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Visit California State Parks for Free with a Library Card

Did you know that your library card helps get you into over 200 California State Parks for free? Use your Sonoma County Library card to check out a California State Parks Pass. Day-use passes can be checked out at library branches or [requested through the library catalog](#).

“We are so fortunate to be surrounded by so much beauty and biological diversity in Sonoma County, and we are delighted to be able to share it with people in our communities through the State Park Pass program,” said Sonoma County Library Director Erika Thibault.

To view an interactive map and list of participating state parks, visit www.parks.ca.gov. Participating local state parks include:

- Armstrong Redwoods State Natural Reserve
- Austin Creek State Recreation Area
- Fort Ross State Historic Park
- Jack London State Historic Park
- Kruse Rhododendron State Natural Reserve
- Robert Louis Stevenson State Park (also in Lake and Napa Counties)
- Salt Point State Park
- Sonoma Coast State Park
- Sugarloaf Ridge State Park
- Trione-Annadel State Park
- Bothe-Napa Valley State Park (Napa County)

The California State Library Parks Pass program was developed in partnership with the California State Library and State Parks to advance safe and equitable outdoor access. A pass is valid for entry of one passenger vehicle with capacity of nine people or less, or one highway licensed motorcycle. Passes can be checked out for 21 days.

No library card? No problem! Come into any branch to get your free library card or create a library eCard online at www.sonomalibrary.org/get-a-library-card.

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