

## Living at Grant Village

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## Adventure Awaits You



Services Available: ➢ Post Office B Gas Station ♀ General Stores NPS Visitor Center Guest Units:

Rooms300Camp Sites414

**Elevation:** 7,733ft; 2,357m



Number of employees: 265

Weather: <u>Summer</u>: Daytime temperatures are often in the 70s (25c) and occasionally in the 90s (35c). Nights are usually cooler and temperatures may drop below freezing. Thunderstorms are common in the afternoons. <u>Spring & Fall</u>: Daytime temperatures range from 30s to 60s (0 to 20c) with overnight lows in the teens to single digits (-5c to -20c). Snow is common in spring and fall. At any time of year, be prepared for sudden changes. Always be equipped with a wide range of clothing options. Be sure to bring a warm jacket and rain gear, even in the summer.

Guest facilities: Grant Village, named after president Ulysses S. Grant who signed the law which established Yellowstone as the world's first

national park, was completed in 1984. The lodging complex includes 6 two-story buildings each containing 50 rooms. A large campground and public laundry shower facility serve the camping visitors. Also located in the area are two restaurants, lounge, small gift store, and a general store. The village is situated on the southwestern shore of Yellowstone Lake, approximately 20 miles from Old Faithful, and is the nearest location to Grand Teton National Park and Jackson, WY.

Employee facilities: Approximately 100 employees reside in Grayling Dorm. Grayling has rooms with semi-private bathrooms or suites

(two rooms connected by bath). Employees live three to a room in Grayling, where sleeping in a bunk bed is a possibility! A cabin area is situated next to Grayling. The 13 cabin structures containing 4 individual rooms, each with its own bathroom. Employees live two per room in the cabin area. There are two employee trailer parks at Grant Village, the Upper and Lower courts. The Lower Court is close to Grayling, while the Upper Court is approximately 3/4 mile up the road.

All employees, whether living in an employee residence or in a private trailer, will need to be prepared for the distances between employee areas and work areas at Grant. Boardwalks have been placed between the residence area and the guest area to help employees get around. Remember to bring a flashlight, raingear, mosquito repellent and a warm jacket. Being situated on the shores of Lake Yellowstone, Grant is known for

dew-covered mornings and chilly nights. A bicycle is a great idea at Grant-but don't forget your helmet!

An employee pub provides a place to gather after hours. There is no indoor rec. hall at Grant, though weightlifting equipment, a pool table, piano and ping pong table are available in Grayling Dorm. The Employee Dining Room is located next to the guest dining room; again, this is a bit of a walk from the residence area. Grant is a great place to call home. Ask any returning employee and they'll tell you it's just far enough off the beaten path, yet an hour or two from "the big city" of Jackson, Wyoming. The employee population is not overwhelming, the occasional wildlife sighting can be exciting and the sunrises are breathtaking. We think you'll like it, too!

