



# Overnight Camp What to Bring Checklist

Sheet set or sleeping bag, pillow, & extra blanket *Please see item # 1 below		Raincoat or poncho and rubber boots (optional) *Please see item # 7 below	
Toiletries (toothbrush, brush, shampoo, soap, etc.)		Long Sleeved Shirt	
Sunscreen minimum 35 SPF & chapstick with SPF protection. UV Shirt for swimming *Please see item # 2 below		Warm jacket or sweater	
Insect Repellent: We recommend using a repellent with DEET. A bug jacket and/or hat is a good idea. *Please see item # 2 below		Swimsuit & UV swim shirt *Please see item # 8 below	
Bible, notepad, book for leisure (optional)		Large towels (2) showering & swimming Wash Cloths	
Reusable water bottle *Please see item #3 below		Hat for sun protection	
Pyjamas / sleepwear		Running shoes for climbing wall, etc.	
Long pants for riding		Footwear for horsemanship *Please see item #9 below	
Socks & Underwear		Sandals or crocs	
Mid-Length Shorts *Please see item #4 below		Flashlight (optional)	
Sleeved T-shirts *Please see item #5 below		At least 2 clear recycling bags for dirty laundry and to be used to for packing up	
Theme meal costumes (optional) *Please see item #6 below		Drawstring bag, small backpack, or fanny pack *Please see item # 10 below	

**All items are mandatory unless otherwise noted. You may pack more or less of any item mentioned. Please be sure to label all items, as well as the outside of all bags, suitcases, etc.**

1. We strongly recommend bringing a fitted sheet and layered bedding so that campers can be comfortable whether it is warm or cool. The bunk beds have a standard single mattress.
2. Please have your children practice putting sunscreen and bug spray on before coming to camp so they can be as independent as possible.
3. We encourage the campers to fill their reusable water bottle with water at meal times. In an effort to reduce waste, campers who do not bring a reusable water bottle will be asked to purchase one in our store so they are able to take water with them to activities.
4. Campers will participate in several activities that require wearing a harness. Please ensure shorts are mid length for added comfort and coverage (eg. Bermuda shorts).
5. When packing t-shirts, please ensure that they provide excellent protection from the sun. UV Shirts are highly recommended. Please do not send tank tops, low cut, or crop tops as they do not provide adequate sun protection and campers will be asked to change.
6. One of the fun things at camp are theme meals. Many campers like to bring a costume or clothing items for the theme meals. The Theme Meal Calendar can be found on our website.
7. Pack rain gear, all programs continue in the event of a light rain.
8. Campers will need to wear a UV shirt or t-shirt over their swimsuit on days with a high UV index to help prevent burns. If your child doesn't have a UV shirt, pack a t-shirt that can be worn in a chlorinated pool. Bikinis are not recommended as campers will participate in water games etc, so please send a one piece or a tankini for girls.
9. When choosing footwear for horsemanship activities, please consider that occasionally children's feet are stepped on by a horse. We use approved safety stirrups, so heeled footwear isn't essential, but the footwear must be sturdy enough to protect the foot if your child's foot is stepped on. Suitable footwear includes: hiking boots, sturdy running shoes, or riding boots. Please do not bring canvas shoes, crocs, or rubber boots for riding.
10. Campers will need a small bag to carry items with them throughout the day. Please ensure this bag is big enough for a water bottle, sunscreen, and bug spray.

### Additional Packing List for Crew Campers:

Footwear for Work Period *Please see below	
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**252 Crew:** While choosing footwear for work periods, please consider that the 252 Crew may be assisting in grass cutting, building projects and camp maintenance. We recommend work

boots, but campers can use a solid running shoe or hiking boot.

**Wrangler Crew:** Please bring a pair of boots for barn chores. Please also bring a pair of sturdy walking shoes. Please keep in mind that your boots and shoes are likely to get quite dirty.

### Additional Packing List for LIT's:

1.5" Binder for LIT Manual, markers, pens, pencils		Camping chair or a blanket to sit on, as some sessions will be done outside	
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### For All Overnight Campers:

Additional Items for Registration Day (please keep easily accessible in your vehicle during registration):

- ☐ Camp Store Money – prepay online or bring cash on first day
- ☐ Medication – print medication forms (found on our website) and follow instructions on the forms if your child will be taking medication while at camp
- ☐ Mail – if you are leaving mail or care packages for your camper
- ☐ Camper Cell Phone – If applicable, see below

#### Cell Phone Guidelines:

Campers are not permitted to keep cell phones or other electronic devices at camp. We do not recommend bringing anything valuable to camp as occasionally things do get lost, stolen, or broken, however, **ONLY Teen Week, Crew Camp, and LIT campers** will be given the option to hand in devices at registration to be stored during the week. These campers will be given 2 allotted times throughout the week to sign out their devices. They will not have access to wi-fi. Devices not checked in will be held in the office for the duration of the camper's session. We are not responsible for loss or damage.

#### Lost and Found:

Please label all your camper's belongings, including the outside of their suitcases/bags/luggage. We do not recommend packing anything in a black garbage bag. We do not assume responsibility for lost or damaged items. Lost and found will be held for one month following camp. We can only look for labeled items. Families will need to arrange a pick up time with our office for any found items.

#### What NOT to Bring:

Cell phones\*, music devices, portable gaming devices, computers, devices that can access wifi, inappropriate reading materials, etc. are not permitted at Circle Square Ranch and, if brought, will be held in the office for the duration of the camper's session. Please do not bring anything valuable or sentimental to camp as occasionally things do get lost or broken. Absolutely no alcohol, drugs, or tobacco are permitted at the Ranch. We reserve the right to send home any camper who fails to cooperate.

\*See above note about cell phones for Teen Week, Crew Camp, and LIT Campers