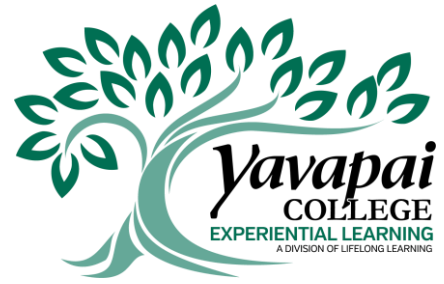


EDventures Itinerary

EXPLORE YAVAPAI COUNTY: HISTORIC CAMP DATE CREEK



Transportation: 12-PASSENGER VANS (non-smoking).

Meal: Box lunch and drinking water provided. Bring extra drinking water and snacks if desired.

Tour: Visit the historic military post, Camp Date Creek, established where the upper forks of the creek join, also an important early wagon road junction. This post was active into the early 1870s before being abandoned. We'll talk about this early history (including a 1915 train wreck in the area), and about the Yavapai people displaced by settlers, while hiking into the old fort site and into part of the upper canyon of Date Creek, where water flows year-round. We'll see ancient rock art in the canyon, and to the north of Date Creek an interesting and little-known historic rock art site. *About two miles total hiking, largely with no visible trail and some rocky and steep sections. Difficulty rating 3.*

7:45AM – Arrive at Yavapai College Prescott Campus. **Meet your van in the parking lot in front of the Lifelong Learning, Building 31.**

8:00AM – Depart from Prescott Campus.

9:30AM – Restroom stop in Congress via Peoples Valley and Yarnell

9:45AM – Travel north via gravel road to Date Creek

11:00PM – Hike into old fort site for lunch

1:00PM – Explore canyon after lunch

3:00PM – Visit historic rock art site

5:00PM – Approximate arrival time in Prescott.

Itineraries are subject to change due to timing, weather, facility closures and other factors. Efforts will be made to stay as close to the original schedule as possible. Times are approximate and may vary slightly. Please arrive at your pickup location early so that we can stay as close to the schedule as possible.

TIPS:

- Bring your camera and an extra battery.
- Wear comfortable clothes and sturdy hiking shoes.
- Walking sticks are useful!
- Wear a hat and sunscreen even if you usually tan.
- Bring or wear insect repellent for bug bites
- Check the weather the night before and dress in layers if you are uncertain.
- Bring extra drinking water and snacks. Some drinking water is provided.
- Notify your driver if you need to make an unscheduled bathroom stop.
- Please arrive early so we can check you in and depart on time.
- Have **FUN!**

Health Form:

The electronic Health form link will be **emailed** with the finalized itinerary to the email address on your student profile. If you do not receive this link or you are unable to submit the electronic form, please contact our office. You **MUST** provide a health form to your trip leader on the morning of departure.

Please call **928-717-7755** with any questions. EDventures office hours are Monday to Friday, 8AM-5PM.

Driver Contact: If you are running late the morning of the trip, our trip leader will call the number we have on file for you. If you know ahead of time that you will not be able to attend a trip, please call the Experiential Learning office number **during business hours**, Mon-Fri, 8am to 5pm at: 928-717-7755.

Prescott Campus Map

