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## use of Marshall Gulch Day Use and Picnic Site for Field Trip

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Mister Guiterman,

Per your note below and our previous contacts, your group may use the Marshall Gulch Day Use and Picnic Site for your planned Geography 303 Class for educational purposes without the need for a Coronado NF Recreation Pass or other day use or national pass product for Saturday, April 12.

Your proposed activities are as follows:

*Students will taking measurements for various projects that I have offered to them. These include post-fire regen in the H-S burn area, HTs of shrubs under various canopy cover percentages, composition and density of forests and understory on differing aspects, influence of riparian area on HT and DBH of conifers, density of tree regen along a transect going away from the forest edge (of the H-S burn area), and fuel loading in areas of different fire severity.*

Your group size is under the threshold for a special use permit. You may print this email and posted on the dashboard in plain sight for the six vehicles you describe below. The waiver a fee does not place an assumption of liability for the field trip on the Coronado National Forest. You are responsible for the safe conduct and security of your students while undertaking this activity.

Thank you for contacting my office concerning this matter. We hope your students have an enjoyable and educational visit to Mount Lemmon. Marshall Gulch is spectacular public resource.

Best Regards,

Larry Pratt

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Hi Larry,

Thanks for your support and help.

My class is Geography 303, at the University of Arizona. It has 20 students, one instructor (me), and a teaching assistant. We will have 6 vehicles at Marshall Gulch, including a labeled university van. I don't why we need so many vehicles, but I guess my students don't like to carpool...

thanks again,

Chris

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