Grand Ridge Park

A special feature of Grand Ridge are the groves of western red cedar trees - some over five feet in diameter. A seven-mile shared-use trail built by Washington Trails Association volunteers runs north and south through the park ending at the Duthie Hill mountain bike park. Grand Ridge is home to a diversity of wildlife – owls, bears and cougars.

Area
1,300 acres

Total trail length
11.9 miles

Trail uses
Hiking, horseback riding, mountain biking. Steep climbs in the north and south with moderate rolling terrain on the ridgetops.

Access
East Fork Trailhead
From I-90 east—Take Exit 20, turn left at the bottom of the ramp. Pass underneath I-90 and park in the gravel lot to the west. Hike or bike west on the Issaquah–Preston rail trail to the trailhead.

Duthie Hill Park parking lot
From I-90 east—Take Exit 18, East Sunset Way and Highlands Drive. Stay left on Highlands Drive and follow for 2.1 miles. Turn right onto Issaquah–Fall City Road and follow for 2 miles. At Endeavor Elementary School, take a right onto Issaquah–Fall City Road. The parking lot will be located on your left and accommodates 74 vehicles.

Grand Ridge trails can also be reached from the Central Park and South Pond trailheads in the Issaquah Highlands.

Grand Ridge Park is served by the Issaquah Highlands Park and Ride, Issaquah Transit Center and Metro bus route 208 at High Point on Interstate 90.

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Grand Ridge Park is 1,300 acres of pristine forest rising 1,100 feet in elevation above Issaquah and Lake Sammamish. Established to provide natural resource preservation and passive recreation along the edge of urban and rural living, the park is located between Mitchell Hill Forest to the east and the Issaquah Highlands residential development to the west. The steep slope above the North Fork of Issaquah Creek is covered by stands of large second growth Douglas fir trees.