Fact Sheet

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Haleakalā National Park

- Haleakalā National Park is an American national park that supports native ecosystems while maturing its volcanic landscape.
- The park was established in 1961 and is located in southern Maui, Hawaii.
- The park covers an area of 33,265 acres and reaches an elevation of 10,023 feet.
- The Summit District is home to one of largest volcanos in the world and the Kīpahulu District is located on the coast of Maui, 12 miles past the town of Hāna.
- There is no age limit for volunteers.
- Scientific records show that Haleakalā has erupted at least 10 times in the past 1,000 years. The last eruption occurred sometime between the years of 1480 and 1600.
- Entrance fees may vary depending on forms of transportation and the number of visitors per group. These fees range from \$15 to \$45 and last up to three days, including the day of purchase.
- There are over 35 miles of hiking trails in the wilderness area that guide hikers through the subalpine shrubland, cloud forest and cider desert.
- Nearly 90% of the state's 1,400 plant species are unique to Hawaii. The state is home to 44% of the country's total endangered plant species and more than 200 of these species have 50 or fewer individual plants remaining.