Camp Westminster Staff Packing List

Clothing

Notes: Temperatures at camp can range from 95 degrees F (35C) to 45 degrees F (7C) throughout the summer. The camper cabins that you will be staying in for some of the summer don't have electricity or heat. Please plan and pack accordingly.

You will be receiving a staff shirt when you arrive. Please make sure this shirt is clean and ready to wear every Sunday when Campers arrive.

- A pair of nice pants/shorts for Drop Off Sunday (ones that would go well with Forest Green, as that's the staff shirt color this year)
- 2-3 pairs of jeans and or cargo pants
- A nice outfit or two for worship on Sundays
- 3-4 pairs of shorts
- 4-6 Short Sleeve Shirts
- 2-3 Long Sleeve shirts
- 2 sweatshirts/hoodies
- 1 pair of tennis shoes (sneakers/trainers)
- 1 pair of hiking boots if you have them
- 1 pair of sandals/crocs/chacos (easily slipped on and off for beach activities)
- 1-2 swimsuits (Women: one piece or tankini. Men: trunks or board shorts)
- Socks (lots of them. They get dirty/smelly quick and they disappear SO easily)
- Pajamas (nights can get cold so don't be afraid to bring flannel. They can also be quite warm, so don't ONLY bring flannel)
- Raincoat/windbreaker (It does rain sometimes at camp, & you'll be thankful you have it)
- Any fun costumes/crazy clothes you want (we have fun dress up nights at camp frequently that range from western night, animal night, superhero night, sports night, cabin color night, etc. etc. etc. Anything you bring will most likely find a use for)

If any of this is too much to pack or you don't have them know that our camp store has several t-shirts, sweatshirts/hoodies, flannel pants/shorts, and more that you will be able to purchase once there.

This should all fit in about 1 large suitcase-as an idea of how much to bring for Camp when you are working

Accessories

- Flashlight (torch) with batteries
- Sunglasses
- Hats/bandanas/anything you like to accessorize with
- Sunscreen
- Toiletries that you use on a regular basis: you only need to bring a normal supply of these as there are several stores located 15-20 min away that you can regularly visit on Saturdays.

Bedding

- Sleeping bag (international staff if this is burdensome, we can get sleeping bags for you once you come over. No need to take up a large amount of space if you need it for other stuff)
- Pillow and pillowcase
- Optional alternative: sheets and blankets. If you'd rather use twin sheets and blankets instead of a sleeping bag that's always an option. We've seen counselors use sheet and blankets and others use sleeping bags. It's about what you're comfortable with and what you have.

Stuff

- Bible We will be using the NSRV translation, but bring whatever you usually use
- You may want a journal/notebook
- Bring anything that represents your culture or country that you would want to share with your campers
- Feel free to bring your laptop. Camp has wireless internet that you can use to check your email during your hour off/day off/evening off and you can use it in the office and/or staff lounge (there are 2 staff computers available for use as well). Please do not use your laptop with campers or in wakeyas.
- Instruments you play (there will be at least one guitar and possibly a ukulele already present, but if you play something and can bring it, we always love to hear our staff's talents!)
- Bring whatever you think your campers may find interesting during cabin time or at night. Your campers will want to hang out with you and get to know you. This could mean a deck of cards, a book, another game, etc.

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