

National Camping School (Long-term) Packing List

All NCS participants should bring:

(2) Scouting America complete field uniforms	Toiletries
(6) Camp/Scouting related t-shirts/polos	Flashlight
Socks, Underwear, Shoes	Pocketknife
Jacket	Pen/Pencil
Sleeping Bag, Pillow, Bedding	Notebook
Wash Cloth	Insect Repellent
Towel	Rain Gear
Scouts BSA Handbook	Water Bottle
Job Description, Camp Schedule, Camp Promotion Mater	ials

Aquatics Section

BLS/CPR for the Professional Certification Card	(2) Bathing Suit
Current Lifeguard Certification Card (by recognized agency)	Extra Towel
Safe Swim Defense & Safety Afloat Training Certificates	Sun Protection
Kneeling Pads (for canoeing)	(hat, sunglasses, light colored swim shirt, sunscreen)
Closed Toe Water Shoes	Button Up Long Sleeve Shirt, Belt, Long Pants, Socks
Mask, Snorkel, Fins	Diagram/Sketch of Your Camp's Aquatics Area
Lifeguard Rescue Hip Pack w/ CPR Rescue Breather & Whistle	Aquatics Area Emergency Action Plans (EAPs) From Your Camp
Laptop Computer/Tablet Device	

COPE, Clinbing, COPT Sections		
Long Pants (comfortable for climbing)	Tennis Shoes/Climbing Shoes	
Sweatshirt, Long Sleeved Shirt	Hiking Boots	
Local Council COPE/Climbing Staff Training Plan	Sun Protection (sunscreen, hat)	
Local Council COPE/Climbing Operations Plan	Rain Gear (no ponchos)	
Day Pack	Leather Palm Gloves, Bandana/Neckerchief	

COPE, Climbing, CCPT Sections

Ecology Section

Binoculars	Field Notebook
Hiking Boots	Pen/Pencil
Day Pack	Camp Conservation Plan
Rain Gear	

Camp Director Section		
Camp Long-range Plan	Camp Budget	
Camp Maintenance Plan	Camp Menu	
Camp Leader Guide	Staff Organizational Chart	
Camp Conservation Plan	Staff Manual	
Sample Letter of Employment	Staff Training Schedule	
Staff Job Descriptions	Camp Promotional Materials	
Laptop Computer		

Program Director Section

Camp Program Materials	Camp Program Schedule
Camp Program Budget	Staff Organizational Chart
Camp Leader Guide	Laptop Computer
Staff Organizational Chart	

Outdoor Skills/First Year Camper Section

____ Pocketknife

___ Day Pack

____ Hiking Boots

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Trek Leader Section

Pocketknife	Mess Kit (plate, cup, eating utensils)
Hiking Boots	Work Gloves
First Aid Kit	Backpacking Tent, Ground Cloth, Pad
Hydration Pack or Additional Water Bottles	In-Camp Shoes (for when you take your boots off)
Internal/External Frame Backpack (suitable for overnight hike)	

Range Activities Director Section

Eye & Ear Protection	NRA Rifle Instructor Certification (current)
Long-sleeved Cotton Shirt	NRA Shotgun Instructor Certification (current)
USA Archery Instructor Level 1 - Online Course Certificate	Laptop Computer