



Ultimate Agree Clothing and Gear List

(Please read for details about the gear necessary to make your summer great!)

- In-Camp Clothing For days spent in camp, campers can wear whatever they'd like. Typically, most campers opt for comfort, and wear a t-shirt and sweatshirt with shorts or sweatpants. Campers may want a pair of jeans for going into town.
- Extra Glasses **Campers with glasses need to have extra glasses with croakies.**
- Hiking Boots Boots MUST extend OVER the ankle. Boots must have good ankle support and be broken-in before camp starts. Since outpost hiking trips are often muddy, hiking boots must be waterproof. Low-cut dayhikers are NOT acceptable as hiking boots. Boots should be worn numerous times prior to the summer. This will reduce the likelihood of blisters and an unpleasant trip.
- Daily Wear Shoes Must have at least one pair of closed-toed shoes for daily wear.
- Wet Shoes Must Have:
--Closed toes
--Significant tread and support
--Shoe must LACE up to loosen/tighten
- An old pair of athletic shoes are a great choice. These shoes will always be wet and will probably be discarded at the end of the summer. Keens are also an excellent choice if you are looking to invest in long-term water shoes.
- Hiking Socks Wool or synthetic wool is recommended. SmartWool or Thorlo are fabulous, and REI makes a comparable generic brand. Cotton is not permitted for hiking.
- Headlamp A headlamp is one of the best camp accessories you can have, and your camper will use it every night during activities, to and from the bath house, etc. There are a variety of prices and styles; a basic and cheap one is just fine for the summer.
- Lightweight, long sleeved work shirts Great for keeping bugs and sunburn away on trips. MUST button (long sleeved T-shirts do not qualify). Old, collared dress shirts and flannels work just fine. This is a good item to look for at your local thrift store!
- Hiking Pants Durable, lightweight material that will dry quickly. Must reach the ankle (no capris). Zip-off pants can be fun, but are not required. No jeans.
- Rain Suit ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL to ensure health and comfort in bad weather. RAINCOAT must have a hood with a drawstring and/or snaps. RAIN PANTS should have an elastic waistband and snaps or elastic at the ankles.
- Fleece Jacket Fleece will help keep campers warm, even when wet, and is essential to their safety and comfort in the backcountry. A hooded or crew-neck fleece (polyester, polypropylene, etc) pullover or jacket is a required item on all backcountry trips. **A cotton sweatshirt does NOT WORK!**

<u>Thermal underwear</u>	ABSOLUTELY NO COTTON. Synthetic materials such as polypropylene or Capilene are ideal. Ask at any camping store.
<u>Sleeping pad</u>	A simple foam pad is sufficient. RidgeRest and Ensolite make basic pads that are very comfortable. Inflatable pads are not recommended.
<u>Sleeping bag</u>	If you are purchasing a new bag, keep this in mind: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Bags should have a 20°F temperature rating or lower. 2) The bag should be filled with synthetic material such as HoloFill, Polar Guard, QualoFill, Polyfill, etc. 3) Cotton and Goose down bags become heavy and lose their insulation properties when wet. DO NOT buy this type of bag. 4) A nylon stuff sack with a drawstring and tightening straps is required. Most sleeping bags come with an appropriate stuff sack. In general, the smaller the sleeping bag can be compressed, the better.
<u>Nylon Stuff Sack(s)</u>	Separate from the one used to pack sleeping bag. These will be used to pack for trips. Medium sized sacks with drawstrings make for an easier time fitting lots of things into hiking packs.
<u>Utility straps</u>	Used for strapping things to other things and have 1001 uses in camp and the backcountry. Straps that are approximately 48" x 1/2" are recommended.
<u>Duffel bag</u>	Space is limited at Agree and Kennedy and in our vehicles, so each camper is limited to one duffel . Sleeping bags, sleeping pads, hiking boots, and pillows DO NOT have to fit in the duffel.
<u>Water bottles</u>	At least three 32oz. (1 liter) bottles are required. Nalgene brand is recommended. Please make sure to have at least two without a straw, as water bottles with straws and Camelbacks are not permitted on trips (but are fine for in-camp use).
<u>Bug repellent/net</u>	NO SPRAY CANS ALLOWED. A medium concentration of DEET, Picaridin, or similar products is needed: 30% or under is fine. These can be purchased anywhere that sells outdoor products. Aerosol is not allowed; cream form is recommended. Head nets and raingear also help immensely to ward off bugs.
<u>Biodegradable shampoo/conditioner</u>	As outpost camps seek to regulate its environmental impact, we prefer that our campers bring biodegradable shower products. Many major brands are already biodegradable! You do not need the classic Campsuds or Bronners, but please read the labels on shower products you bring. If campers wish to bathe in the lake, make sure that you bring hydro-degradable soap.
<u>Cameras</u>	Digital cameras and GoPros are permitted, but not required. Due to the lack of charging stations, battery-powered cameras are recommended over those with plug-in chargers.

