

These are just some of the jobs Park Rangers do!  
Can you match them with their duties?

# Who's Who?

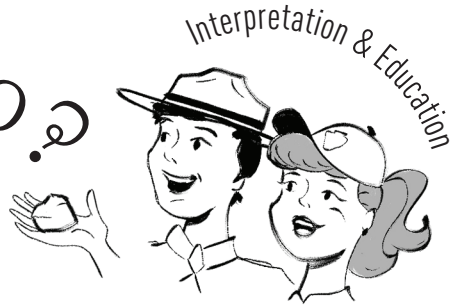
1 These rangers make everything run smoothly by doing all kinds of behind-the-scenes work, like hiring, trainings, payroll, and so much more!

2 These rangers make sure we protect the plants, animals, and cultural resources of parks through research, preservation, and conservation!

3 Our nation's storytellers, these rangers educate visitors about the park. You may see them at visitor centers, giving programs, or out on a trail!

4 Protecting visitors from harm is what these rangers do. They enforce laws to keep parks and visitors safe. They even rescue people who get lost or hurt.

5 These rangers fix roads, maintain buildings, clean bathrooms, build trails and sidewalks, and much more so that we can enjoy a safe and accessible park!



Answers: 1. Administration, 2. Science & Resource Management, 3. Interpretation & Education, 4. Visitor & Resource Protection, 5. Maintenance

## How can you help ?

The United States is a **representative democracy**, which means we elect leaders to serve us through the government.

Sometimes, our elected leaders do things we don't agree with (like firing park rangers!). When this happens, it's our right and responsibility to let our elected leaders know that we want them to stop.

You can do this by writing a letter to your congressional representatives. Use the space below to write your letter. You can mail your letter to your representatives or give them a call and read them what you wrote.

You can find the addresses and phone numbers of your representatives online at [www.usa.gov/elected-officials](http://www.usa.gov/elected-officials) (ask an adult for help if you need it).



### YOUR LETTER TO PROTECT PARK RANGERS



Dear Representative,

My name is \_\_\_\_\_, I'm \_\_\_\_\_ years old  
your name your age

and I live in \_\_\_\_\_,  
your town your state

Today I learned that Park Rangers have been

fired from their jobs. The work that Park

Rangers do is really important. My favorite Park

Rangers are those that \_\_\_\_\_

describe something Park Rangers do  
to protect our parks.

I love national parks! My favorite park is

\_\_\_\_\_. Please protect our Park

your favorite national park site  
Rangers so they can protect our parks!

Thank you, \_\_\_\_\_  
your name



## Junior Resister Pledge



### **As a Junior Resister, I promise to:**

Protect Park Rangers by contacting my  
representatives and sharing what  
I learned today with family and friends.

Protect my national parks by enjoying  
them safely and not causing harm  
to any buildings, places, or wildlife.

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your signature here

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# JUNIOR RESISTER HANDBOOK

