



# Appomattox Court House NHP

## Internship Opportunity Division of Education and Visitors Services

Do you have an interest in Public History? Do you want experience working for the National Park Service? Here is a great Internship opportunity for late Spring/Summer of 2024.

### *Duties*

Park greeter and guide to visitors from across the world. Interns research, write, and deliver 35-minute formal programs about the surrender and its legacy, and they present hands on parole pass printing demonstrations. Interns also staff the park's Visitor Center information desk, McLean House and produce content for the park's social media platforms.

### *Skilled Desired*

- Friendly and engaging personality
- A genuine interest in history, specifically the Civil War (military & civilian), early Reconstruction, and the legacy/memory of the war
- Good public speaking skills and/or the desire to improve them.
- Flexibility and a willingness to learn.

### *Transportation*

A car is highly recommended but not necessary. The housing is about 1/3 of a mile from the workstations and interns can walk to work.

### *Park location*

Rural setting, small staff. Groceries, gas, Walmart, and restaurants are available three miles away in Appomattox. Shopping, movies, minor league baseball, hospital, most medical facilities, and entertainment are 25 miles away in Lynchburg and Farmville.

For more information contact Dr. Paul Quigley or Alyssa Holland, Volunteer Coordinator at Appomattox Court House NHP at [Alyssa\\_Holland@nps.gov](mailto:Alyssa_Holland@nps.gov) or 434-352-8987 ext. 234.

### *Website and Social Media*

<https://www.nps.gov/apco/index.htm>

<https://www.facebook.com/AppomattoxNPS>

<https://www.youtube.com/@appomattoxnps1526>

