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Clothing & Equipment List - Wilsons Prom

Clothing

Quantity	Item		Check
1	Sturdy Hiking Boots	Should be worn in and have good grip	
1	Shoes for water activities	Old runners are great. Must be fastened to foot and closed toe. No crocs.	
5	Socks	Thick "Explorer" type socks are highly recommended	
5	Underwear		
1	Thermals	Wool or Synthetic to retain body heat even if they get wet. No cotton.	
1	Water Top & Shorts	Quick dry (rash vest and knee length boardies for sun protection). You	
2	Long pants	Synthetic are best, zip off cargo pants are useful. No jeans, as they won't	
2	Lightweight Shorts	No short shorts as they don't protect your legs when walking through the	
2	Long Sleeved Shirts with collar	Synthetic and lightweight	
2	Short Sleeved Top with collar	Sports shirts are great	
2	Fleece or Wool jumper/jacket	Go for warmth not fashion. No cotton	
1	Sun Hat	Broad brim for sun protection	
1	PJ's	Best to be shorts & shirt you have already packed to minimise clothes	

Equipment

Quantity	Item		Check
1	Sleeping Bag	Synthetic or Down filling. Comfort rating to ZERO degrees or below. Make sure you practice stuffing the sleeping bag into its case	
1	Sleeping Bag Liner	Can add warmth and keeps the inside of your sleeping bag cleaner	
1	Pillowcase	To stuff clothing into for a pillow	
3	Orange "Multix" Garbage Bags	For waterproofing	
3	Green or black garbage bags	For garbage/dirty clothes	
1	Strong fork & spoon ONLY		
1	Strong plastic bowl and mug	You will be cooking dinner outside in small groups	
2	Tea towel	For drying your eating equipment	
1	Cleaning sponge		
2	"Scotchbrite" Green Scourers	For cleaning your cooking equipment	
1	Chux cloth		
3	Large Snaplock Bags	To put lunch in	
1	Head torch and spare batteries	LED head torch are brighter and lightweight. Red light is best for nighttime	
1	Sunglasses (old)	With strap	
1	Whistle (on cord)	Orange Emergency whistle work well	
1	Matches in waterproof container	Extra-long size	
3	Water bottles	minimum 1 litre capacity each bottle	
1	Lunch for Day 1 – No nuts	Lunch will be had in the bush- limit packaging as you will carry all garbage with you	

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Personal Items

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1	Roll of toilet paper	Double bagged in two snaplock bags	
1	Toothbrush & paste, soap,	Non-electric toothbrush	
1	Personal 1st aid supplies	e.g. bandaids (for cuts or blisters), roller bandage/ strapping tape if you require it	
1	Insect Repellent	Repellent (20% DEET is good) no aerosols- roll on or cream	
1	Small towel or chamois		
1	Sunscreen, zinc, lip balm	SPF 30+ and above	
1	Labelled personal medications	To be given to teachers with a note from parents about administration	
1	Feminine hygiene	Be prepared just in case. Waterproof items in a snaplock bag. Small paper bags work well for disposal.	

Optional:	OEG will provide the following:
 Warm Gloves Beanie Down Jacket or Vest Camera (in two plastic bags) Diary/journal for writing (including a pen) Book to read 	 Tents and Tarp and sleeping mat Waterproof pants and jacket Gaiters (lower leg protection for hiking) Lightweight stoves and Fuel Maps and Compasses All specialist safety equipment Group first aid kit Backpacks Food

PLEASE DO NOT BRING:

- Mobile phones or other electronic devices
- Aerosol cans (eg insect repellent, deodorant or body sprays)
- Any items that are against normal school rules
- Nuts we have a 'no obvious nut' policy at OEG

Note to parents: Please do not allow your child to bring any of the above items, especially mobile phones. We have experienced difficulty in the past with phones being lost/damaged etc. The Outdoor Education Group organises the best possible communication system (eg radio/phone/sat phone), and in the event of any situations/incidents, to prevent any confusion or double messages it is vitally important that the official communication methods are the only means used.

Thank you for your support.

MEDICATION MUST BE LABELLED WITH CLEAR INSTRUCTIONS IN A ZIPLOCK BAG

AND HANDED TO YOUR TUTOR PRIOR TO DEPARTURE.