# THE OUTDOOR EDUCATION GROUP CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT LIST – Mater Dei College Year 9

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	Walking Shoes or Runners (Should have good grip and be worn in. No elastic sided boots, skate shoes or plimsolls)	
1	Thongs for showering & indoor use only	
1	Water shoes (Old runners are great – no thongs)	
1	Raincoat with a hood (proofed nylon, dry japara are good – thigh length)	
1 pair/day	Socks – "Explorer" type socks are highly recommended – <i>no ankle socks</i>	
1 pair/day	Underwear	
1	Bathers (no bikinis) – school bathers are ideal	
1	Long sleeved shirt or rash vest for sun protection when swimming	
1 pair	Pyjamas	
1	Long pants – loose fitting for insect protection. NO JEANS	
2	Shorts – Board Shorts or Sports Shorts are perfect – NO SHORT SHORTS	
1	Long Sleeved Shirt with collar – preferably cotton	
2	Short Sleeved Shirts with collar – Sports shirts are great, NO SINGLETS	
1	Fleece or Wool / Wool Mix jumper – Thick and Warm – No cotton jumpers	
1	Broad Brim Sun Hat	
1	Beanie	

## Personal Items

Quantity	Item	Check
1	Labelled personal medications – <i>please hand to your teacher</i>	
1	Hand Sanitiser (minimum 60ml) – 60% alcohol minimum	
1	Toothbrush & paste, hairbrush, deodorant <b>(no aerosols)</b>	
1	Insect Repellent (20% DEET is good) (no aerosols)	
1	Sunscreen, zinc, lip balm	
1	Feminine hygiene – sanitary items & handwipes even if you are not expecting to have to use them ( <i>we recommend sourcing wipes that are 100% biodegradable, e.g.,</i> <i>Wotnot, JAK, Joonya or Burt's Bees</i> )	
1	Wristwatch (with an alarm if possible)	

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### Equipment

Quantity	Item	Check
1	Lunch for Day 1 – <b>NO NUTS!</b>	
1	Sleeping Bag – Synthetic or Down. Rated to 0 or -5 degrees or below	
1	Sleeping Mat (closed cell foam, no more than 10mm thickness & size 50cm x 180cm) – <i>No Yoga Mats!</i>	
1	Fitted single sheet (for use in the dormitories)	
1	Pillow & pillow case (for use in the dormitories)	
2	Strong (orange "Multix" Brand) garbage bags	
2	Large snaplock bags	
1	Strong fork and spoon	
1	Mug (camping style – non breakable)	
1	Strong plastic bowl for eating meals	
1	Tea towel	
1	Towel for swimming & canoeing	
1	Towel for showering	
1	Head torch and spare batteries	
2	Water bottles (1 litre <i>per bottle</i> minimum capacity)	
1	Day pack for carrying water, food & raincoat when moving through activities	

Please label all equipment with your name, especially water bottles.

#### All food apart from the camp out will be provided by Caterers @ Nanga Bush Camp. B.Y.O Lunch on Day One (1) of <u>your</u> program – Nut Free Please!

#### OEG will provide the following:

- ► Tents and Tarps
- ► Backpacks for bushwalking
- ► Lightweight stoves and Fuel
- Maps and Compasses
- ► All specialist safety equipment
- ▶ Group first aid kit *please do NOT bring your own 1<sup>st</sup> aid supplies*.

**Optional items:** Camera (in snap lock bag); Diary/journal & pen; Light book to read (in snap lock bag).