

PACKING FOR CAMP

Important Information

- Put your camper's name on everything, ABSOLUTELY EVERYTHING, they bring (including bags, trunks and other large items)!
- Though tempting, don't send too much - it just makes it difficult for your camper to keep track of everything.
- Have your camper pack with you - they will need to know where their belongings are and how to stay organized.
- Quantities and suggested items in the Packing List are our recommendations based on 80 years of experience. However, you know your camper best - please pack according to your own camper's needs.
- **VERY IMPORTANT! DO NOT SEND ANY FOOD.**
- **VERY IMPORTANT! DO NOT SEND CELL PHONES OR CONNECTED DEVICES.**
- **VERY IMPORTANT! DO NOT SEND ANY TOILETRIES THAT ARE BERRY-SCENTED.**



Laundry

Our laundry facilities are extremely limited. They are reserved for “emergency” use only. Campers can do small amounts of hand laundry, but the best approach is to try to send your camper with enough clothing to get through a two-week stay.

Things You **MAY NOT** Bring

- Tobacco/Nicotine/Vapes, Alcohol, Marijuana/THC, Illegal Substances/Drugs, or Weapons.
 - Possession of these items is grounds for dismissal.
- Animals or pets
- Cell Phones or devices that connect to Wi-Fi or use cellular data.
 - These will be confiscated and kept safely in the director's office until check-out day.
- Anything of value like cash, fine jewelry, expensive cameras or electronics, etc.
- Berry-scented toiletries - they attract unwanted wildlife.
- Food, gum, or snacks of any kind.
- Please check with the camp for permission to bring personal sporting equipment.

PRINTABLE PACKING LIST

ORGANIZATION

- ___ 100ish Iron-on or Sticker Labels OR 1 Label Stamp
- ___ 1 Trunk, Large Suitcase, or Plastic Bin for clothing
- ___ 1 Plastic shower caddy/tote
- ___ 1 Plastic drawers for bedside (*optional*)
(approx. 18" x 16" x 24 5/8")
- ___ Other: _____

BEDDING / LAUNDRY

- ___ 1 Sleeping Bag & Fitted Cot Sheet***
OR Fitted Cot Sheet, Twin Sheets, & Blanket/Quilt***
- ___ 1 Extra Throw Blanket (it can get chilly!)
- ___ 1 Pillow
- ___ 2 Pillowcases
- ___ 1 Laundry Bag
- ___ 1 Small mat or rug placed next to bed (*optional*)
- ___ 1 Mattress Pad (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

CLOTHING

- ___ 15 T-Shirts (a variety of colors for special events)
- ___ 10 Shorts (athletic, Soffee, denim, etc)
- ___ 15 Underwear
- ___ 15 Socks*
- ___ 10 Bras and/or Sports Bras
- ___ 3 Jeans and/or Long Pants
- ___ 2 Sweatshirts and/or Light Jackets
- ___ 2 Set of Pajamas
- ___ 1 Raincoat or Poncho
- ___ 1 Hat (baseball, visor, bucket)
- ___ 1 "Nice" outfit for special days (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

SHOES

- ___ 2 Sneakers**
- ___ 1 Shower Shoes (slides, flip flops, or Crocs)
- ___ 1 Rainboots (*optional*)
- ___ 1 Water Shoes (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

SWIMMING

- ___ 2 Swimsuits
- ___ 2 Beach Towels
- ___ 2 White Swim Caps^
- ___ 2 UV Shirt or Rashguard (*optional*)
- ___ 1 Goggles (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

BATHING

- ___ 2 Bath Towels
- ___ 2 Wash Cloths or Loofah
- ___ 1 Robe (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

TOILETRY + SELF-CARE (NOTHING BERRY-SCENTED)

- ___ Toothbrush & Toothpaste
- ___ Body Wash or Bar Soap
- ___ Shampoo & Conditioner
- ___ Hair care supplies (brush, hair ties, bonnet, etc)
- ___ Sunscreen
- ___ Insect Repellent (with tick protection)
- ___ Face Wash / Skincare Products
- ___ Deodorant
- ___ Lotion / Moisturizer
- ___ Lip balm
- ___ Pads and/or Tampons
- ___ Extra Eyeglasses and/or Contacts & Supplies
- ___ Razors & Shaving Cream
- ___ Retainer and/or Orthodontic supplies
- ___ Other: _____

ACCESSORIES + FUN

- ___ 1 Flashlight and extra batteries
- ___ 1 Backpack
- ___ 2 Refillable Water Bottles
- ___ Pens or Pencils
- ___ Stationery + Stamps
- ___ Notebook
- ___ Downtime activities – like books, magazines, playing cards, MadLibs, puzzles (*optional*)
- ___ Personal battery-operated fan (*optional*)
- ___ Camera – disposables are great! (*optional*)
- ___ Other: _____

EVERYTHING SHOULD BE LABELED WITH CAMPER NAME

* Campers are required to wear socks at all times

** Shoes must be closed at the toe and heel.

*** Beds are approx. 30" x 75".

^ White swim caps may be purchased at camp for \$4.00

PACKING FOR CHECK-IN

We use a staggered arrival process for check-in and check-out. Parents and guardians will have a limited amount of time in camp, so we ask that you also come **prepared** to ensure you can move through all of the stations in the allotted time.

We appreciate your cooperation and preparedness.

With the **PARENT/GUARDIAN**:

- ☐ **Medications** - Prescriptions, vitamins, and over-the-counter meds

Reminder: Medications will be turned in to the Nurse in the Dining Hall. Do not leave medications in your camper's bags, tent, or cabin!

All medications MUST be brought to camp in their **original** packaging. By *LAW*, we cannot administer drugs from plastic bags or pillboxes. It is easiest to place all medications (in their original packaging) in a gallon-sized Ziplock bag(s) clearly labeled with the camper's name.

We can NOT administer any medication, ointment, vitamin, or supplement (prescribed or over the counter) without an order from your camper's licensed medical professional. The pharmacy label and/or parental consent are insufficient. Please refer to our Health Recommendations Form 2 for more details. You do not need to bring generic, over-the-counter medications (like Tums, Tylenol, or Benadryl) as those are stocked in our Health Center.

- ☐ **Directions to camp** – there is **no cell service**!
- ☐ A good playlist!

In the **CAR**:

- ☐ **All Camper Belongings**

Staff members will help unpack your car and bring your camper's belongings to their assigned cabin or tent.

Please pack your camper's belongings in as few bins and bags as possible. Do not pack any loose items - everything should be packed IN a bin, bag, or trunk. Clearly label every container (and the contents) with the camper's name.

You will be able to help your camper make their bed and set up their spot in the cabin/tent. Please be sure bedding and other bedside items are clearly separated from day-to-day clothing. Finally, make sure your camper helps pack, so they know where everything is once you leave!

With your **CAMPER**:

- ☐ **Personal + Comfort Items**

You have a few stations to move through so your camper may be out and about in camp before having an opportunity to fully unpack in the cabin. She may want to have a small backpack during this time with supplies to keep comfortable such as a filled water bottle, sweatshirt or personal fan (depending on the weather), and/or a hat. Do NOT pack food or gum.

