

Suggested Equipment List

August Temperature range: Average High 85 degrees/Low 45 degrees.
There is always the probability of a rainy day (or 4 rainy days).



You Will Need to Bring:

- 1 Daypack (book bag size or larger)
- 1 Wool or Fleece hat
- Sunglasses
- Baseball cap or Sun Visor
- 1 Synthetic Long Underwear bottom (UnderArmour is fine)
- 1-2 Synthetic Long Underwear top (UnderArmour is fine)
- 1 Fleece jacket or Pullover (Not Cotton!)
- 1 Warm Jacket
- 1 Rain jacket or heavy-duty Poncho
(This is not a windbreaker and should keep you dry in a downpour!)
- 2 Long-sleeve shirts
- 2 T Shirts (synthetic is best)
- 2 Pr Long pants (nylon or synthetic pants)
- 2 Pr Shorts (nylon or synthetic is best)
- Hiking boots/ Hiking shoes/ or Sturdy comfortable tennis shoes
- 4-6 Pr Underwear
- 2-3 Pr Wool Socks
- 2-3 Pr Cotton Socks
- 3 Water bottles (32 oz. Gatorade bottles work great)
- Flashlight with extra batteries
- Toiletries: Toothbrush/toothpaste, brush or comb
- Swimsuit (nylon shorts may double as suit for boys)
- Water shoes (sandals with a heel strap or old tennis shoes)
- Small toiletry needs
- Clean clothes for bus ride home

Optional:

- Camera/Film
- Rain Pants
- Towel
- 1 Pr fleece gloves
- Journal and Pen
- Lip balm and Sunscreen
- Sleeping Pad (we will provide if you don't have)
- Sleeping Bag (we will provide if you don't have)
- Backpack (we will provide if you don't have)

We Will Provide:

- Toilet Paper
- Cup
- Bowl
- Spoon
- Soap/ Hand Sanitizer
- Tents/Tarps
- Sunscreen/Bug Repellent
- Sleeping Pad
- Sleeping Bag
- Backpack

Do NOT Bring:

- Radios or electronics (except for bus ride)
- Tobacco, alcohol, or illegal drugs
- Knives
- Pillow (Can bring for bus ride, but must be able to leave it on the bus)
- Make-up and extra toiletries
- Anything you don't want lost, wet or broken
- EXTRA FOOD-Please do not pack extra food. It is just an invitation for a skunk and raccoon all you can eat buffet, at the expense of your child's safety and duffel bag. We will provide plenty of food and snacks.
- NO FLIP FLOPS

If You are Planning to Bring Your Own Equipment...

Sleeping bags should have either synthetic or down fill (not cotton) and a synthetic shell.

The bag should weigh less than 8 pounds and be rated for at least 40 degrees.

If you are unsure whether or not your bag meets these requirements, bring it along. We can always let you borrow one of ours and store yours while we are backpacking.

Backpacks. We provide an external frame pack. If you wish to bring your own backpack, it should have a good hip belt and the size should be between 3000-3500 ci (cubic inches) for external frames, and 3500-4500 ci for internal frames. If you are unsure whether or not your backpack is suitable, leave it at home and borrow one of ours.