Fredericksburg & Spotsylvania National Military Park Internship Program 2023



Interns work up to three duty stations, including potential assignments at two visitor centers, Chatham Manor, the Stonewall Jackson Death site, and two exhibit shelters. With the help of park staff, interns develop and present programs related to their duty stations. Before staffing any front-line position or developing tours, interns participate in two weeks of intensive interpretive training to prepare them for their roles. They also work alongside park staff honing their public speaking skills and editing their programs. Interns live in park housing located on the Fredericksburg and Chancellorsville Battlefields free of charge. Each intern can expect to have their own room while sharing a kitchen, bathrooms, laundry, and communal space with 2-4 roommates. Please note: while Fredericksburg is not a rural area, because housing is located inside the park it can feel like you are living in the woods. For additional details see: https://www.nps.gov/frsp/getinvolved/supportyourpark/hiintern.htm.



For more detailed maps visit: https://www.nps.gov/frsp/planyourvisit/maps.htm#onthisPage-0



Park Quick Facts:

https://www.nps.gov/frsp

Park Historic Sites:

Fredericksburg Battlefield Chancellorsville Battlefield Wilderness Battlefield Spotsylvania Court House Battlefield

Chatham Manor (historic plantation & Union headquarters)
Ellwood (historic plantation & field hospital)

Stonewall Jackson Death Site Salem Church (historic church, field hospital, & battlefield)

Park Location:

Fredericksburg & Spotsylvania NMP is located in Fredericksburg, Virginia, centrally located on I-95 between Washington, D.C. and Richmond. Fredericksburg is home to numerous historic sites outside of the National Park including George Washington's Boyhood Home, the Mary Washington House, and many others. Washington, D.C. can be visited by train and Richmond by car in an hour's drive.

Amenities:

Grocery stores: Kroger, Wegman's, Lidl, Giant, Weis, Aldi, Food Lion

General shopping: Target, Walmart, indoor shopping mall, outdoor shopping mall at Central Park

Entertainment: bowling alley, restaurants, breweries, mini golf, movie theaters

Travel: easily day trip to Shenandoah National Park, Richmond, Washington, D.C., Virginia Beach, Williamsburg