

Standard Camp Kit List

As Explorers, there has to be a strong element of you taking responsibility for yourselves. You're not children anymore, but young adults. With that in mind, this list doesn't treat you like children but there are no tricks; it lists what you NEED. Think about other items.

DO NOT let a parent pack for you (with the exception of Gilwell 24)!

You may decide that other items are worthwhile taking and you may decide that you don't need some of these items. Those items with a * next to them **MUST** be taken. Kit must be taken in a rucksack or something you are willing to walk with for a couple miles potentially.

Top Half Uniform & Explorer Scout Scarf *

Appropriate footwear *

Waterproofs (preferably coat and trousers) *

Clothing to cover the activities and weather (wet, dry, hot, cold)

Lots of layers*

Must bring your own plate, bowl, mug, cutlery, tea towel in a bag to use and wash up*

Some clothes/footwear with a view to them getting wet

Swimming gear

Wash Kit and Towel (I like to use trek towels so I can fit in more than one) *

Personal medication*** and personal First Aid *

Pain killers/relief cream, insect spray etc.

Sun cream* and Sun hat

Bin Liner/dry bags/stuff sacks to keep clothes safe from the elements

Sleeping bag and karri mat (or similar to a karri mat but not a self-build bed) *

Torch and Spare batteries*

Sheath Knife where appropriate for back to basics or survival weekends (rather than a pen knife, I hate pen knives) – pen knives can be used for the other tools on them but NEVER the blade - you don't need a knife at all but if you want one then get a Mora or similar

Nightwear, teddy bear, pack of cards, multi-tool

The most ridiculous HAT that you can find, rubber duck and 3 wise persons

*** Any medication must be either self-administered or labelled and given to a leader