

# PERSONAL CAMP GEAR CHECKLIST

## Basic gear for a 2 day overnight camp (not hike)

**Note:** *this is only for personal gear, and does not include food or cooking or camping gear. These should be organized with your Patrol or Troop prior to the camp. As this is a general camp gear list please use some common sense when using it eg middle of winter in the Blue Mountains you probably won't need swimmers. Please label all gear clearly with your scout's name to help with lost property.*

**No phones or electronics.** Leaders take no responsibility for these under any circumstances.

### CLOTHES

(Note : this list includes clothing worn to camp by Scouts, so take the t-shirt you're wearing, plus another one, plus a spare (total of 3)).

- 2 x t-shirts (+1 spare) – preferably with collar (eg polo shirt).
- 2 x pairs shorts.
- 1 x pair track pants.
- 2 x pairs underwear (+1 spare).
- 2 x pairs socks (+1 spare).
- 1 x brimmed hat and/or beanie.
- 1 x woolen jumper or “polar fleece” (NOT cotton windcheaters. Need something that will stay warm if wet).
- 1 x windproof jacket (eg. Spray jacket).
- Pref. 2 pairs of shoes - 1 pr sneaker type, 1 pr more sturdy walking boot type. (No thongs or open toed sandals to be worn on camp).
- Swimmers, rashie and watershoes.

### SLEEPING

- Sleeping bag.
- Sleeping mat (eg closed-cell foam, air mattress).
- Small pillow optional – alternatively, use a rolled up jumper.

### HYGIENE

- Personal deodorant, soap, small towel.
- Emergency toilet paper.

- Small pack tissues.
- Plastic bags for putting dirty clothes in.

### EATING (MESS KIT)

- Draw string (library type) bag
- Knife, fork, spoon.
- Plate, bowl, mug pref. plastic or enamelled.
- Tea towel.

### OTHER

- Personal first aid kit.
- Sunscreen (SPF 50+).
- Torch.
- Notepaper & Pencil.

For each extra day add 1 t-shirt, 1 pair underwear, 1 pair socks.

If water activities involved add a warm woolen jumper, normal sized towel, extra plastic bag for putting wet clothes in.

If a day hike is part of the camp, also please bring a “day pack” (small backpack) and at least 1.5 litre water bottle with sealable lid.

### OPTIONAL GEAR

- Camera.
- Sunglasses.