

IOLS PACKING LIST

REFERENCE: Scouts BSA 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.

On this course, you will be camping in Patrols/Dens similar to how you will camp with your units. You will need to bring your own personal gear to this training. We will be outdoors for the entire event so please be prepared. If you do not own any of the gear first try to borrow it from your unit, if you still cannot come up with the needed gear contact the course instructor and they may be able to find gear for you to borrow.

PERSONAL OVERNIGHT CAMPING GEAR

- Scouts BSA Handbook or Cub Leader Book
- Notebook and pen
- Scout Field Uniform
- Boots or comfortable shoes to hike in
- Extra clothing
- Chair
- OUTDOOR ESSENTIALS**
 - Pocketknife
 - First-aid kit
 - Rain gear
 - Water bottle
 - Flashlight
 - Matches and fire starters
 - Sun protection
- Compass and GPS (if you have one)
- Sleeping bag
- Sleeping pad or cot (if you have one)
- Tent & ground cloth (borrow from your troop if needed)
- Backpack
- EATING KIT**
 - Spoon
 - Plate
 - Bowl
 - Cup
- CLEANUP KIT**
 - Soap
 - Toothbrush
 - Toothpaste
 - Dental floss
 - Comb
 - Washcloth
 - Towel
- PERSONAL EXTRAS (OPTIONAL)**
 - Watch
 - Camera
 - Sunglasses
 - Small musical instrument