



### What to bring to camp:

When packing for your visit to the Wyman Center, remember that our camp is in a natural setting- think dirt, water, bugs, animal scat- and other outdoor fun—so clothes and shoes have the potential to get dirty. Also, make sure to check the weather before your visit. Please plan your outfit(s) accordingly.

Keep in mind that these are general packing lists. Your experience representative will alert you of any specific items you might need for your reservation that are not on this list. If you are unsure if it's allowed, please feel free to reach out with any questions. If you realize upon arrival you forgot something, check with your site manager to see if we have extra supplies to lend.

Day trips:		Optional items for day trips:	
	Casual comfortable clothing		Camera
	Closed-toed/heeled shoes, preferably sturdy non-slip sneakers or boots.		Small battery-operated fan
	Refillable water bottle, preferably with a strap		Binoculars
	Sunscreen- High SPF water-resistant, non-aerosol and lip balm		Portable microscope
	Insect repellent, non-aerosol with DEET (i.e. Off! Deep woods)		Small hand sanitizer
	Daypack/Small bookbag		
	Head protection: Bandana, scarf, and/or hat		
	Eye protection: Sunhat and/or sunglasses		
	Rain protection: Poncho or raincoat preferred for outside movement		

### Packing tips:

- If packing for a child, have them pack with you so they're familiar with what they brought to camp.
- All medications, ointments, vitamins, and supplements should be in original containers with clear labels. If it is a prescribed item, the container should have the doctor's name, dosage, and any instructions clearly stated. We recommend storing these in Ziplock bags.
  - School and youth group campers **MUST** give these to the designated qualified staff member (teacher or nurse) to hold and administer. Inhalers, EpiPens, and other necessary items will be kept with each camper as determined by the health supervisor and information on the Health History Form.

<b>Overnight trips: (Everything on the day trip list, plus...)</b>		<b>Optional items for an overnight:</b>	
	Clothes for the entire length of your stay (Pants, shorts, shirts, socks, underwear) Plan for one outfit a day and an extra.		Flashlight or headlamp (Don't forget batteries!)
	Toiletries (body soap, shampoo, conditioner, toothbrush, toothpaste, and deodorant)		Plug-in fan or heater
	Bathroom items: Towel, washcloth, and shower-safe shoes		Cooler
	Bedding (Twin fitted sheet, blanket or sleeping bag, and pillow)		Wagon or cart
			A comfort item (such as a stuffed animal, book, journal, etc.)
			Earplugs and/or sleeping mask

### Seasonal or specialty items to pack:

	<b>Swimming:</b> beach towel, swimsuit, and non-slip pool shoes.
	<b>Hiking:</b> Sturdy hiking shoes or boots
	<b>Autumn &amp; Spring:</b> Long sleeve T-shirts, light jacket or windbreaker, rain boots or waders
	<b>Winter:</b> Gloves or mittens (insulated are best), a winter hat or something to cover your ears, a winter coat, snow pants, and non-slip waterproof boots.

### Packing tips:

- Use plastic totes with lids instead of suitcases or bags, items will be secure and easy to see.
- Label your personal belongings.
- Pack toiletries into a shower caddy, drainable bag, or even just a gallon Ziplock bag that can be easily carried to the bathroom.
- Stuff sacks are easy to pack sleeping bags and pillows together.
- Think about bringing water bottles to drink in the cabins. Cabins have well water which at times can have an “eggy” smell to it. The odor may be more pronounced in the morning when the water has been sitting idle overnight. You can let it run through for a bit to help with the smell. If you think the smell may bother you, we recommend bringing bottled water to have on hand.

**Continue to page 3 for “What we advise against bringing” and items “We do not allow” on Wyman grounds.**

### **We advise against bringing:**

- Money, expensive or sentimental valuables. If you do, please make sure these items are labeled and in a safe and secure location.
- Flip-flops, Crocs, open-toed sandals and expensive shoes. These are not the safest for moving around our grounds.
- Strong perfumes/colognes or scented lotions. These will serve as an attractant to unwanted wildlife and insects.
- Cell phones, smart watches, cameras, tablets, computers, e-readers, or other electronic devices. Our service is limited in the area. We will leave this up to the discretion of your group organizer.
- Pets or animals (this includes at arrival and departure) without proper paperwork and prior authorization.
- Snacks or drinks without prior authorization. Food is not permitted in sleeping quarters. All Snacks must be stored in sealed containers or packaging and be eaten in designated locations. In group settings, make sure allergies have been addressed.
- Bottles or glass containers.
- Dishes from the Kitchen/main eating location to other buildings! Items need to stay in the buildings they were found.

### **We do not allow:**

- Cigarettes, e-cigarettes, or similar vaping devices. We are a smoke-free campus.
- Controlled Substances (Alcohol, Drugs, etc.). Alcohol is only allowed for adult groups with proper authorization before your visit.
- Knives, guns, or weapons of any kind (including pocketknives and clothing with spikes, chains, etc.)
- Drones, remote control toys, bikes, skateboards, inline skates, scooters, or other similar equipment.
- Fireworks or candles.

### **Wyman is not responsible for loss, theft, or damage to personal belongings, money, or items left at camp.**

- Please write your or your camper's full name and phone number on everything of importance—if it's left behind, we'll make every effort to contact you by phone or email.
- Lost and found items will be kept for 2 weeks.
- Unclaimed items are added to a community stockpile or donated after two weeks.