

Yosemite Day Hikes

Hikes in Yosemite Valley

Trail	Distance <i>miles (km)</i>	Elevation Gain <i>feet (meters)</i>	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
4-Mile Trail	4.7 (7.5)*	3,200 (975)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Artist Point	2.0 (3.2)	500 (150)	🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Bridalveil Fall	1.2 (1.9)	200 (60)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Columbia Rock	3 (4.8)	1,000 (300)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Half Dome	14.2 (22.7)*	4,800 (1,600)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Happy Isles	0.5 (0.8)*	< 10	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Inspiration Point	2.6 (4.2)	1,000 (300)	🧑🧑	★★★★	
Mirror Lake & Tenaya Canyon	2.4 (3.8)*	< 100*	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
The Mist Trail (Vernal & Nevada Falls)	3 (4.8)*	1,000 (300)*	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Panorama Trail	8.5 (13.5)	3,200 (975)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Pohono Trail	13 (21)*	3,700 (1,130)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Sentinel / Cook's Meadow Loop	2.25 (3.6)	< 10	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Snow Creek Trail	7.2 (11.6)*	2,700 (820)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Turtleback Dome	1.2 (2)	360 (110)	🧑🧑	★★★★	
Lower Yosemite Falls	0.5 (.8)*	< 50*	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Upper Yosemite Falls	7.6 (12)*	2,600 (790)*	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Vernal Fall Footbridge	2 (3.2)	300 (90)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	

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Hikes in Southern Yosemite

Trail	Distance <i>miles (km)</i>	Elevation Gain <i>feet (meters)</i>	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
Chilnualna Falls	8.4 (13.5)	2,300 (700)	☺☺☺	★ ★ ★	
Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias	2.2 (3.5)*	1,200 (360)*	☺☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Wawona Meadow Loop	3.5 (5.6)*	< 50*	☺☺	★ ★ ★	
Wawona Swinging Bridge	0.75 (1.2)*	< 50	☺☺	★ ★	

Hikes Along Glacier Point Road:

Trail	Distance <i>miles (km)</i>	Elevation Gain <i>feet (meters)</i>	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
4-Mile Trail	4.7 (7.5)*	3,200 (975)	☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Bridalveil Creek	5.5 (9)*	100 (30)*	☺☺	★ ★	
Dewey, Crocker, & Stanford Points	7.8 (12.5)*	300 (90)*	☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Glacier Point	1 (1.6)	< 50	☺☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Illilouette Falls	4 (6.5)	1,400 (420)	☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
McGurk Meadow	1.8 (2.9)	100 (30)	☺☺	★ ★ ★	
Mono Meadow	1.2 (2)*	300 (90)	☺	★ ★	
Ostrander Lake	12.4 (20)	1,600 (490)	☺☺☺	★ ★ ★	
Panorama Trail	8.5 (13.5)	3,200 (975)	☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Pohono Trail	13 (21)*	3,700 (1,130)*	☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Sentinel Dome	2.2 (3.5)	400 (120)	☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Taft Point and the Fissures	2.2 (3.5)	200 (60)	☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Washburn Point	0.1	15 (5)	☺☺☺☺	★ ★ ★ ★ ★	
Westfall Meadow	2.8 (4.5)	100 (30)	☺	★ ★ ★	

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Tioga Road Hikes

Trail	Distance miles (km)	Elevation Gain feet (meters)	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
Cathedral Lakes	7.0 (11.2)*	800 (240)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Clouds Rest	14.5 (23.3)	1,775 (540)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Dog Lake	2.8 (4.5)*	750 (225)*	🧑🧑	★★★	
Elizabeth Lake	4.6 (7.4)*	900 (270)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Gaylor Lakes	3 (4.8)*	600 (180)*	🧑🧑	★★★★	
Glen Aulin (Tuolumne Falls/White Cascade)	13 (21)	600 (180)*	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Harden Lake	5.8 (9.3)	300 (90)	🧑🧑	★★	
Lembert Dome	2.8 (4.5)*	900 (275)*	🧑🧑	★★★	
Lower Gaylor Lake	4.6 (7.4)*	800 (245)*	🧑🧑	★★★	
Lukens Lake	1.6 (2.5)*	200 (60)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★	
Lyell Canyon	1.4 (2.2)*	< 100 (30)*	🧑🧑	★★	
May Lake & Mt. Hoffmann	2.5 (4)*	500 (150)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Mono Pass	7.4 (12)*	900 (275)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
North Dome	8.8 (14.2)	-560 (-170)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Olmsted Point	0.25 (0.4)	< 100	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	
Pothole Dome & Tuolumne River	2.5 (4)	250 (75)	🧑🧑	★★★	
Snow Creek Trail	10 (16)*	1,700 (520)*	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Spillway Lake	8 (13)	800 (240)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Sunrise Lakes	8.8 (14)*	1,300 (395)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Tenaya Lake	2.5 (4)	0	🧑🧑🧑	★★★★★	
Tuolumne Grove of Giant Sequoias	2.5 (4)	-400 (-120)	🧑🧑🧑	★★★	
Tuolumne Meadows	2 (3.2)	0	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★★★★	

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Hetch Hetchy & Big Oak Flat Hikes

Trail	Distance <i>miles (km)</i>	Elevation Gain <i>feet (meters)</i>	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
Carlton Falls	3.8 (6)	200 (60)	🧑🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	
Foresta Falls	2 (3.2)	200 (60)	🧑	★ ★	
Little Nellie Falls	5.6 (9)	320 (100)	🧑	★ ★	
Lookout Point	2.8 (4.5)	500 (150)	🧑🧑	★ ★	
Merced Grove of Giant Sequoias	3 (4.8)	600 (180)	🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	
Rancheria Falls	13 (21)	800 (240)	🧑🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	
Wapama Falls	5.5 (8.8)	200 (60)	🧑🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	

Not Quite Yosemite

Trail	Distance <i>miles (km)</i>	Elevation Gain <i>feet (meters)</i>	Crowd Factor	Scenery Factor	Difficulty
Ahwahnee Hills Park	2.7 (4.3)*	100 (30)	🧑🧑	★ ★	
Bodie	1.0 (1.6)*	100 (30)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★ ★ ★ ★	
Hite Cove	4.0 (6.4)*	100 (30)	🧑🧑	★ ★	
Lewis Creek (Red Rock & Corlieu Falls)	3.0 (4.8)*	300 (90)	🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	
Merced Wildlife Refuge	2.5 (4.0)*	0 (0)	🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	
Mono Lake (South Tufa Trail)	1 (1.6)	40 (12)	🧑🧑🧑🧑	★ ★ ★ ★	
Nelder Grove of Giant Sequoias	1 (1.6)*	< 100 (30)	🧑🧑	★ ★ ★	

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