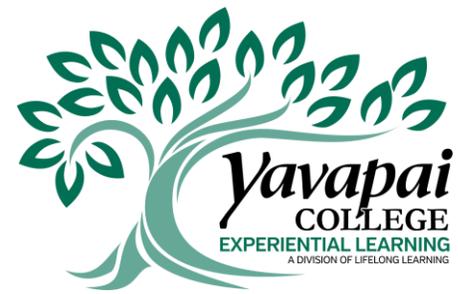


Experiential Learning Itinerary

HIKE & EXPLORE THE HASSAYAMPA



Transportation: 12-PASSENGER VANS (non-smoking)

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

Tour: Spend the day exploring along the Hassayampa, including several short hikes totaling about 3 miles. One of the hikes has a short and rugged (and optional) scramble at the end. Explore canyon narrows, with waterfall, historic hydraulic mining areas, prehistoric settlements along the river, and take a moderate hike into “The Bend” of the Hassayampa.

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 and drive across the west side of the Bradshaw Mountains south of Prescott and east of Wilhoit

10:00AM - Explore and hike the Hassayampa canyon narrows with waterfall and visit hydraulic mining areas. Enjoy a several short hikes (totally about 2 miles) into “The Bend” of the Hassayampa. Optional rugged scramble at the end. Learn about mining history and explore prehistoric settlements along the river.

12:00PM – Enjoy box lunch at a scenic location.

3:30PM – Depart the Hassayampa River and enjoy the beautiful scenery, history and natural features as you travel home.

5:30PM – 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. Bring your binoculars for bird watching at the Preserve.
- Wear comfortable clothes and walking shoes for the day.
- 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.
- Be prepared for back road travel along winding and bumpy roads.
- Bring extra drinking water and snacks. Some drinking water will be provided for you.
- Please arrive early so we can check you in and depart on time.
- There will be walking up to one-half mile on uneven ground.
- If you have mobility limitations, please notify the Experiential Learning staff at least a week before your trip.
- 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 if 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. Experiential Learning 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

