



# Dispersed Camping

Free dispersed camping is allowed at the Monticello Field Office, Manti-La Sal National Forest, and Bears Ears National Monument except where posted. There are no fees, permits, or passes needed for dispersed camping.



Please follow these regulations while dispersed camping:

- There is a 14-day camping limit while occupying any campsite on BLM-managed lands.
- Only travel on designated routes. Off-road driving is not permitted.
- No dispersed camping in the vicinity of developed recreation sites such as picnic areas, campgrounds, or trailheads.
- Do not trench, dig, or level your site. Do not cut tree limbs to fit your tent or trailer.
- Pack out all trash.

Familiarize yourself with fire regulations and best practices:

- Be aware of any [current fire restrictions](#).
- Use existing fire rings or use a fire pan.
- Collect only dead and down wood; do not cut limbs.
- Do not leave fires unattended. Drown and stir your campfire before you go to bed or leave your site.

Otherwise, be courteous of the landscape and other visitors when dispersed camping. The landscape of the greater Bears Ears National Monument contains countless irreplaceable archaeological resources, so while visiting this area please [Visit with Respect](#) and [Know Before You Go](#).