

EXPLORER CAMP PACKING LIST

What to Bring:

These items are REQUIRED! Be sure to mark all of your belongings with your name. Please select clothing in line with the dress code guidelines outlined in the Parent and Guardian's Guide. Feel free to contact us if you have any questions or a special need.

- Medicines and Medical Devices (Medicines and Medical Devices will only be accepted in their original containers with a proper label.)
- Bible (complete text) and Writing Materials
- Clothing suitable for outdoor life
- Extra change of clothing
- Heavy Sweater or Jacket
- Comfortable Shoes and Socks
- Old shoes for canoeing
- Optional: Campers may bring Adventure Sandals which MUST have a strap around the ankle. These may be worn around camp & for water activities, but tennis shoes are required for hikes and other adventures. FLIP FLOPS AND CROCS ARE ONLY PERMITTED for showering.
- Sun Protection (hat with a full brim, sunglasses, sunscreen, lip balm, etc.)
- Rain Gear (raincoat or poncho)
- Bathing Suit (Modest swimwear is required. For girls, this means a one-piece or a two-piece tankini that meets in the middle. For boys, this means swim trunks and no speedos.)
- Towel and Washcloth
- Sealable Water Bottle (This is important! Water bottles are available in the Camp Store.)
- Small amount of Spending Money for the Camp Store and Service Project
- Day Pack or Book Bag
- Insect repellent (We recommend that your child bring insect repellent - Off, Deep Woods, or similar brands. According to Health Department guidelines, it is important for repellent be used. It is **very important** to read the instructions for use with your child and educate them about the repellent's use, especially if the spray is to be used on clothing, not directly on the skin. If you are not comfortable using these products, the Health Department recommends considering an alternative, such as Avon's Skin-So-Soft, for some protection).

What Not to Bring:

- TV's, Radios, Computers, Handheld Games, IPODs, MP3 Players, and Other Electronics
- Cell Phones
- Food and Candy
- Personal Sports Equipment
- Hairdryers, Curling Irons, Flat Irons/"Straighteners," etc.
- Alcohol, Tobacco, and Drugs
- Weapons and Firecrackers
- Animals and Pets
- Vehicles