

RANGER RECRUIT

DEFINITION: Under immediate supervision, participates in and performs a variety of assignments designed to provide on-the-job training and practical field experience related to the work of a ranger; performs related work as assigned.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS: This list is ILLUSTRATIVE ONLY and is not a comprehensive listing of all functions and tasks performed by incumbents of this class.

TASKS:

Attends and participates in classroom instruction and on-the-job training in law enforcement methods and procedures in a variety of areas governed by rangers; accompanies supervising ranger(s) on patrols, during investigations, inspections, rescues and other activities; participates and undertakes assignments, duties and tasks as directed by supervising ranger; participates in special projects and assignments.

Assists and learns crime scene investigation and interrogation techniques, conducting preliminary investigations, evidence gathering and preservation and related activities; learns how to determine validity of alleged offense, subsequent investigation and court testimony requirements; provides assistance and services to visitors and others; assists with equipment maintenance and repair; maintains daily log of activities and reports; assists dispatchers, clerical support staff and others.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND OTHER CHARACTERISTICS:

Knowledge of the Navajo cultural and natural resource management.

Knowledge of First Aid principles and practices.

Skill in working cooperatively and courteously but firmly with all segments of the public.

Skill in attending classroom and field training activities.

Ability to understand and follow oral and written directions.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS AND WORK ENVIRONMENT: Must be and remain physically fit, capable of performing law enforcement related and potentially strenuous and dangerous work involving the arrest, apprehension and detaining of suspects, and in performing various emergency and non-emergency duties. Work is performed both indoors and outdoors with potential exposure to a variety of weather conditions. Work also involves the potential for high stress levels.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- A high school diploma or GED.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Some experience working in a natural resource or related field.
- Some college.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT:

- A favorable background investigation.
- Must be twenty-one (21) years of age.
- Possess a valid state driver's license

THE NAVAJO NATION

Class Code: 3173
Natural Resources and Parks Series
Resource Protection Group
Overtime Code: Non-Exempt
Pay Grade: 56

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Supplemental Requirements:

Incumbent must obtain a Navajo Nation Vehicle Operator's Permit within 90 days of date of hire. Some positions may require additional licenses and certification.

Depending upon the needs of the Nation, some incumbents of the class may be required to demonstrate fluency in both the Navajo and English languages as a condition of employment.