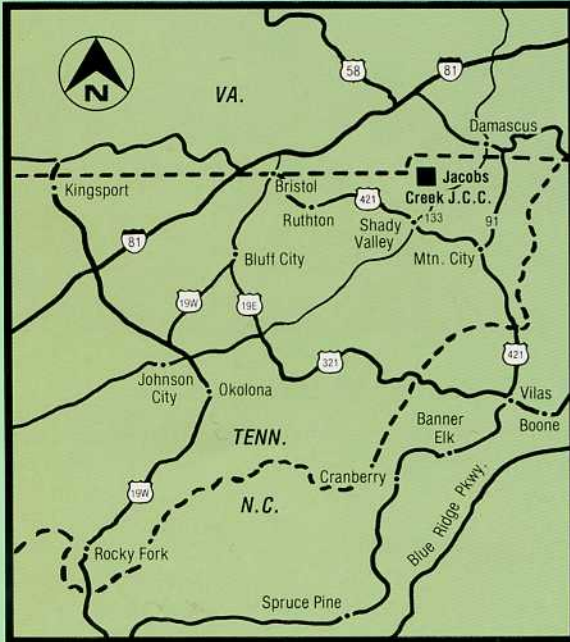


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Job Corps Center



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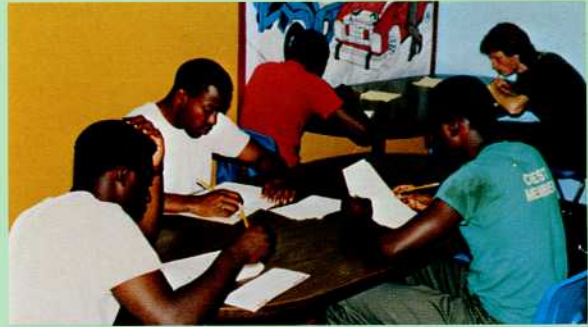
The Center

Jacobs Creek Civilian Conservation Center is operated by the U.S. Forest Service in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor and is located in the north end of the Cherokee National Forest, 18 miles south of Bristol, Tennessee, off U.S. Highway 421, on Denton Valley Road. The Center has an all male population of 224 trainees. The trainees are housed in one of four (4) fifty-six (56) man dormitories. Each trainee is responsible for his own living area and aids in cleaning and maintenance of the dorm. They learn to live and work with people their own age who are from different areas and backgrounds.



Education and Training

Our purpose is to prepare you for the working world. You learn at your own pace while you attend education classes and receive training in a variety of vocational areas.



Educational Offerings

For those who have not had the opportunity to complete their education, a complete facility is provided. A trainee can be taught his basic education skills along with a program of Health Education and World of Work.

Provisions are also made for qualified trainees to work for and obtain their GED's through a testing program at a local university.



Vocational Training Options

- Heavy Equipment Operation
- Heavy Equipment Repair
- Carpentry
- Brick Masonry
- Painting
- Cement Masonry
- Welding
- Culinary Arts

All trades, except welding and culinary arts, are taught by Union Contractors and provide training to the apprentice level. Upon completion of the program, the trainee is sponsored into the Union. Most union trades require a minimum age of 17 to be accepted into the trade.

Welding also provides training to the apprentice level but without union affiliation.



Health Care

You receive basic health and medical services, including dental and eye care, as well as an initial examination when you arrive at the Center.

Meals

You dine cafeteria-style in a bright, comfortable dining room. Meals are served three times a day on weekends with a hearty brunch and dinner on weekends.

Pay

In Job Corps you earn while you learn, starting at \$40.00 a month with a possibility of earning up to \$100.00 a month. Raises are based on good performance, achievement and length of stay in Job Corps. Payday is twice a month.

Another \$75.00 to \$100.00 a month is set aside for you, and after you complete the program, it's used to help you begin your new job.

Clothing

An annual clothing allowance of \$317.00 will be given to you the first year of enrollment, with \$103 for the second year.

In addition, all vocational and protective clothing such as rain gear, boots, hard hats, etc., are provided at no cost to you.

Leisure Time

After hours recreation is provided on Center and in the local area. The Center has team sports such as basketball, football, track, and softball. The Center also has a gym with weight room, pool room, ceramics and a TV lounge. There are also board games and TV in the dorms as well as intramural activities in other organized sports. Liberty trips and special activity trips are taken on a schedule basis to Bristol, Kingsport, Johnson City and to other Centers for social activities.