

Camping Equipment Checklist

Use this checklist to help you pack for your camping trip!

Sleeping

- ☐ Tent
- ☐ Ground sheet or tarp
- ☐ Sleeping bags
- ☐ Pillows
- ☐ Mattress or sleeping pad
- ☐ Air pump
- ☐ Light bed-sheet
- ☐ warm blanket

Camp Kitchen

- ☐ Screen dining tent (*or tarp with ropes*)
- ☐ Folding chairs
- ☐ Camp stove
- ☐ Stove fuel
- ☐ Fuel funnel
- ☐ Water jug
- ☐ Water bottles
- ☐ Coolers (*large cooler for food, and small cooler bag for drinks*)
- ☐ Ice for cooler

- ☐ Dishpan
- ☐ Bio-degradable dish soap
- ☐ Dish towels
- ☐ Dish cloth /Scrubber
- ☐ Paper towels
- ☐ Tablecloth
- ☐ Garbage bags
- ☐ Aluminum foil
- ☐ Zipper-lock bags/Re-sealable containers

Cooking Gear

- ☐ Cooking pots and pans
- ☐ Large bowl
- ☐ Cutting board
- ☐ Spatula
- ☐ Serving spoons
- ☐ Knives
- ☐ Can opener
- ☐ Grater
- ☐ Camp stove toaster
- ☐ Coffee press / maker

Mess Kits (1 per person)

- ☐ Utensil set (spoon, knife, fork)
- ☐ Plate
- ☐ Cup/Mug

Campfire Gear

- ☐ Firewood and kindling (*check regulations for moving firewood*)
- ☐ Matches / BBQ lighter
- ☐ Waterproof match container
- ☐ Campfire forks
- ☐ Pie iron (*optional*)

Lighting

- ☐ Lantern
- ☐ Flashlights or headlamps (great for reading in bed at night)
- ☐ Extra batteries

Tool Kit

- ☐ Duct tape
- ☐ Rope or twine (clothesline)
- ☐ Small whisk & dust pan
- ☐ Bungee cords
- ☐ Hatchet
- ☐ Mallet
- ☐ Screwdriver or multi-tool (e.g., Swiss Army Knife)
- ☐ Sewing kit
- ☐ Clothes pins
- ☐ Extra tarp
- ☐ Compass

First-Aid Kit*Bandages*

- ☐ Self-adhesive Bandages
- ☐ Tensor Bandage
- ☐ Triangular Bandage
- ☐ Sterile Gauze and pads
- ☐ Moleskin

Ointments

- ☐ Alcohol wipes or hydrogen peroxide
- ☐ Antibiotic ointment
- ☐ Burn ointment / aloe gel
- ☐ Calamine lotion

Tools

- ☐ Small scissors
- ☐ Tweezers

- ☐ First-aid tape
- ☐ Safety pins

Medications

- ☐ Antihistamine
- ☐ Pain reliever
- ☐ Fever reducer
- ☐ Needed prescriptions
- ☐ Ontario Health Cards

Toiletries

- ☐ Sunscreen with SPF
- ☐ Bug repellent
- ☐ Towels
- ☐ Washcloths
- ☐ Soap
- ☐ Shampoo
- ☐ Toothbrushes / Toothpaste/Dental floss
- ☐ Deodorant
- ☐ Razor
- ☐ Hairbrush
- ☐ Lip balm with SPF
- ☐ Hand sanitizer
- ☐ Baby wipes (very handy for campsite cleanup)
- ☐ Small hand mirror

Clothing

- ☐ Close-toed shoes and/or hiking boots
- ☐ Socks
- ☐ Sandals
- ☐ Pants or sweat pants
- ☐ Shorts
- ☐ Underwear
- ☐ Long underwear (in cool weather)
- ☐ Pyjamas
- ☐ Shirts and t-shirts
- ☐ Sweatshirts
- ☐ Jackets / rain gear
- ☐ Bathing suits
- ☐ Hats
- ☐ Sunglasses
- ☐ Mittens or gloves (if cool)

Outdoor Fun Equipment (*optional*)

- ☐ Camera
- ☐ Video camera
- ☐ Backpack

- ☐ Water shoes, if needed
- ☐ PFDs or lifejackets
- ☐ Sports equipment (e.g., soccer ball)
- ☐ Bikes/helmets/ lights/locks
- ☐ Beach umbrella
- ☐ Guidebooks and maps
- ☐ Fishing rod, tackle and fishing license
- ☐ Canoe, paddles and canoe safety kit (bailer, 15 m rope, whistle, PFDs)

For Kids

- ☐ A favourite toy
- ☐ Special blankets/ pillow
- ☐ Whistle (*one per child*)
- ☐ Water toys or floats (e.g., Pool Noodles, Doughnut, Sand Toys)
- ☐ Games or deck of cards
- ☐ Storybooks