

Weekend Camp Cold Weather Checklist

Double-check the gear that you have. If there are things that you are missing or may need, don't be afraid to ask. There are members of the Troop who lend out gear that may be needed. Please use this as a guide for what you should bring to camp. Being cold is not fun!

Day pack (10 Essentials)

- ☐ Head lamp/flash light (bring extra batteries)
- ☐ Compass / First Aid Kit / Whistle
- ☐ Sun Protection – sunglasses are recommended
- ☐ Water bottle – Filled. Make sure that it doesn't leak. Avoid water bladders (tube will freeze)
- ☐ Pocket Knife – Must have your Whittling Chit
- ☐ Fire starter(s) – Must have your Fireman's Chit

Gear

- ☐ Socks and Spare socks – 3 to 4, non-cotton
- ☐ Hat and gloves (bring a spare) – Make sure they are waterproof, and the spare hat can be worn while sleeping. Thin cotton gloves will get wet and make your hands cold.
- ☐ Small Dish towel (dry hands if they get wet)
- ☐ Cold weather base layers - 2 pairs (top and bottom) – Will want to wear a set and one to change into if needed
- ☐ Pants – 2 (non-cotton)
- ☐ Shirt – 1 to 2 (non-cotton)
- ☐ Mess Kit – with cup (can be used for hot or cold beverages), plate (or bowl), utensils
- ☐ Hand warmers and foot warmers
- ☐ Winter boots – (no tennis shoes) - Make sure they are water resistant to keep your feet dry
- ☐ Winter coat
- ☐ A balaclava
- ☐ Hoodie – non-cotton
- ☐ Sleeping bag/liner
- ☐ Cabin shoes – **NOT** to be worn outside and only used in the cabin
- ☐ Undewear
- ☐ Sleepwear
- ☐ Toiletries (toothbrush, toothpaste, deodorant)
- ☐ Ziploc Bags (Gallon Sized) or dry sacks – To be used for either dirty or wet clothing. This will prevent the rest of your gear from becoming wet