



YMCA Camp Potawotami Camper Packing List

Dear Parents – This is a guide to help you pack for camp. Please feel free to make substitutions. Please remember your camper will be very active and camp is rough on clothes. We recommend that campers do not bring expensive clothing to camp.

Please **DO NOT** bring any of the following items: cell phones, apple/smart watches, iPods/MP3 players, hand-held video games, pocket knives, computers, iPads/tablets, smart watches or gum. These items will be confiscated by camp staff and returned at the end of the camp session, this takes time and energy away from the camp fun. Do not send items for your camper to share (examples: food, glow sticks, bracelets, etc.) Possession of tobacco products including e-cigarettes, vaping, and juuling as well as weapons, alcohol, and/or illegal drugs will result in immediate dismissal from camp.

We try our best to return any lost and found, please make sure your camper’s name is on all items.

PACKING LIST:

- Sleeping:** Pajamas
Sleeping Bag & Pillow or Sheets/Blanket/Pillow
- Clothes:** Shirts (*T-shirts and at least 2 long-sleeve shirts for evenings*)
Shorts (*1 pair for each day of your stay*)
Pants/J Jeans (*2 pairs are recommended for evenings*)
Swimsuit (*Camp appropriate please*)
Socks
Underwear
Closed-Toes Shoes (*Gym Shoes work well*)
Sandals or flip-flops (*For beach or shower only*)
Jacket/Sweatshirt
Raincoat/Poncho
Hat
Laundry Bag/Plastic Bag for dirty clothes

Ranch Camp or Horseback Riding:

- Closed-toed shoes with heel
(*Boots and Rain boots work best*)
- Long pants to ride in

- Toiletries:** Soap & Shampoo
Toothbrush & Toothpaste
Deodorant
Comb/Brush
Bath Towel & Washcloth
Beach Towel
Bucket to carry toiletries
Hand Lotion

Please Note

Campers are not permitted to share items brought from home. Please do not pack anything for your camper to share with others.

- Other:** Prescription Medications (*Do not pack in luggage and keep in original containers*)
Books
Wampum Beads from past years at camp
Achievement Paddle
Insect Repellent
Sunscreen
Flashlight
Reusable Water Bottle
Backpack or drawstring backpack
Cloth or Disposable Mask

- Optional:** Disposable Camera (*please write your camper’s name on it*)
White T-Shirt for Tie-Dye (*Mini campers will not be Tie-Dying*)
Sandals for beach
Pen, Pencil, & Self-Addressed Envelopes