## What to Bring

REFERENCE: Boy Scout Handbook, chapter 9, Camping

Overnight gear, outdoor essentials, and appropriate clothing are the heart of camping equipment. Carry a light load of only what you need to keep yourself safe and make a good camp; leave all unnecessary items at home.

## PERSONAL OVERNIGHT CAMPING GEAR

- Boy Scout Handbook
   OUTDOOR ESSENTIALS
  - Pocketknife
  - □ First-aid kit
  - □ Extra clothing
  - 🗌 Rain gear
  - □ Water bottle filled with potable water
  - □ Flashlight
  - $\Box$  Matches and fire starters
  - $\Box$  Sun protection
  - $\Box$  Map and compass
- □ Clothing for the season (warm-weather or cold-weather)
- □ Backpack
- $\Box$  Rain cover for backpack
- □ Sleeping bag, or two or three blankets
- □ Sleeping pad
- $\Box$  Ground cloth
- EATING KIT
  - □ Spoon
  - Plate
  - Bowl
  - 🗌 Cup

- CLEANUP KIT
  Soap
  - □ Toothbrush
  - □ Toothpaste
  - Dental floss
  - Comb
  - □ Washcloth
  - □ Towel
- PERSONAL EXTRAS (OPTIONAL)
  - Watch
  - $\Box$  Camera and film
  - □ Notebook or paper
  - □ Pencil or pen
  - □ Sunglasses
  - □ Small musical instrument
  - □ Swimsuit
  - Gloves