
Baggage and Packing Information

Camp is a great place to wear out old clothes and a bad place for new, expensive and/or favorite clothing and equipment!

What should I bring?

Try to stick to the packing list! Bringing too much stuff leads to a crowded and messy cabin. Bring simple clothing – camp is not a place to get fancy! And make sure everything is marked with your first AND last name.

What should I leave at home?

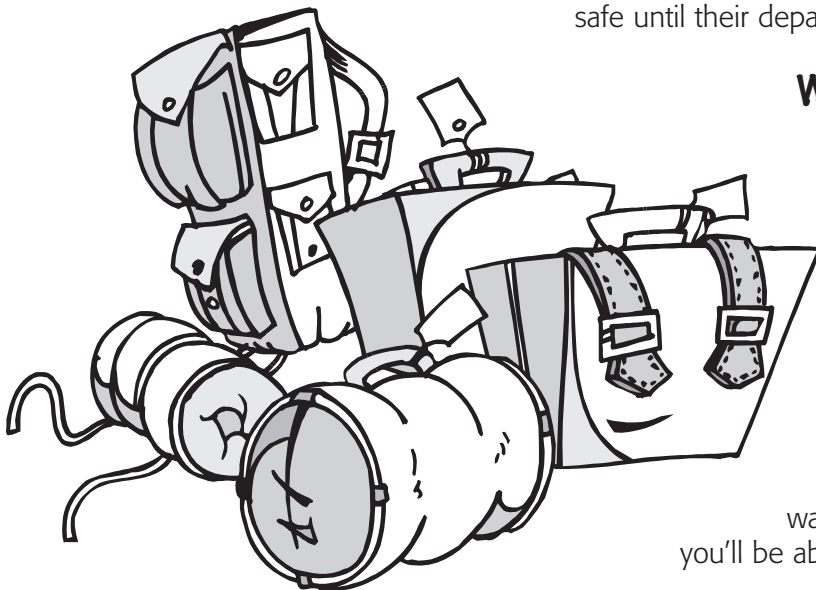
Tuxedos, ball gowns and high-heeled shoes. Oh, and anything that's expensive, brand-new or has great sentimental value. Don't bring anything with inappropriate logos/sayings or is too tight or too short. If your school won't allow you to wear it, chances are we won't either. We aren't trying to be the clothing police, we just want to make sure that camp is a safe and comfortable environment for everyone.

Can I bring my iPod or iPad? What about other electronic equipment?

We understand how important music is to young people...we also know how important it is for kids to "unplug" for a while during the summer. Here's our compromise: campers may bring an iPod or other music player with the understanding that they may only be used to listen to music during cabin time (immediately following lunch) and at bedtime and that camp will not be responsible for any lost, stolen or broken items. **No other electronic equipment will be allowed at camp.** This includes, but is not limited to, Game Boys, PSPs, Nintendo DS, laptops, personal video players, iPads and phones. If you carry your music on a device that includes a phone, video, or games, you'll need to leave it at home.

Why can't I bring my phone to camp?

Camp is a place to make new friends, try new things and gain independence...pretty tough if you're texting friends from home all the time or calling your parents. Please leave your phone at home. Parents, we really need your help with this – it's especially difficult for us to enforce policies if parents aren't supportive. Exceptions are made for campers flying in from other parts of the country; their phones will be collected upon arrival and kept safe until their departure from camp.



What should I pack in?

Duffel bags with wheels work best; remember, you'll be moving your luggage to your cabin so make sure it's manageable. Limit your luggage to two pieces (your sleeping bag counts as one!) and a daypack or carry-on bag.

Pack your own bag!

We highly recommend that you and your parents pack your bag together. That way you'll know where everything is, and you'll be able to re-pack when it's time to go home.



Clothing and Equipment List

This list is adequate for any length of stay; laundry is done for campers staying two weeks or longer. Remember to mark all items with the camper's FULL name!

Clothing

- 1 jacket for evening
- 2 sweatshirts
- 7 t-shirts
- 7 pair underwear
- 3 swim suits
- 1 rash guard or UV protection shirt
- 4 pair shorts
- 2 pair jeans or long pants
- 1 pair pajamas
- 1 hat with brim

Footwear

- 7 pair socks
- 1 pair tennis/running shoes
- 1 pair sandals/aqua socks for beach use
- 1 pair supportive shoes for hiking (i.e. not Vans, Converse or Keds)

Bedding/Towels

- 1 Sleeping bag
- 1 Pillow
- 2 towels (one for bathing, one for beach)
- 1 laundry bag

Toiletries

- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Soap, shampoo
- Lotion
- Sunscreen (SPF 30+, waterproof is best)
- Lip balm (make sure it has sunscreen)
- Hairbrush

Equipment

- Canteen or leak-proof water bottle
- Small backpack
- Flashlight (with extra batteries)
- Stationery supplies

Optional Items

- Inexpensive camera
- Underwater camera
- Playing cards, simple board games
- Books
- Wetsuit (spring or shorty; camp has a supply campers may use while at camp)

Prohibited Items

- Cell phone
- Handheld game systems
- Personal DVD players
- Laptop
- Knives
- Weapons
- Animals
- Money
- iPod Touch
- iPad

Any device that stores & plays video, or can access the internet

These items will be collected upon arrival at camp and will be returned to the parents at the boat terminal.