

# **CREATION TOURS**& ADVENTURES

CHRIST-CENTERED OUTDOOR TRIPS AND EDUCATION

### Field Trip Packages

Creation focused, gospel centered excursions to the Grand Canyon and beyond.

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Welcome to an extraordinary educational adventure that will transform how your students see God's creation!

Since 1997, Canyon Ministries has been "a voice in the wilderness," leading tours and adventures through the Grand Canyon and other stunning locations throughout the southwest. We are passionate about combining a study of both God's Word and God's World to create life-changing experiences that bring glory to our Creator.

When you bring your students to the Grand Canyon with Canyon Ministries, you're providing them with far more than a typical field trip. You're offering them the opportunity to witness firsthand the evidence of God's magnificent creation and the catastrophic Flood described in Genesis. Here, where the rocks cry out God's glory, your students will discover how Scripture provides the interpretive key to understanding the natural world around them.

Join the thousands of students who have experienced the Grand Canyon through the lens of God's Word with Canyon Ministries.

Our Mission: To help people grow closer to our Creator while experiencing His creation. We boldly proclaim the name of Jesus in all that we do, providing students with an adventure that strengthens both their scientific understanding and their faith.

### Why Grand Canyon?

#### Where God's Word Meets God's World

The Grand Canyon stands as the premier showcase for understanding Earth's history through a biblical lens. This magnificent geological wonder provides unparalleled opportunities for students to see evidence of God's creation and the global Flood of Noah's day written in stone.

#### **Biblical Geology in Action**

Students examine rock layers, fossils, and geological formations that provide compelling evidence for the biblical account of creation and the global Flood. The Grand Canyon serves as a living textbook confirming Scripture's trustworthiness from the very first verse.

#### **Scripture-Based Learning**

Students learn how Genesis provides the foundation for interpreting scientific evidence. Every aspect of our programming is grounded in biblical truth, showing how God's Word provides the interpretive framework for understanding the natural world and reinforcing Scripture's authority and reliability.

#### **Character and Faith Development**

Standing before God's handiwork naturally inspires worship, humility, and awe. Students witness evidence of their Creator's power and design throughout the canyon, often experiencing profound spiritual growth.

#### **Apologetics Foundation**

The Grand Canyon provides powerful evidence supporting biblical truth, giving students confidence to defend their faith through observable evidence in God's creation while seamlessly integrating with science, Bible, and history curricula.



# Field Trips



### **Customizable Educational Adventures Designed for Christian Schools**

Canyon Ministries offers discounted group tours specifically tailored for schools, with flat-rate pricing that makes planning simple and budget-friendly. All itineraries can be customized to meet your curriculum needs and group preferences.

### Sunset Crater & Wupatki

- Tower of Babel
- Ice Age
- Radiometric Dating
- Post-Flood Volcanoes

### Grand Canyon

- Global Flood
- Worldwide Devastation
- Rapid Sedimentation
- God's Judgement & Redemption

### Painted Desert & Petrified Forest

- Massive Burial Event
- Fossilized Trees
- Dinosaurs
- · Pre-Flood ecosystem

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4-8 hours

- Do sedimentary rocks require millions of years to form?
- How was a massive canyon carved through thousands of feet of rock?
- Does the Grand Canyon contain physical evidence of a global Flood?

See tangible evidence for historical events recorded in scripture. As we study the biblical account of the Flood and examine features in the rocks, students will be equipped to defend their faith in the Bible as a trustworthy account of historical events, ultimately providing the foundation for trust in the Gospel!

Choose Your Adventure **Vehicle Tour:** Experience 24 miles of spectacular viewpoints along scenic Desert View Drive.

**Walking Tour:** Walk up to 3 miles along the Trail of Time, examining fossils and touching rocks from every layer of the canyon.







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8 hours

- What happened after the Flood?
- Was the earth a stable environment when Noah stepped off the Ark, or did large scale environmental changes continue to shape the new landscape?
- How did people groups disperse after the Tower of Babel and migrate to North America?

This tour brings to life the events of Genesis 10–11, exploring the post-Flood migration of people groups from Babel during the Ice Age and the dramatic reshaping of the landscape through volcanic eruptions. It's the perfect way to continue the "rest of the story" beyond the Flood, offering a fuller view of the Southwest's incredible history and formation.





