



# ULTIMATE CAMPING CHECKLIST



## Campsite & Shelter

- Tent
- Tent stakes
- OPTIONAL:
- Tarp
- Camp chair or sit pad
- Camp table
- Battery-powered lantern
- Tent lights
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## Sleep System

- Sleeping bag/quilt
- Sleeping bag stuff sack
- Sleeping pad/air mattress
- OPTIONAL:
- Camp pillow
- Cot
- Sleeping bag liner
- Ear plugs and eye mask
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## Campfire

- Lighter/matches
- Fire starter
- OPTIONAL:
- Small axe/saw
- Roasting forks
- Kindling
- Firewood (purchase locally)
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## Camp Kitchen

- Camp stove
- Stove fuel
- Pots and pans
- Pot lid
- Pot grips/pot holder
- Water Container (2-10L)
- Cooking utensils
- Biodegradable soap
- Spare plastic bags
- Food storage containers
- Bear canisters  
(check local regulations)

### OPTIONAL:

- Kitchen knife
- Cutting board
- Cooler
- Spice kit
- Sponge and wash basin
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## Eating & Drinking

- Bowls and/or plates
- Eating utensils
- Mugs and/or cups
- Water bottle/hydration system
- Water treatment/filtration system
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## Packing System

- Backpack (for backpacking)
- Duffle bag (for car camping)
- Pack liner
- OPTIONAL:
- Stuff sacks/dry sacks
- Pack rain cover
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## Clothing & Footwear

- Hiking boots/shoes
- Hiking socks (2-4x)
- Warm sleeping socks (1-2x)
- Hiking pants/shorts (1-4x)
- Underwear (2-3x)
- Baselayer pants
- Non-cotton shirts (1-2x)
- Fleece jacket
- Puffy jackets (1-2x)
- Rain jacket
- Rain pants
- Sun hat
- Warm hat
- Sunglasses
- Liner gloves
- Buff/bandana
- OPTIONAL:
- Sun shirt
- Wind shirt/wind jacket
- Camp shoes
- Bathing suit/swim costume
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## First Aid Kit

- Band Aids**
- Gauze** (various sizes)
- Moleskin and foam pads**
- Cloth tape**
- Ibuprofen** (advil)
- Acetaminophen** (Tylenol/Paracetamol)
- Diphenhydramine** (Benadryl)
- Antacids** (Tums)
- Aloe**
- Triple antibiotic ointment**
- Alcohol prep pads**
- After bite cream**
- Tweezers**
- Trauma shears/scissors**
- Nitrile gloves** (3+ pairs)
- Spare plastic bags** (for garbage)
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## Tools & Repair

- Knife/multi-tool**
- Gear repair tape**
- Sewing kit**
- Duct tape**
- Air mattress repair patches**
- Spare paracord**
- OPTIONAL:**
- Small driver & bit set**
- Gear repair patches**
- Tent pole repair splint**
- Stove repair kit**
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## Hygiene & Washing

- Prescription medication**
- Toothbrush and toothpaste**
- Floss**
- Biodegradable toiletries**
- Sun screen**
- Insect repellent**
- Biodegradable soap**
- Hand sanitizer**
- Lip balm**
- Toilet paper**
- Garbage bag for toilet paper**

### OPTIONAL:

- Menstrual hygiene products**
- Hairbrush/comb**
- Quarters** (for campground showers)
- Camp shower**
- Small pack towel**
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## Personal Tech & Gear

- Headlamp**
- Spare batteries**
- Bug headnet**
- Trowel** (for backpacking)
- Whistle**
- Map, compass and GPS**
- Camera** (w/ spare batteries)
- ID, Cash, credit card**
- Phone & battery pack**
- Permits, reservations, licenses**
- Portable power bank**
- Bear spray** (location dependent)
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## Extras for Car Camping (Optional)

- Bottle opener/corkscrew**
- Can opener**
- Measuring cups**
- Coffee brewing system**
- Dutch oven**
- Outdoor rug**
- Hammock w/straps**
- Door mat**
- Pump for air mattress**
- Broom and dustpan**
- Plastic bins** (for gear storage)



## Fun & Entertainment (Optional)

- Musical Instruments**
- Binoculars**
- Deck of cards**
- Board games**
- Books**
- Journals and pens**
- Watercoloring set**
- Fly fishing gear** (w/proper permits)



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