

Summer Camp Packing Guidelines



Packing Suggestions:

- Label EVERYTHING! Use a permanent marker to write your camper's first initial and last name.
- Let your camper help pack so she knows where to find her things.
- Check to make sure everything still fits properly, including the one-piece or tankini swimsuits.
- Pack an extra change of socks for each day; there are lots of ways that socks can get wet at camp.
- Pack complete outfits in re-sealable bags to help your camper stay organized and to make getting ready easier.
- Pack comfortable play clothes, not her best outfits.
- Try packing your camper's belongings in a duffle bag with handles or a plastic storage bin with a lid.
- Bins work especially well if your child is staying in a tent. Maximum 24 inches high to slide under the cot.
- For shower articles, try a mesh bag with a drawstring or zipper so items can dry quickly and won't get lost.
- For laundry bags, make sure you send a bag that is breathable (mold and mildew is inevitable in trash bags).
- Sheets, bedrolls or sleeping bags should have bags or straps to keep them rolled, clean and dry.

Do NOT bring these items to camp:

These items will be confiscated and stored in the camp office until check-out.

- NO Aerosol cans of any type (pump sprays should be used, but never near tents)
- NO Food, drinks, candy, or gum
- NO Weapons of any type (including pocketknives)
- NO Electronics, such as radios, cell phones, CD players, MP3 players, iPods, etc.
- NO Perfumes, sweet-smelling lotions, shampoos, or soaps (unscented or Citrus-scented products are ok)
- NO Money, valuable jewelry, or new clothes (give trading post money to staff during check-in)
- NO Pets

Footwear:

- While in camp, campers must wear shoes.
- Flip flops or Crocs may only be worn to and from the bathhouse during evening showers.
- Water/boating shoes or a pair of OLD sneakers are required in the boating area.
- Chaco's, Teva's, Keens, and other sturdy shoes with a backstrap can be worn around camp (NO CROCS). Please bring closed-toed shoes for archery, hatchet throwing, and other activities.
- Please label boating shoes with your camper's name. They will be kept in the boating area where girls will change into them during that program activity.
- Water/boating shoes need to be dropped off during Check-in.