



# CAMPING CHECKLIST

Many campgrounds have drinkable water. If not, bring your own, or be prepared to treat water if there's a water source. And depending on how remote your campsite is, navigation tools such as a map, compass and/or GPS may be required



## CAMPSITE

- Tent (*with footprint & stakes*)
- Sleeping bags
- Sleeping pads
- Camping pillow
- Headlamps or flashlights (*with extra batteries*)
- Camp chairs
- Camp table (*if no picnic table at campsite*)
- Lantern (*with mantles and fuel/batteries if needed*)

*Optional:*

- Hammock

- Sunshade, tarp, or screen house
- Cots
- Sleeping bag liners
- Firewood (*sourced near campsite*)
- Camp rug
- Tablecloth and clips (*or tape*)
- Clothesline (*with clips*)
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## CAMPSITE EXTRAS

- Solar and portable power
- Binoculars
- Navigation tools
- Field guides (*flowers, insects*)
- Star chart/night-sky identifier
- Book/reading material
- Notebook and pen/pencil
- Music player (*with headphones*)
- Games and toys
- Dog gear
- Dry bags, stuff sacks or clear plastic bins to store items
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## KITCHEN

- Stove and fuel
- Matches/ lighter/ firestarter
- Cook pots (*with pot holder*)
- Frying pan
- Eating utensils
- Cooking utensils
- Bottle opener, can opener, and corkscrew
- Sharp knife
- Plates/bowls
- Mugs/cups
- Cutting board
- Cooler

- Ice or ice substitutes
- Water bottles
- Camp sink (*or wash bins*)
- Biodegradable soap
- Pot scrubber/sponge(s)
- Trash and recycling bags
- Dish towel

*Optional:*

- Camp grill and fuel
- Grill rack
- Griddle
- Dutch oven

- Charcoal
- Portable coffee/tea maker
- Rolling ice cream maker
- Marshmallow/hot dog roasting forks
- Small food-storage containers, bags and foil
- Large water jugs
- Large, clear plastic bins (*for storing kitchen gear*)
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## CLOTHING/FOOTWEAR

- Moisture-wicking underwear
- Moisture-wicking T-shirts
- Quick-drying pants/shorts
- Long-sleeve shirts (*for sun and bugs*)
- Lightweight fleece or jacket
- Boots or shoes suited to terrain
- Socks (*synthetic or wool*)
- Sleepwear
- Sunglasses (*with retainer leash*)
- Sun hat

*Additional items for rainy and/or cold weather:*

- Rainwear (*jacket and pants*)
- Long underwear
- Warm insulated jacket or vest
- Fleece pants
- Gloves or mittens
- Warm hat

*Optional:*

- Swimsuits
- Water sandals
- In-camp sandals or booties
- Bandanas or Buffs
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## HEALTH & HYGIENE

- Toilet paper
- Hand sanitizer
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Toiletry kit
- Quick-dry towel
- Menstrual and urinary products
- Prescription medications
- First-aid kit or supplies

*Sun and bug protection:*

- Sunscreen
- Lip balm
- Insect repellent
- Insect repellent candles

*Optional:*

- Sanitation trowel (*if no toilets*)
- Baby wipes
- Alcohol or antiseptic wipes
- Mirror
- Brush/comb
- Cosmetics
- Spare eyeglasses/contact lens supplies
- Eyeshades
- Earplugs
- Portable camp shower
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## TOOLS & REPAIRS

- Multi-tool
- Duct tape
- Extra cord
- Tent-pole repair sleeve
- Pad/Mattress repair kit
- Mallet or hammer (*for hammering tent stakes*)
- Saw or axe (*for cutting firewood*)
- Small broom and dustpan

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## PERSONAL ITEMS

- Credit card and/or cash
- ID
- Cell phone
- Campsite reservation confirmation (*if required*)
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