

Forest Service Student Internship Program

Students will learn about natural resources from every discipline of the Forest Service including: timber, fire, fuels, recreation, silviculture, range, wildlife, engineering, and administration. Duties will include office and field work. In addition, the students may attend safety and wellness, district, zone and project meetings. Weekly work hours and schedule are flexible. Forest Service Contact – District Fire Management Officer –Jeromy Wilson -541-676-2126

Potential opportunities by discipline:

- Timber** – Tree marking with paint for timber sales - field
Timber receipts reconciliation - office
Posting timber sale boundaries - field
Using GPS units- field
- Range** – Pulling Weeds- field/compound
Monitoring grazing allotments - field
- Wildlife** – Habitat surveys
- Silviculture** – Stake tree planting rows - field
Hand thinning of trees – field
- Engineering** – Road inventories, culverts checks and cleanout – field
- Fire** – Pile fuels - field
Clean tools - office
Tupper Work Center - field
Heppner compound maintenance - field
Vehicle maintenance-field
- Recreation** – Trails and Campground cleanup/winterization – field
Tamarack/Ditch Creek Cabins – cleanup/winterization – field
Recreation reports/usage reports – office
- Office** – Office procedures, reports, map inventory, property inventory.
- Heritage** – Office display and interpretive sign displays - office/field
- Botany** – Seedling planting - field
Seeding - field