PLEASE IDENTIFY ALL PERSONAL ITEMS AND EQUIPMENT

Please do not bring watches, clocks, MP3 players, cell phones, iPods, iPads, GameBoys, PSP's, electronic games, makeup, jewelry, blow dryers, mirrors, etc. Outpost policies were discussed during the camper meetings.

Essential List: You must bring these items.

Please do not bring more than the specified quantity

- () 1 Hiking Boots – BREAK IN BEFORE CAMP!
- () 1 Gym shoes (around camp, exercise, may be old)
- () 1 Wet shoes (i.e. old tennis shoes, Converse, Keen)
- () 1 Flip-flops/sandals (for in camp only)
- () 4 Hiking sock pairs (wool / synthetic, NO COTTON)
- () 10-12 Athletic socks for daily wear
- () 2 Lightweight, LONG sleeved work shirts
- () 14 T-shirts
- () 2-3 Around camp pants (pajamas, jeans, sweats, etc.)
- () 2-4 Shorts (at least one for athletic activity)
- () 2-3 Hiking pants (light weight, quick-dry)
- () 16 Underwear
- () 6 Bras (at least 3 sports bras)
- () 2 Bathing suits (at least one that is SUPPORTIVE)
- () 1 Raincoat (NO PONCHOS)
- () 1 Rain Pants
- () 1-2 Fleece (NO COTTON)
- () 2 Sweatshirts (in-camp only, can be any material)
- () 2 Synthetic base-layer tops (NO COTTON)
- () 2 Synthetic long underwear bottoms (NO COTTON)
- () 1 Thin wool or fleece gloves (NO COTTON)
- () 1 Wool or fleece hat (NO COTTON)
- () 1 Bug-proof head net
- () 1 Sun hat / baseball cap
- () 2-5 Bandanas (“one million uses!”)
- () 1 Sunglasses (100% UV protection)
- () 1-2 Headlamps (regular flashlight is fine for in-camp)
- () 1-2 Ditty bags for toiletries / personal items
- () 2-3 Nylon stuff sack (medium-to-large size)
- () 2-4 Utility straps (approximately 48” by ½”)
- () 3 Carabiners
- () 3 32 oz. water bottles (Nalgene bottles are perfect!)
- () 1-2 Small towels (quick-dry are nice!)
- () 2-3 Large towels (in-camp only, for beach and showers)
- () 1 ~20°F sleeping bag w/stuff sack (NO DOWN)
- () 1 Sleeping pad (inflatable not advised)
- () 2 Cot bedsheet sets (including pillow cases)
- () 1 Blanket (for in-camp only)
- () 1 Pillow (for in-camp only)

- () Non-aerosol, 1-30% DEET/Picaridin (or equivalent)
- () Sunscreen (no spray cans)
- () Biodegradable shampoo/conditioner
- () Toiletries: toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, deodorant (unscented)
- () Feminine Hygiene Products (Including Sanitary Wipes)
- () Spending money in a wallet (\$100-\$150 recommended)
- () Extra glasses
- () Croakies (required on trips for campers with glasses)
- () Extra batteries for headlamp and/or camera
- () Stationary, envelopes, stamps, pens/pencils
- () Backpack (for day trips, must have 2 shoulder straps)
- () Laundry bag
- () Duffel Bag – ONE per camper

Optional:

- () Hiking sock liners (liners help limit blistering for some)
- () Camera w/ memory cards (LABEL ALL PARTS)
- () Whistle
- () Compass
- () Backcountry pack (camp provides packs for all campers)
- () Drawstring bag with back ropes
- () Costumes/funky hats/unusual footwear
- () Guitar/tambourine/ukulele/harmonica/kazoo/hand drums/Jaw harp
- () Playing cards/travel board games
- () White clothing for tie-dye
- () Reading material
- () Journal
- () Fishing rod & equipment
- () Bathrobe (protects from bugs after shower!)
- () Crazy Creek chair (or off-brand equivalent)

Reminder: no knives or non-camera electronics allowed at camp

Required Identification:

- () **Passport, Passport Card, or Enhanced ID**