


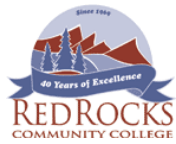
## Red Rocks Community College: Outdoor Recreation Leadership Postsecondary Plan of Study



	<b>Pathway:</b> Agriculture, Food, Natural Resources, and Energy	<b>Plan of Study: Outdoor Recreation Leadership</b>
<b>Career Goal (O*Net Code):</b> (Click the link to access education, skills, and employment outlook information)		<b>Relevant Occupational Experience (Your Life Experiences may be worth College Credit!):</b>
33-9092.00 <a href="#">Lifeguards, Ski Patrol, and Other Recreational Protective Service Workers</a>  39-9032.00 <a href="#">Recreation Workers</a>  39-3091.00 <a href="#">Amusement and Recreation Attendants</a>  19-1031.03 <a href="#">Park Naturalists</a>  39-7011.00 <a href="#">Tour Guides and Escorts</a>  39-7012.00 <a href="#">Travel Guides</a>  39-9031.00 <a href="#">Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors</a>  39-7011.00 <a href="#">Tour Guides and Escorts</a>		Contact Sally Palmer ( <a href="mailto:sally.palmer@rrcc.edu">sally.palmer@rrcc.edu</a> ) for inquiries concerning earning college credit for life experience in Outdoor Recreation Leadership.  <a href="http://www.rrcc.edu/assessment/prior.html">http://www.rrcc.edu/assessment/prior.html</a>  <a href="http://www.coworkforce.com/lmi/intro/JobSeek.asp">http://www.coworkforce.com/lmi/intro/JobSeek.asp</a>
* - High Demand Career		

### Possible Pathways to your Career!

	Programs Available	Program Length (*Based on meeting Program Entrance Requirements)	Estimated Tuition	Career Options	Salary Range
Certificate Option(s)	<b>Outdoor Recreation Leadership – Land Based Skills Specialist</b> <b>Outdoor Recreation Leadership – Winter Based Skills Specialist</b> <b>Outdoor Recreation Leadership – Water Based Skills Specialist</b> <b>Outdoor Recreation Leadership – Generalist</b> <b>Introduction to Outdoor Leadership</b> <b>Introduction to Outdoor Education</b> <b>The Outdoor Professional</b> <b>Outdoor Business/ Management</b> <b>Wilderness Therapy Specialist</b> <b>Facilitation/ Education Specialist</b>	28 Credits (2 sem) 28 Credits (2 sem) 28 Credits (2 sem) 30 Credits (2 sem) 15 credits (1 sem) 16 credits (1 sem) 31 Credits (2 sem) 31 Credits (2 sem) 31 Credits (2 sem) 31 Credits (2 sem)	\$3,497.20 \$3,497.20 \$3,497.20 \$3,747.00 \$2,500.00 \$2,672.00 \$5177.00 \$5177.00 \$5177.00 \$5177.00	Mountaineering Guide, Backpacking Guide, River or Ocean Guide, Canyoneering Guide, Rock Climbing Guide, Outdoor Educator, Field Guide, Summer Camp Program Administrator or Guide, State or National Park Employee, Outdoor/Physical Education Instructor, Ski/Snowboard Instructor.	\$\$\$



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Associate Degree(s)	<b>Outdoor Education</b>	60 credits (4 sem)	\$10,020	Mountaineering Guide, Backpacking Guide, River or Ocean Guide, Canyoneering Guide, Rock Climbing Guide, Outdoor Educator, Field Guide, Summer Camp Program Administrator or Guide, State or National Park Employee, Outdoor/Physical Education Instructor, Ski/Snowboard Instructor.	<b>\$ - \$\$\$</b>
Articulation Opportunities to Advanced Degrees:					
Advanced Degree(s)	Bachelor's Degrees: Outdoor Leadership, Outdoor Education, Recreation	Associate's Degree + 60+ Credits	Varies – Fort Lewis, Durango; WSCU, Gunnison; Metro State University, Denver; UNC, Greeley; CSU Pueblo & Fort Collins.	Mountaineering Guide, Backpacking Guide, River or Ocean Guide, Canyoneering Guide, Rock Climbing Guide, Outdoor Educator, Field Guide, Summer Camp Program Administrator or Guide, State or National Park Employee, Outdoor/Physical Education Instructor, Ski/Snowboard Instructor, Forestry, Senior Guide or Instructor, K-12 Outdoor/ Physical Education teacher, Executive Leadership Education.	<b>\$ - \$\$\$</b>
	Master's Degrees: Outdoor Leadership, Outdoor Recreation, Outdoor Education, Recreation, Wilderness Therapy	Bachelor's Degree + 30+ Credits	Prescott College, Minnesota State University, Mankato, Indiana University, University of Idaho, University of New Hampshire, Naropa University, University of Utah	Senior Mountaineering Guide, Senior Backpacking Guide, Senior River or Ocean Guide, Senior Canyoneering Guide, Senior Rock Climbing Guide, Outdoor Educator, Field Guide, Summer Camp Program Management/Director, State or National Park Employee, Outdoor/Physical Education Management, Ski/Snowboard School Director, Forestry Supervisor, K-12 Outdoor/ Physical Education teacher, Executive Leadership Education, Post-Secondary School teacher,	<b>\$-\$\$\$\$</b>



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				Wilderness Therapy Counselor/ Therapist.
	<a href="#">College Tuition Comparison Guide</a>			

\* \$ = \$15-25,000; \$\$ = \$25-55,000; \$\$\$ = \$55-90,000; \$\$\$\$ = Above \$90,000

### Extended Learning Experiences

**Support Structures:**

*Childcare facilities, Counseling Services, Tutoring Services, Academic Advising and Career Counseling, Veterans Assistance*  
<http://www.rrcc.edu/advising/>

**Financial Aid:**

*Federal Student Loans, Pell Grant, RRCC Foundation Grant*  
<http://www.rrcc.edu/finaid/>

**Professional Affiliations**

**Practical Learning Experiences:**

Paid and Un-paid job internships, special projects, field experiences, public and private presentations, service learning, and an overall emphasis on experiential learning in all classes.

Red Rocks Community College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

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