# THE OUTDOOR EDUCATION GROUP

# **CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT LIST -Bunbury Catholic College Year 10**

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 – <i>no elastic sided boots, skate shoes, Volleys or plimsolls)</i>	
1	Comfortable shoes for around camp – Must be closed toe, no thongs or slippers	
1	Water shoes (Old runners are great – no thongs) – for canoeing	
1	Raincoat with a hood (proofed nylon, dry japara are good – thigh length)	
1 pair/day	Socks – "Explorer" type socks are highly recommended – <b>no ankle socks</b>	
1 pair/day	Underwear	
1	Bathers (no bikinis) – To be worn under canoe clothing. School bathers are ideal	
2 pairs	Thermal Underwear (long sleeved top & pants) – Wool or Synthetic, <i>not cotton.</i> <i>Please note: 1 pair is specifically for canoeing.</i>	
2	Long pants – loose fitting for insect protection. NO JEANS	
2	Shorts – Board Shorts or Sports Shorts are perfect – NO SHORT SHORTS	
2	Long Sleeved Shirts with collar – Cotton or cotton blend preferable	
2	Short Sleeved Shirts with collar – Sports shirts are great, NO SINGLETS	
2	Fleece or Wool / Wool Mix jumpers – Thick and Warm – No cotton jumpers	
1	Broad Brim Sun Hat	
1	Beanie	

### Personal Items

1	Labelled personal medications – <i>please hand to your teacher</i>	
1	Hand Sanitiser (minimum 60ml) – minimum 60% alcohol content	
1	Strapping tape if you need to strap an injury daily	
1	Toothbrush & paste, hairbrush, deodorant (no aerosols)	
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., Wotnot, JAK, Joonya or Burt's Bees)</i>	
1	Flannel for "bush bathing" - <i>optional</i>	

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### Equipment

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1	Lunch for Day 1 – <i>NO NUTS!</i>	
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>	
3	Strong (orange "Multix" Brand) garbage bags	
3	Large snaplock bags to waterproof clothes	
1	Strong fork and spoon	
1	Mug (camping style – non breakable)	
1	Strong plastic bowl for eating meals	
2	Tea towels	
1	Small towel or chamois	
1	Head torch and spare batteries	
1	Whistle (on cord) – for Solo only	
3	Water bottles (1 litre per bottle <i>minimum</i> capacity)	
1	Wristwatch (with an alarm if possible)	

Those who wear glasses - <u>please bring a glasses retaining strap</u> and, if possible, a spare pair of glasses.

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

### **Optional Items**

- ► Waterproof Overpants
- Down Jacket or Vest
- Camera in two Snaplock bags
- ► Diary/journal for writing (including a pen) & Light book to read in two Snaplock bags

### OEG will provide the following

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