

## Packing List

\* Hiking Shoes - If you have hiking boots, great! If you do not, an athletic shoe designed for walking or running should work fine. When making your shoe choices, consider traction (think a mountain bike wheel vs. a road bike wheel), a closed toes, good support, and a secure fit on your foot. Make sure to break in your shoes before you arrive in Colorado; your feet will thank you! If you are unsure about your shoe choice or how to break them in, contact the Camps & Conferences office, and we will help you.

\* Fleece jacket, pullover, or sweatshirt - It WILL be COLD! We will even encounter sporadic snow while hiking!

\* Rain jacket or poncho - A lightweight, water PROOF (not water resistant) jacket with a hood is best.

\* **5 or 6 shirts** - If you have athletic shirts made from synthetic, wicking, quick-drying material, bring those. Stay away from cotton as much as possible.

\* 1 long sleeve shirt - for layering under or over your short sleeve shirts.

\* 2 or 3 pairs of pants - Bring pants that allow for a wide range of motion; cotton or denim jeans won't be the most comfortable option.

## \* 1 or 2 pairs of shorts

\* Pajamas

- \* Swimsuit to wear under a wet suit during white water rafting
- \* Camp shoes tennis shoes, sport sandals, Crocs, etc. for hanging out around camp.

\* Shower Shoes/Sandals - You need shoes, that are okay to get soaking wet, to wear if you choose to go whitewater rafting; have feet will not be an option. You can wear sandals, but they must stran on your feet (no flip flops)

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- \* Wool or fleece hat for chilly nights and mornings
- \* Gloves or mittens

\*Sunscreen

\* 1 reusable water bottle - We recommend a 32 oz, wide-mouth water bottle, but even an old Gatorade bottle will do.

- \*1 bandana
- \* Headlamp or flashlight with fresh/extra batteries
- \* Toiletries toothpaste, floss, small bottle of unscented lotion, shampoo, etc. Travel sizes are recommended.
- \* Towel 1 for showers and another if you intend to participate in the white water rafting activity.
- \* Bible

\* Pen

\* Hat with a brim - At Duncan Park's elevation, the sun is much closer than in Texas. You will appreciate this portable "shade" very much!

\* Small backpack for day hikes

# **Optional:**

## \* Sunglasses

\* Playing cards or other games

\***Camera** - keep in a zip lock baggie. A small padded carrying case is also recommended.

- \* Wrist watch
- \* Fishing pole and gear

<u>We will provide:</u> Linens, Pillows, Blankets

# Please do not bring:

- \* Drugs, alcohol, or tobacco products
- \* Fire arms, Knives, Fireworks
- \* Laptop Computers
- \* Hair dryers, curling irons, etc.

## Good sources for gear:

www.rei.com www.rei.com/outlet www.campmor.com www.wholeearthprovision.com