



## PERSONAL GEAR LIST FOR COLD WEATHER CAMPING TRIPS

Use this list in conjunction with the one in the *Scout Handbook for Boys*.

If you are unfamiliar with any item, please consult with one of the troop leaders before acquiring it.

Remember to mark your son's name on each item.

### **NECESSARY:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> THE COMPLETE OFFICIAL SCOUTS BSA UNIFORM   | <input type="checkbox"/> Waterproof ground cloth to place under the sleeping bag.                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Scout Handbook for Boys</i>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Change of clothing for each day  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pocketknife (only for Scouts who have earned their Totin' Chip card.)<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #1</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Base layer (long johns top and bottom) (not 100% cotton)                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> First Aid Kit<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #2</i>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Shirt: synthetic flannel, wool or fleece                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Clothing<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #3</i>  | <input type="checkbox"/> Pants: synthetic or blend – not jeans                                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rain gear<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #4</i>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Underwear  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water bottle (filled)<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #5</i>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Socks, hiking - 2 pr. (wool, SmartWool, CoolMax, etc.)                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight or Headlamp w/fresh or extra batteries<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #6</i>                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Socks, liners - synthetic thin (nylon or polypropylene or similar) - 2 pr. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trail food - Snickers candy bar<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #7</i>                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweater / sweatshirt / light jacket  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Matches and fire starters - waterproof or in waterproof container <i>10 Outdoor Essentials #8</i>        | <input type="checkbox"/> Windbreaker / nylon shell / anorak   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sun protection - Hat, long sleeves, sunscreen<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #9</i>                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Mess kit or similar (bowl / plate / cup)                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Map and Compass<br><i>10 Outdoor Essentials #10</i>  | <input type="checkbox"/> Utensil kit or similar (knife / fork / spoon)                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping bag in waterproof bag (Mummy style preferred)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Gloves or Mittens - 3 pr.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping bag liner or blanket  | <input type="checkbox"/> Glove liners   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping pad or air mattress   | <input type="checkbox"/> Ski cap, ski mask or balaclava - 2   |

### **OPTIONAL:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Backpack                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Pen and paper |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bandanna                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Camping chair |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bible or other religious reading material | <input type="checkbox"/> Wind Pants    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Playing Cards                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunglasses    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book                                      |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rope                                      |  |

**Cotton Does Not Have a Place in Winter Camping**