

Parent Camping Equipment

- [Tent](#) - Family-sized dome tent recommended
- [Plastic ground cloth](#) - Protects tent floor
- [Sleeping bag](#) for each person, for scouts choose Kid-sized, temperature appropriate. Blankets will work at this stage.
- [Pillow](#) - Inflatable or compressible
- [Camp air mattress](#) - For comfort and insulation

FAMILY First Aid - KEPT BY PARENT

- [Sunscreen](#) - SPF 30 or higher
- [Insect repellent](#) - DEET or natural options
- Band-aids!
- Medications - **KEPT BY PARENT**
- [Saftey Pins](#)

Family Gear (Optional luxuries)

- [Chairs](#) - Portable camping chairs
- [Cooler or ice chest](#) - Food storage
- [Cot](#) - Off-ground sleeping
- Work gloves - For camp setup
- Hammer - Tent stakes
- [Mess Kit / Bowls, spoon, fork](#) in mesh laundry bag for drying after cleaning

Clothing

- Uniform Shirt - Official uniform shirt may be needed for some activities but keep it safe in your car
- Scout T-Shirt - For activities
- Any School appropriate T-Shirt is also scout appropriate - You likely need more than one shirt!
- [Poncho or raincoat](#) - Weather protection
- Night clothes - Pajamas or sweatpants
- Underwear - Pack extra pairs
- Close toed shoes - tennis shoe or similar for running and playing outside
- Extra socks - Wool or Wool synthetic blend - cotton chaffes
- Shorts or pants - Comfortable for hiking or movement
- Flip-flops or Crocs - for middle of the night bathroom visits!

Toiletries

- Toothpaste - Travel size
- Toothbrush - In protective case
- Comb or brush - Personal hygiene
- Washcloth - Quick-dry microfiber
- Towel - Compact camp towel
- Soap bar or small container - In Ziplock bag
- 1 roll of toilet paper - Just in case
- Extra plastic bags - For wet or dirty stuff

Six Essentials

- [Refillable water bottle](#) - Stay hydrated
- [Flashlight \(headlamp is best\)](#) - Hands-free lighting
- [Batteries](#) - For flashlight
- [Whistle](#) - Safety and signaling
- Notebook and pencil - Nature journaling
- Band-Aids and other BASIC first aid! (no medications)

Cold Weather Gear

- [Jacket or coat](#) - Insulated layer
- Hat or cap - Warmth and sun protection
- Gloves - Keep hands warm

If We Are Near Water

- [Water shoes](#) - Recommended for safety
- [Fishing gear](#) - Rod, tackle, license if needed
- [Swim suit \(Verify with leaders first\)](#)
- [Towels](#)

Optional

- [Sunglasses](#)
- [Camera](#)
- [Binoculars \(bird watching\)](#)
- [Nature Guides](#)
- [Paracord](#)
- [Campfire Cooking Equipment \(marshmallow / hotdog sticks, etc\)](#)