



Packing List – Camp Araminta

** Please be sure to label all items (that you wish returned) with your camper's full name! **

Clothing:

- 5 days' supply of:
 - Shorts (inseams at least 3.5")
 - T-shirts (Shirt straps should be two adult fingers in width and no tummies shown)
 - Undergarments
- Pajamas or night clothes – tops required for both genders
- Additionally: One set of old, messy clothes that can be thrown away after a (very!) messy day
- Long pants (Beta & Gamma)
- Tennis shoes and socks - closed-toed shoes will be worn predominantly around camp
- Water shoes
- Sweatshirt or jacket – cabins and meeting rooms are air-conditioned
- Raincoat or poncho
- Modest Swimwear:
 - Boys: fitting board shorts
 - Girls: one-piece bathing suit
 - Swim shirt/rash guard strongly encouraged

Linens:

- Sleeping bag OR XL Twin sheets & blanket, pillow
- Bath towel and beach towel
- Washcloth

Toiletries: *note: travel-sized versions work well

- Soap or body wash
- Shampoo / conditioner
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush / toothpaste
- Sunscreen / bug spray
- Comb or brush

Other Supplies:

- Bible – any version
- Water bottle (preferably with handle or strap for easy carrying all over camp)
- Flashlight
- Plastic bag (s) for dirty laundry and /or wet clothes
- Medications needed (both prescription and over-the-counter must be turned in and kept with the camp nurse)
- \$15-\$20 to spend at the Snack Shack (Alpha and Beta campers visit once/day; Gamma campers 2x/day) – also turned in at check-in

Optional Items:

- Free time items – playing cards, books, stuffed animal
- Instrument, if you play one
- Inexpensive or disposable camera (photos will be made available via the private Araminta Campers Facebook page)
- If your camper wants to write home/relatives:
 - Stationery/pens
 - Pre-addressed stamped envelopes



Items NOT to pack: THIS INCLUDES FLIGHT CREW AND FLIGHT ATTENDANTS!

- Any electronics whatsoever, including cell phones and smart watches
 - These will be kept safely in the camp office until checkout, if brought to camp
- Any clothes not following dress code in “clothing” section above
- Clothing with questionable or unkind sayings or slogans
- Skateboards, rollerblades, or scooters
- Junk food, candy, or beverages (see policy on care packages/mail below)
- Medications that have not been checked in with camp nurse
- Vape pens, tobacco products, intoxicating or mind-altering substances
- Fireworks
- Weapons – knives (pocket or other), tasers, bows &/or arrows (outside of archery), & firearms of any kind

Camper Mail

Mail call is an exciting time, and we want to make sure your camper receives all messages, emails, or packages in a timely manner!

Email:

There is an option to purchase emails to your camper through [UltraCamp](#). Emails are printed each morning and delivered at mail call in the afternoon Tuesday-Friday.

Snail-Mail:

If you or any friends/relatives are mailing letters, please use the following format:

Camper Name
C/O Camp Araminta
647 State Road 26
Melrose. Florida 32666

** Lake Swan hosts many different camps, so make sure to include Camp Araminta on the address! We suggest mailing letters/packages no later than the beginning of camp (Monday) to ensure it is delivered by the end of the week.

Drop Off:

Bring mail/packages to check-in: you may leave mail for your camper at check-in, clearly labeled with full name and which day to deliver (mail call is daily Tuesday – Friday)

Care Package Policy:

- We ask that you limit camper care packages to one per camper for the week – it is a short, busy week!
- Edible treats should be sent in resealable containers (Ziploc bags, lidded containers) to discourage critter invasions!
- Please consider sending enough for your camper to share with the cabin (8-10 campers)
- No food containing nuts or peanut butter
- No drinks