



FRESNO CENTER

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ABOUT THE CENTER

The CCC Fresno Center is a non-residential facility located near Fresno Yosemite International Airport. As many as 45 Corpsmembers work on three crews doing natural resource work in and around Fresno, the Central Valley, and the nearby Sierra Nevada Mountains. Corpsmembers commute to the center daily for work and typically work four, ten-hour days Monday through Thursday.

The Fresno Center is part of the CCC Monterey District. Most of the center's work involves fuel reduction and forestry. Corpsmembers get a wide variety of project experiences and opportunities.

WORK & TRAINING



Wildland Firefighting: The Fresno Center partners with CAL FIRE to operate a year-round firefighting hand crew in Fresno and Kings counties. Corpsmembers cut fire line, lay hose, and mop up wildland fires. The crew responds to local incidents and fires statewide.

Training is provided by CCC and CAL FIRE. Certifications include: IS-100, IS-200, IS-700, S-110, L-180, S-190, S-130, and additional certifications may also be available.



Forestry / Fuel Reduction: Corpsmembers help reduce the risk of wildfire by removing hazardous fire fuels, such as overgrown brush and invasive species. Crews work in rural environments as well as near urban landscapes to complete this work. Fresno Center partners include CAL FIRE, U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management, local conservation districts, fire safe councils, counties, and cities.

Fresno Center is also home to a **Save Our Sierra** crew. Corpsmembers in this program work in the Sierra Nevada Mountains to remove hazard trees and reduce the impacts of drought and bark beetle infestation. The crew primarily camps near project work sites for eight straight days.

WORK & TRAINING



Emergency Response: Corpsmembers respond to emergencies across California for wildfire camp support, floods, food bank support, and vaccination centers. Corpsmembers may be required to work extended hours on these assignments. Extended hours means Corpsmembers can work up to 16 hours in a day, earning excess pay. Emergency assignments away from center can last up to 21 days in a row.



Public Service Conservation Work: Corpsmembers assist state and local agencies, as well as non-profit organizations, implement projects that have significant public benefits and uses. Work can include bridge construction, dog park construction, park and median landscaping, minor construction, and finishing work. Training is often unique to each project. Local partners include fire service agencies and non-profit groups.



Additional training and project work may include **Riparian & Watershed Restoration**, **Flood Fighting**, and **Trail Building & Maintenance**. For a full list of projects, available training opportunities, and certifications, visit the [Fresno Center web page](#).

EDUCATION



High School: The Fresno Center offers Corpsmembers the opportunity to earn their high school diploma through a partnership with [John Muir Charter School](#). Corpsmembers without a diploma must work to earn one while enrolled.

Community College: Opportunities may also be available for Corpsmembers to further their education and earn additional certifications.



Core Training: All Corpsmembers participate in CCC's Corpsmember Development Program. These courses include resume building, job searching, and interview training and typically require three hours of educational activities per week.

POST-CCC

The Fresno Center partners with the Monterey Bay Center to provide a dedicated "Navigator" to work with Corpsmembers to plan their post-CCC careers, including assisting with job applications, career planning and college admissions. Corpsmembers go on to careers in State Parks, Caltrans, and more!

