



National Park Internship Application

Expectations:

- Develop Earth Science content resources for parks
- Further develop leadership skills
- Develop geoscience interpretive skills
- Nurture collaboration between public schools and the parks

Application - If you are interested in this opportunity please prepare an application:

- In a 1 – 2 page essay, please indicate which of the six selected regional national parks (Sleeping Bear Dunes NP, Isle Royale NP, Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore, Keweenaw National Historic Park, Indiana Dunes NP, or Apostle Islands NP) you are interested in interning with and explain why. Explain why you think parks and teachers should work together and how an internship would benefit you, your students and the park.
If you have volunteered or interned in a national park before, please identify the park(s) and the nature of the activity.
- Submit applications via email to Lori Witting (lori@mtu.edu) no later than **February 15, 2013**.

Selection:

- Up to ten national park interns will be selected. A committee consisting of MiTEP instructional staff, executive staff, and graduate student assistants will review the applications and select the interns.
- Applicants must be aware that the selection process will be rigorous and there should be no expectation that all applicants will be selected for internships.
- Applications will be accepted through **February 15, 2013**, and the selection committee will inform successful applicants of the decision by March 1, 2013.

Compensation:

- \$1000 per week for 3 weeks
- Room and board covered by MiTEP
- Three graduate course credits