The Moon: The Center of a Solar Eclipse
Wave at the Moon
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LRO Camera 8/21/17
Training for Interpreters

Earth to Sky

Interpreting the Eclipse webinar series
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Solar eclipse session at the National Association for Interpretation National Conference
2017 Eclipse in Homestead National Monument

Credit: NPS
Select Recommendations for (2023 +) 2024 Eclipse

See You in the Shadow: A National Parks and NASA Collaboration

Celebrating the 2017 Great American Eclipse: Lessons Learned from the Path of Totality; ASP Conference Series, Vol. 516

- NASA and NPS partnering is highly beneficial
- Make use of existing Agency relationships + infrastructure
- Strategically target underserved locations
- Cultural and historical connections are very meaningful
- Use the eclipse to provoke further learning
- Support educational opportunities before and after the eclipse
- Give greater attention to areas outside the path of totality
- For locations at which significant NASA presence is planned:
  - Conduct planning site visit(s) of coordinating team
  - Plan for the support team to arrive at least 3 days prior to the event
  - Encourage out of town staff to stay with locals
- Pair short duration hands-on activities with access to Subject Matter Experts to extend and deepen impact
- Encourage and train volunteers to assist in all aspects of the operation