

# CAR CAMPING CHECKLIST

Always have all your permit accessible or printed. Make sure it is for the correct date.  
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## LIVING ESSENTIALS

- Tent (tent, poles, rainfly, stakes)
- Sleeping Bags or Blankets
- Pillows
- Sleeping Pad or Inflatable Mattress
- Car Air Pump for Inflatable Mattress
- Mallet for stakes or find a rock at the park (if stakes are needed)

### NOTES:

## BASIC COOKING KIT

- Grill (mini smokey Joe will work)
- Fuel for Grill: Charcoal or Propane
- Kitchen Utensils (spatula, tongs, big fork, big spoon)
- Plates / Bowls / Skewers (disposable is ok)
- Eating Utensils (disposable is ok)
- Camp Cups
- Pot
- Pan
- Knife
- Cutting board
- Can Opener
- Seasoning (Salt, Pepper, etc)
- Foil
- Gloves

### NOTES:

## STORAGE KIT

- Cooler for food and drinks (can have multiple, one for each)
- Ice (purchase the day of)
- Tupperware
- Reusable Plastic Bags

### NOTES:

## CLEANING KIT

- Paper Towels
- Hand Soap (in case there is none in bathroom)
- Sanitizer
- Garbage Bags (one for recycling, one for garbage)
- Rag/Sponge (not needed)
- Disposable Chlorox Wipes (not needed)

### NOTES:

## LIGHT KIT

- Flashlight
- Lighter/Matches (preferably long lighter)
- Headlamps (optional)
- Lantern (optional)
- Firestarter (for charcoal or firewood)
- Firewood - purchase at campground

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## SELFCARE/TOILETRIES

- Sunscreen
- Bug Repellant
- Disposable Wipes / Toilet Paper
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- First Aid Kit
- Chapstick with SPF
- Shower Towel (if showers are available)
- Ear Plugs (for those who would want it)
- Body Soap

### NOTES:

## BASIC CLOTHES

- Shirt/Tank Top
- Shorts / Pants (depending on location)
- Sports Bras/Bras
- Comfortable Underwear (bring extra pair)
- Sweater/Hoodie/jacket (depending on location)
- Rain Gear (if raining)
- Pajamas
- Socks (Bring Extra Pair)

### NOTES:

## SHOES

- Sneakers/Running Shoes
- Camp Sandals (straps, crocs, flip flops)
- Hiking Boots (if needed)

### NOTES:

## ACCESSORIES

- Bandana/Buff/Face Covering
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Glasses Case
- Lens Cloth
- Fanny Pack (keys/wallet)
- Backpack (everything else)
- Cell Phone
- Cell Phone Cord
- Cell Phone Portable Battery Pack
- Petty Cash
- Feminine Products
- Hair Ties
- Watch

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## OTHER ESSENTIALS

Personal Medication (Allergy Pills included)  
First-aid Kit  
Contact Solution & Case  
Ibuprofen  
Extra Batteries

### NOTES:

## MORNING KIT

Ground Coffee /Instant Coffee  
Camping Mugs  
Sweetener of choice  
Camp Stove (if you have it)  
Fuel for Camp Stove: Propane  
Coffee Percolator with filter or Teapot to boil hot water  
Cooking Oil or Spray for Camp Stove Use  
Stuff to clean pans/pots

### NOTES:

## KITCHEN ACCESSORIES

Table  
Table Cloth (disposable is ok)

### NOTES:

## HANGING OUT KIT

Camp Chairs  
Download Podcasts/Music Playlists  
CDs  
Speaker  
Guitar  
Canopy/Pop-up tent (if you have it, bring it)

### NOTES:

## FUN KIT

Camera  
SD Card  
Frisbee  
Bikes  
Bike Pump  
Bike Lock  
Cards  
Games (board game, horseshoes, can jam)  
Fishing Pole & Fishing Gear  
License & Permits (fishing, boating)  
Pen and Paper  
Books

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## SWIMMING KIT

- Sunscreen
- Beach Towel
- Swimsuit
- Campshoes/Flip Flops
- Pool toys
- Inflatable Cooler

**NOTES:**

## HIKING KIT

- Hiking Shoes (trail shoes or hiking boots)
- Long Socks (for poison oak/ivy & blisters)
- Breathable / Dry-fit Material Clothes
- Maps (physical or digital)
- Compass or GPS
- Trekking Poles
- Whistle

**NOTES:**

## ADULT STUFF

- Alcohol (Beer, Liquor)
- Mixers
- THC & CBD (edibles, flower, droplets)
- Cups for Adult Drinks
- Card Games
- Bottle Opener
- Wine Opener

**NOTES:**

## EXTRAS

- Duct Tape
- Solar Panels

**NOTES:**