YEAR 9 Grampians and High Plains CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT LIST

All the items listed below are important and must be brought. Only the essentials are needed and these must be light and warm. This is a minimal gear list for the program.

Clothing

Quantity	Item	Check
1	Sturdy Hiking Boots, Walking Shoes or Runners (Should have good grip and be worn in)	
1	Comfortable shoes for around camp – Must be closed toe, no thongs or slippers	
1 pair per day	Socks – "Explorer" type socks are highly recommended	
1 pair per day	Underwear	
2	Thermals – Wool or Synthetic, not cotton	
2	Long pants – Synthetic are best, zip off cargo pants are very useful, NO JEANS	
2	Shorts – Board Shorts or Sports Shorts are perfect – NO SHORT SHORTS	
1	Long Sleeved Shirts with collar – Synthetic, please avoid cotton where possible	
2	Short Sleeved Shirts with collar – Sports shirts are great, NO SINGLETS	
2	Fleece or Wool jumpers – Thick and Warm – No cotton jumpers	
1	Broad Brim Sun Hat	
1	Beanie	

NO COTTON - NO AEROSOLS - NO NUTS

Equipment

Quantity	Item	Check
1	Sleeping Bag – Synthetic or Down. Comfort rating to 0 degrees or below	
1	Sleeping Bag Liner	
3	Orange "Multix" Brand Garbage Bags	
3	Green or black garbage bags	
1	Strong fork & spoon ONLY	
1	Strong plastic bowl and mug	
1	Tea towel	
3	Soapy Jex pads	
3	"Scotchbrite" style Green Scourers	
1	Chux cloth	
3	Large Snaplock Bags	
1	Head torch and spare batteries	
1	Sunglasses (old)	
1	Whistle (on cord)	
1	Matches in waterproof container – (extra-long is best)	
1	Trail Mix (no nuts, no wrapped lollies) max 1 snack size snap lock bag per day	
3	Water bottles (minimum 750ml litre capacity each bottle)	
1	Lunch for Day 1 – No nuts	

Personal Items

Quantity	Item	Check
1	Roll of toilet paper (double bagged in two snaplock bags)	
1	Toothbrush & paste, soap (for showers), deodorant (no aerosols)	
1	Insect Repellent (no aerosols)	
1	Small towel or chamois	
1	Sunscreen, zinc, lip balm	
1	Labelled personal medications	
1	Feminine hygiene – pads & tampons and handwipes (waterproof in a snaplock bag)	

Optional

- Down Jacket or Vest
- ► Neck warmer, buff or scarf Not cotton
- ► Warm gloves (Not cotton)
- Camera in two plastic bags
- Diary/journal for writing (including a pen)
- ► A light book to read in two Snaplock bags

OEG will provide the following

- ► Tents and Tarps
- ► Sleeping mat
- ► Water proof pants and jacket
- ► Lightweight stoves and Fuel
- ► Maps and Compasses
- ► All specialist safety equipment
- ► Group first aid kit
- ► Backpacks