### Painted «« **Desert & Petrified Forest**

- Massive Burial Event
- Fossilized Trees
- Dinosaurs
- Pre-Flood ecosystem

10 hours

- Do massive trees require millions of years to fossilize?
- Does the fossil record depict an accurate picture of past ecosystems?
- Where do dinosaurs and other ancient creatures fit into creation models?

Discover how ancient trees were rapidly buried and fossilized during catastrophic Flood conditions. Students will examine colorful petrified logs and explore how these geological formations provide evidence for the sudden, global nature of Noah's Flood.









## Additional Teaching Opportunities

Enhance your visit with custom speaking engagements. Our guides can visit your group's lodging or meeting area to deliver additional biblical creation messages, maximizing the educational value of your trip. These sessions can be scheduled on any day that works best with your itinerary.

Focused presentations allow for deeper engagement, optimizing your time spent at each destination.



### Adventure Beyond the Rim

### For Smaller Groups Seeking Ultimate Immersion

While our day tours provide incredible educational value, Canyon Ministries also offers all-inclusive multi-day adventures that take students deep into the canyon itself. Though limited in availability and capacity, these experiences represent the pinnacle of creation science education.



### Multi-Day Backpacking Expeditions

- 3 to 5 days exploring the canyon's inner depths
- Small groups (5-9 hikers) for personalized instruction
- All gear and meals provided
- Age 12 & up. Physical fitness requirement

### Colorado River Rafting Adventures

- 4 or 7-day expeditions through the heart of the canyon
- Groups up to 26 passengers
- All meals provided
- Age 8 and up. No experience required



These intensive adventures offer unparalleled opportunities to examine Flood geology evidence, fossil formations, and biblical earth history in ways impossible from the rim. Contact us to explore whether one of these transformative experiences might work for your most adventurous students.

# Plan Your Trip with Ease

#### Ready to give your students an unforgettable creation science adventure?

Getting started is simple! Visit our website and complete our group tour booking form to provide us with your basic information and preferences. This allows us to begin a conversation about customizing the perfect educational experience for your students. You can also reach out by phone or email with any questions you may have.

### Three Easy Ways to Connect

- Fill out our booking form at www.canyonministries.org/groups
- 928-251-3000
- tours@canyonministries.org



### What Educators Are Saying



"Science will never truly contradict scripture, you just have to dig a little deeper."

"When I became a Christian and realized there's more scriptural basis for a young Earth theory than an old Earth theory, I thought how does that work together - can both be true, science and scripture? What I found is yes, both are true... What Canyon Ministries has done in my walk and in the walk of our students is help us to see that there's evidence that the canyon was created in a different way, in a way that was quicker that confirms a young Earth theory and in a way that glorifies the Lord."

Holly Garza, Vice Principal Gilbert Christian Schools



## Why Canyon Ministries?



#### **Our Biblical Foundation:**

Every Canyon Ministries experience is built upon the same foundational pillars of biblical teaching:

- All of creation was formed by God in six literal days approximately 6,000 years ago
- The book of Genesis provides a historical narrative of real events that impact our interpretation of the world
- The global Flood in Noah's day was a catastrophic event that dramatically changed the landscape
- A proper understanding of creation and the Flood is foundational to interpreting all of Scripture and the gospel
- Scripture is trustworthy and authoritative from the very first verse

#### **Our Experienced Team of Educators:**

Canyon Ministries guides are passionate believers with expertise in geology, biology, apologetics, and education. Each team member is committed to biblical accuracy and scientific excellence, equipped to help students understand how observable evidence confirms Scripture's reliability.





### Give Your Students an Adventure That Strengthens Both Faith and Knowledge

God's creation is the ultimate classroom. Since 1997, we've helped thousands of Christian school students discover how the Grand Canyon's spectacular geology confirms the truth of Scripture from the very first verse.

Biblical Foundation Every tour connects observable evidence to

God's Word

Creation Science Excellence Professional guides with expertise in geology,

biology, and education

Curriculum Integration Strengthen science, Bible, and apologetics

learning

Flexible Options Customizable tours for groups of 15-100

students





