatic peaks of the Olympic Mountains to old-growth forests. The summit of glacier-clad Mt. Olympus is popular with climbers, and hiking and backpacking trails cut through the park's rainforests and along its Pacific coastline. Multiple campgrounds <https://www.nps.gov/olym/planyourvisit/camping.htm> spread out over a wide area with some that are not RV friendly due to RV length or approach roads.

**Sol Duc Valley** <https://www.nps.gov/olym/planyourvisit/visiting-the-sol-duc-valley.htm> in Olympic National PK. Hiking\walking in the forest is magical as is soaking in the hot springs pools afterwards. The Sol Duc River serves as a key highway for Coho salmon, running through the valley and ascending to the lakes and headwaters in the surrounding mountains. Sol Duc Campground has RVs: sites 21 feet, a few for 35 feet. Flush toilets and running water but no hookups.

WA **Seattle** 98108 <https://www.visitseattle.org/> the Space Needle,

- **Museum of Flight** <http://www.museumofflight.org/> - the largest independent, non-profit air and space museum in the world! Take Interstate 5 to Exit 158. Turn right on East Marginal Way. Enter the Museum lot a half mile down the road, on your right. All parking is FREE! Convenient parking is located next to the Museum entries on the east and west sides of East Marginal Way The first Thursday of each month, the Museum is open from 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM with FREE ADMISSION otherwise $20 for seniors.

WA within 4-5 hours of Seattle -

Crescent Lake <https://www.nps.gov/olym/planyourvisit/visiting-lake-crescent.htm>,

Ft Flagler SP <http://parks.state.wa.us/508/Fort-Flagler>

Cape Disappointment State Park <http://parks.state.wa.us/486/Cape-Disappointment>

Salt Creek County Park (near Port Angeles) <http://www.clallam.net/Parks/SaltCreek.html>

Ft Worden State Park<https://parks.state.wa.us/511/Fort-Worden>

WA Sedro-Woolley 98284 - **North Cascades National Park** <https://www.nps.gov/noca/index.htm> - home to more than a third of the glaciers in the Lower 48 states and stars accessible waterfall hikes, alpine meadows, and a range of furry critters come summer. It is one of the snowiest places on earth. Some of its towering peaks and broad lakes are visible from the scenic byway Highway 20. The west side of the Cascade range is lush, populated by Douglas fir evergreens. Ross and Diablo Lakes, both a fantastic turquoise blue, meet near Colonial Creek campground. The park has multiple campgrounds. <https://www.nps.gov/noca/planyourvisit/camping.htm>

WA Newhalem, Milepost 120 State Route 20, Newhalem Creek Campground is part of North Cascades NP. It has large RV size sites, potable water, dump station and flush toilets, but there are no shower facilities or electrical hookups available. The campground is within walking distance of the town of Newhalem and Newhalem Visitor Center on the banks of the Skagit River. Both grizzly and black bears inhabit the area, so caution must be taken while hiking, picnicking or camping.

WA Woodland 98674, 1881 Dike RD, 360-225.-2227 Columbia Riverfront RV Park <http://www.columbiariverfrontrvpark.com/> - Located directly on the Columbia River with 800+ feet of sandy beach. Outdoor pool. Affiliated with Good Sam & FMCA. 76 full hookup sites with cable & WIFI. LTVer recommended.