

Troop 1890 Summer Standard Personal Gear List

To be used from June-September

Essentials	<p style="font-size: small; margin: 0;">put these in a small ditty bag and keep it in your pack</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Compass (0 to 360 degrees with 2 degree increments) <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight or headlamp with extra batteries <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Food (no cooking - granola bars and similar foods) <input type="checkbox"/> Personal First Aid Kit <input type="checkbox"/> Pocket Knife or Multi-tool <input type="checkbox"/> Waterproof Matches or Lighter <input type="checkbox"/> Firestarter with tinder <input type="checkbox"/> Water Bottle, Canteen or Camelback-type device (Optional: Water filter) - 1.5L minimum <input type="checkbox"/> Whistle (plastic, pea-less) <input type="checkbox"/> Insect Repellent <input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen
Required Items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Full-size backpack (internal or external frame) or large, sturdy duffel bag Everything should fit in, on or be securely attached. <input type="checkbox"/> Tent with rainfly Tents are encouraged to be shared with multiple boys <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Foam Pad or Thermarest (light weight) <input type="checkbox"/> Mess Kit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Cup <input type="checkbox"/> Plate <input type="checkbox"/> Utensils (knife, fork and spoon) <input type="checkbox"/> Small Pot (comes with most mess kits) for boiling water <input type="checkbox"/> Boots / Shoes <input type="checkbox"/> Wool Socks <input type="checkbox"/> Hat <input type="checkbox"/> Swimwear (if campout will involve water activities) <input type="checkbox"/> Water shoes/flip-flops (if campout will involve water activities) <input type="checkbox"/> Poncho (it may rain) <input type="checkbox"/> Small rope (parachute cord is best) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 large (33 gallon) trash bags - emergency use <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Clothes (in waterproof bag(s)) (Long pants, shorts, socks and extra shirt) <input type="checkbox"/> Medications, creams (with instruction list to give to scoutmaster in case of emergency) <input type="checkbox"/> Small Towel <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Sanitizer <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Snacks <input type="checkbox"/> Scout Book (so we can sign off advancement items) <input type="checkbox"/> Eyeglasses/contacts (if needed) <input type="checkbox"/> Light, Waterproof Jacket <input type="checkbox"/> Toilet paper <input type="checkbox"/> Small Trowel or Spade (leave-no-trace potty) <input type="checkbox"/> Space bag/blanket <input type="checkbox"/> Great Attitude

Optional	<input type="checkbox"/> Hiking Staff (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Backpacking Stove with fuel (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Disposable Camera (optional - we would like photos for the website) <input type="checkbox"/> Pillow (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Gear + License (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> Sunglasses (optional)
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The following items should **NOT** be brought:

Prohibited items

- Sheath Knives (prohibited by Boy Scouts of America)**
- Folding Knives over 4.5" long when closed (prohibited by Boy Scouts of America)**
- Electronic Toys/Gadgets**
- Games (except as specified above)**
- Firearms or ammunition (prohibited by Boy Scouts of America)**
- Archery Equipment (prohibited by Boy Scouts of America)**
- Fireworks (prohibited by Boy Scouts of America)**
- Cell Phones (if you must bring it, your scoutmaster will keep it for you)**
- CD Players/MP3 Players**
- Music**
- Radios (except as part of 72 hour kit for merit badge)**
- Any item that will distract boys from participating in structured events**

If these items are brought, they will be confiscated and kept for the parents of the boy to pick up.