

Meeman Shelby Forest State Park: TENNESSEE

Overview: Bordering on the mighty Mississippi River, 13 miles north of Memphis, two-thirds of this 13,467-acre park are bottomland hardwood forests of large oak, cypress and tupelo. The park contains two lakes and many miles of hiking trails as well as one of the largest disc-golf courses in the Southeast. Deer, turkey, beaver, fox, otter and bobcat are plentiful. Over 200 species of songbirds, waterfowl, shorebirds, and birds of prey, including the American Bald Eagle can be seen. Meeman Shelby provides a variety of outdoor activities to its visitors and campers in Tennessee.

Day-to-day: Participants will be engaged in service from 8am-5pm each day. Tasks will include activities such as trail maintenance, structure improvements, painting, cleaning up public areas, and mulching. Expect to be outside for full days.

Nitty-Gritty Details: Students will be staying in rustic park cabins that include bunk beds. Meals are not included but the group will have a small grocery budget for preparing some meals. Participants on this trip will enjoy hiking in the park during free time. It should be noted that cell service might not be available for the entirety of the trip



SPECIFICATIONS

Location: Millington, TN

Housing: Cabins

Price: \$250

Trip Price includes:

- Transportation
- Housing
- Program fees
- Tools/supplies needed for service

Transportation: Participants will travel by van to and from destination

Social Justice Issue: Environmental

Physicality Level: 3

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