

Boy Scout equipment checklist

The following list is provided as an aid to a Scout's planning but certainly is not all encompassing. It is suggested that Scouts ask veteran campers to assist them in their planning.

- Complete Boy Scout uniform (for evening meals, campfires, and flag lowering).
- Clothes, underwear and socks for at least six days.
- Jacket, sweater or sweatshirt.
- Swimming trunks.
- Comfortable hiking boots, athletic shoes, and if the Scout is planning to work on any boating merit badges, he will need a pair of shoes that can be worn in the water. Scouts working on Horsemanship Merit Badge or plan on taking a trail ride will need shoes with a heel.
- Poncho or raincoat.
- Belt
- Backpack, duffel bag, or foot locker
- Canteen
- Sleeping bag or blankets and a small pillow.
- Toilet kit (toothbrush, towel, soap, comb, etc.).
- Notebook, pencil, pen and Scout Handbook.
- Suntan lotion and insect repellent (non-aerosol).
- Flashlight with extra batteries.
- Watch, first aid kit, camera, sewing kit, religious materials.
- Folding pocketknife (Scouts are encouraged to bring a pocketknife with a locking blade. Blades cannot be more than 3 inches long). Sheath knives are not permitted.
- Long pants (jeans) and a long-sleeved button-down shirt are necessary for the clothes inflation requirement of Swimming Merit Badge. Long pants are also required to ride horses at the Ransburg Ranch.
- Medical Form and prescription medication in its original container.
- \$30 or more for spending money and merit badge projects.

It is recommended that portable radios, electronic games and other valuables be left at home.