

tent camping packing list

Shelter & Sleeping

- Tent
- Tent stakes and mallet
- Tent footprint or ground tarp
- Sleeping bags
- Sleeping pads or air mattresses
- Pillows
- Extra blankets

Personal Items

- Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, etc.)
- Towel and washcloth
- Biodegradable soap and shampoo
- Sunscreen
- Insect repellent
- First aid kit
- Prescription medications
- Wet wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Whistle
- Camera or smartphone for photos
- Portable power bank
- Roll of toilet paper (just in case)

Camping Gear

- Headlamps or flashlights with extra batteries
- Lantern
- Camping chairs
- Camping table (if no picnic table available)
- Easy-Up (screened if possible)
- Multi-tool or knife
- Rope or paracord
- Duct tape
- Backpack for day hikes
- Maps and compass or GPS
- Firewood or fire starters (if allowed--keep in mind that with firewood you shouldn't transport it due to bug contamination)

Cooking & Eating

- Portable camping stove or grill
- Fuel for stove/grill
- Matches or lighter
- Cooking utensils (spatula, tongs, etc.)
- Pots and pans
- Can opener
- Cutting board
- Cooler with ice
- Reusable water bottles or hydration packs
- Food and snacks
- Plates, bowls, and utensils
- Cups or mugs
- Dish soap and sponge
- Trash bags
- Food storage containers/plastic bags

Clothing

- Weather-appropriate clothing
- Hiking boots or sturdy shoes
- Closed-toe sandals or water shoes
- Sleepwear
- Extra socks and underwear
- Rain jacket or poncho (just in case)
- Hats and swimwear (if applicable)
- Beanie and gloves (if applicable)

Entertainment

- Books
- Playing cards or travel games
- Journals and pens
- Outdoor toys for kids

