

# Packing List

Packing for camp is the start of your child's independent camp experience. Please have your child participate in packing for camp so they know where to find their clothing and other items. Parents should confirm all packed items are approved for camp.

- The following items should be packed in a camp footlocker/trunk vs. a suitcase or duffle bag
- Everything should be marked with the camper's name. (including the camp footlocker)
- Iron-on labels are strongly suggested for clothing, socks, shoes etc
- DO NOT SEND CLOTHING IN PLASTIC TRASH BAGS, and do not send plastic bags for children's dirty clothes.
- Your camper will be outside and active at camp. Please send older clothes, towels, etc. New items are not recommended.
- Laundry facilities are not available for two-week campers. Please pack enough clothing for the full session.
- **Please arrive with a towel and swimsuit in camper's backpack or under clothes, as campers will go to the pool shortly after arrival for swim test.**
- **Campers should arrive to camp dressed for their cabin photo in navy blue shorts (non-denim) & a white shirt with no writing.**

## CLOTHING\*

- Navy blue shorts for Closing Ceremony (1 pair)
- Any color shirts for each day
- Any color shorts for each day
- Jeans or long pants (1 pair)
- Underwear
- Pajamas
- Jacket or light sweater
- Clothes for Thursday night dance

## SWIMGEAR

- Swim suit (NO TWO-PIECE SUITS FOR ANY AGE GIRL)
- Pool towel

## FOOTWEAR

- Socks (must be worn everyday)
- Closed toed shoes or light hiking boots – must be worn during the day
- Flip Flops (1 pair) only for showers
- Aqua shoes for swimming pool/creek walking/canoeing

## BATH

- 2 Bath towels
- 2 Washcloths
- Toiletries in a shower caddy or zippered bag (including: toothbrush & toothpaste, soap, shampoo, sunscreen, brush/comb, deodorant, insect repellent, hair accessories, etc. NO aerosols please.) We suggest Bull Frog sunscreen/bug spray in the pump bottle for daily protection.

## DO NOT PACK (applies to ALL campers including CITs)

- Any medications
- Electronics
  - Cell phone
  - MP3 player
  - eReader
  - CD & DVD player
  - Video game
  - Radio
- Food
- Money
- Valuables/jewelry
- Silly string
- Knives
- Matches, lighters, fireworks, candles
- Alcohol
- Non-prescription or illegal drugs

Bringing such items may result in dismissal from camp without a refund.

## BEDDING

- Blanket and sheets for twin size bed
- Pillow and pillow case

## EQUIPMENT

- Small backpack (required) – carry in hand on arrival
- Large mouth water bottle (required) – carry in hand on arrival
- Dirty clothes bag
- Raincoat/poncho (non-disposable)
- Flashlight (with extra batteries)
- Mess kit and dunk bag (heavy plastic plate and fork in a small mesh bag/lingerie net bag for cookout on Wednesday night)

## OPTIONAL ITEMS

- Pens or pencils
- Postcards, stationary, stamped envelopes (pre-addressed for younger campers)
- Friend from home (the stuffed kind)
- Camera - digital or disposable (please label!)
- Cowboy boots with a 1" heel (required to ride horses)
- Rain boots
- Small electric fan
- Battery powered camp lantern
- Shoe pocket hanger/pocket organizer
- Watch
- Hat
- Bandanas
- Sunglasses
- Swim goggles
- Paperback book

### **\*A note on modesty:**

Simple, conservative and modest clothing is best for the active week at camp, so we ask campers to leave clothes like spaghetti-strap tank tops, midriffs, halter tops, short shorts, and other tight clothing at home. Shorts should be no shorter than four inches from the back of the knee.

### **Camp Boot Box**

We welcome donations to our "Boot Box" from which campers can borrow riding boots.

### **Lost and Found**

Please check the lost and found table before leaving camp on closing night. All unclaimed items will be held camp through August 31. Articles will not be held after this date.

## TWO WEEK CAMPERS

### ADDITIONAL REQUIRED ITEMS

- White shorts for Sunday Chapel
- White shirt with no writing/advertising/logo for Sunday Chapel
- White t-shirt with no writing for art project

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### ADDITIONAL REQUIRED ITEMS

- Jeans or long pants (3 pair)
- Cowboy boots with a 1" heel for riding

## HAVE MORE QUESTIONS?

Please call us at 817-831-2111 or email [CampET@CampFireFW.org](mailto:CampET@CampFireFW.org).