



SOUTHWEST GAP PROJECT BASED LEARNING SUMMARY

LOCATION	THEME(S)	FIELD EXPERIENCE
Colorado Bison Ranch	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment & Conservation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work on a small family-run bison ranch and learn about animal husbandry, water rights, food security, and more
Colorado Wolf Sanctuary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment & Conservation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn about rehabilitation efforts taking place on behalf of formerly-domesticated gray wolves • See the wolves first-hand and assist with projects ranging from fence-building to feeding the wolves.
Utah Wilderness First Responder Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in a world-class 7-day Wilderness Medicine Course • Learn to conduct a thorough physical examination, obtain a patient history, assess vital signs, provide emergency care in the wilderness, and make crucial evacuation decisions
Utah Cataract Canyon River Rafting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment & Conservation • Indigenous Rights & Histories 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whitewater raft 46 miles down Cataract Canyon on the Colorado River • Learn about water issues in the Southwest and the effects of the Hoover Dam on Lake Powell and the Canyon • Explore the Indigenous history of the Southwest while retracing the steps of those who went before
Arizona Immigration Study	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Movement of Peoples • Social Justice • Indigenous Rights & Histories • Literacy and Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participate in a week-long delegation focused on immigration policies in the U.S. • Meet with migrants, activists, and non-profit workers committed to bringing awareness and resources to this complex topic
Arizona Permaculture Farm Study	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment & Conservation • Social Justice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn about greywater systems, composting, aquaculture, and other sustainable farming practices • Work in the community garden to promote food sustainability