



## How to Plan a Group Camping Trip at Pinnacles National Park

- Determine your maximum group size.
- Pick the right campsite. Pinnacles Campground has both standard and group sites.
  - *Standard Campsites* can have six people and two cars maximum.
  - *Group Campsites* can have up to twenty people and five cars maximum.
  - Additional Vehicles may be parked in the overflow lot.
- Book your campsites - sites are available to book on [recreation.gov](https://www.recreation.gov) twelve months in advance (for group sites) or six months in advance (for regular sites). Please note that sites for popular times (weekends, spring break, federal holidays) book up months in advance.
- Read the campground rules and forward to all of your group.
- Watch our informative planning videos and forward to your whole group.
  - [HOW TO PLAN FOR ZERO WASTE CAMPING](#)
  - [KEEP WILDLIFE WILD](#)
  - [FOOD STORAGE](#)
- Inventory your camping equipment. Ask your group who can bring what and if they have extra items they can share if someone is missing an item.
- Plan your meals. Consider signing up a few people to cook each meal and take turns. This reduces the amount of time each person has to cook and clean up and saves on packaging and other waste.
- Make sure everyone has directions to the campground.
- Enjoy your camping trip!