

YMCA CAMP TAKODAH PROGRAM PACKING LIST

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Dress with two things in mind...

1. **Comfort** - plan on being outdoors and active
2. **Layers** - prepare for warm, cold, windy, rainy or sun shining weather

ESSENTIAL GEAR:

- Sleeping bag/pillow and warm blanket (season dependent)
- Raincoat or waterproof layer
- Personal toiletries
- Shower towel
- Sneakers (closed toed shoes required on Challenge Course)
- Other camp shoes (that can get muddy)
- Warm, upper body layers (sweatshirt, sweaters)
- Warm, lower body layers (long pants, jeans)
- Lightweight shirts/pants (preferably not jeans)
- T-shirts
- Underwear and Socks
- Swim shorts or Swimsuit
- Small backpack to carry extra clothing, water bottles, etc.
- Flashlight with batteries
- Water bottle
- Flip flops or Crocs (for showering only)

WINTER PROGRAMS ONLY

- Winter hat
- Winter gloves
- Thermal underwear
- Winter jacket /Coat
- Sturdy Winter hiking boots
- Rain boots (optional but can be good around camp)
- Extra Blanket
- Wool Socks

OPTIONAL:

- Camera/film (Disposable preferred)
- Sun glasses
- Baseball hat
- Bandannas
- Playing Cards and frisbees

NOT ALLOWED:

- Electronics (I-phones, I-pods, I-pads, Laptops, Games consoles etc.)
- Food, candy, gum
- Knives, Lighters, fireworks or fire starters
- Hairdryers, Hair straighteners, or large electric appliances

THE PACKING LIST CAN ALSO BE PRINTED AND ATTACHED TO YOUR CHILD'S BAG AS A CHECKLIST FOR THEM WHEN THEY PACK TO RETURN HOME