



Clothing & Equipment Checklist Spring & Fall Desert Base Camp Programs

This is a list of the individual equipment you need for your Boojum course. **Please bring all items. Extra clothing and equipment is not necessary.**

Quantity	Item/Description
FOOTWEAR	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 pr.	<u>Socks</u> : Wool or synthetic socks - for evening and nighttime warmth
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr.	<u>Hiking Boots or shoes (if you have them)</u> : Well broken in – light- to mid-weight, for day hikes
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr.	<u>Sneakers or Running Shoes</u> : For in-camp use
UPPER BODY CLOTHING	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Medium to Heavy Weight Top</u> : For evening and nighttime warmth, synthetic preferred
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Light Weight Top</u> : Insulation layer for hiking and activities.
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Long-Sleeve Light Weight Shirt</u> : Light color to be cool in the sun. Button-down shirts work well.
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Synthetic or Wool Pullover or Jacket</u> : For possible cold evenings; pile, wool or fleece
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Rain Jacket</u> : Should fit comfortably over all layers; must be absolutely 100% waterproof
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<u>T-shirts</u> : Lightweight synthetic or cotton
LOWER BODY CLOTHING	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Mid- to Heavy-weight Bottoms</u> : for evening and nighttime warmth, synthetic preferred
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Nylon pants</u> : Tough, durable, elastic (loose fitting preferred)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Rain Pants</u> : For wet weather. Must be 100% waterproof.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Underwear</u> : One pair per day
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr.	<u>Shorts</u> : Preferably nylon or other lightweight material - knee length or lower work best.
HAND AND HEAD COVERINGS	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Hat</u> : Wool or synthetic fabric for cold nights and sleeping
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Baseball Cap or Broad-brimmed Hat</u>
EQUIPMENT	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Small Duffel Bag</u> : to hold your clothes
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Day Pack*</u> : for day hikes
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Sleeping Bag</u> : Mummy type, rated to 25° F (it can get cold at night in the desert)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Insulating sleeping pad</u> : Ensolite, Ridge Rest, and Therma-rest are common brands
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Polyethylene ground sheet</u> : lightweight plastic that is resistant to moisture
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 ea.	<u>Toothbrush and Paste</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Lip Balm</u> (e.g. Chapstick, Blistex) Should have SPF 15 or greater
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Sunscreen</u> : With SPF of at least 30
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Flashlight or headlamp</u> : with new batteries and 1 extra set
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Journal or Notebook</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<u>Pencils/Pen</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 ea.	<u>Mug with Lid, Plate/Bowl Combo, Spoon and Fork</u> : Tupperware style plate/bowl combo works well.
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<u>1 Quart Water Bottles</u> : Please bring only high quality bottles which will not leak or rupture. Nalgene type bottles work well.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Essential prescription medications</u>
OPTIONAL ITEMS:	
<input type="checkbox"/> \$20-50	<u>Cash for trip and Boojum souvenirs</u>

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Camera with extra memory card and batteries</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 pr.	<u>Synthetic liner hiking socks:</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr.	<u>Gloves:</u> Wool or synthetic fabric. For those who may get cold more easily
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Binoculars</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr.	<u>Gaiters:</u> Leggings worn over the top of the boot to protect against dirt and snow
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Sleeping Bag Liner:</u> Nylon or similar fabric
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Small container of "Baby Wipes":</u> for body hygiene
<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>Musical Instrument</u> (portable, non-electric, and one you already know how to play!)
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Packable Camp Chair:</u> Crazy Creek style
<input type="checkbox"/> 1 pr	<u>Sunglasses</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Bandanna</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<u>Extra glasses</u>

Notes:

* Your day pack should be sturdy and large enough to contain the following items: 1) Raincoat 2) 2 Water Bottles 3) Journal & Pencil 4) Extra warm layer 5) Sunscreen & Lip Balm 6) Warm Hat 7) Sun Hat 8) Sunglasses 9) Mittens or Gloves and 10) Bandanna, with extra room left over for trail food.

The person going on the program should pack his or her clothing and equipment, so the participant knows what is packed and where to find items.

Many backpacking/mountaineering shops rent and sell some of the items on this list. We recommend the following retail stores for equipment purchase or rental: REI, Adventure-16 (A-16), Sport Chalet, Army Navy stores, Big 5 Sporting Goods, and Oshmans. Campmor.com and SierraTradingPost.com offer reasonably priced mail-order camping equipment. If you are unable to locate a store in your area which will rent or sell clothing and equipment, please contact the group leader who is coordinating the trip, or call the Boojum Institute. Boojum has sleeping bags, liners, sleeping pads, and backpacks available to rent (\$5.00 per night, pre-paid, for a sleeping system or pack). Call Boojum at least a week in advance to reserve equipment for rent. Quantities are limited.

Clothing items are designed to be layered. This allows multiple, less bulky individual clothes items to be added or removed, helping control body temperature at a comfortable level despite changes in activity level, environment and weather conditions.

This list is extensive by design. Weather in our course areas is extremely variable so it is possible that not all items will be needed on every course. However, an otherwise well-planned outdoor program can suffer from participants having inadequate clothing and equipment, or unnecessary items. If you have any questions about this list contact us and we will be happy to advise you. We're looking forward to an educational and fun time to be had by all! Thank you.

Store Order Form

Participant Name:						
Participant's School or Organization:						
<p>All of our merchandise is available online, check out our online store at http://www.boojum.org/gear/</p>						
Item	Description	Adult Size	Youth Size	Price	Quantity	Total
T-Shirts short sleeve	<i>Fine quality 100% cotton short sleeve t-shirts - logo front & back</i>	S	n/a	\$13		
		M	M	\$13		
		L	L	\$13		
		XL	n/a	\$13		
T-Shirts long sleeve	<i>Fine quality 100% cotton long sleeve t-shirts - logo front & back</i>	S	n/a	\$23		
		M	M	\$23		
		L	L	\$23		
		XL	n/a	\$23		
Hoodies	<i>Fine quality cotton-poly sweatshirt - logo front & back</i>	S	n/a	\$33		
		M	M	\$33		
		L	L	\$33		
		XL	n/a	\$33		
Water Bottle	<i>32 oz. High density wide mouth durable water bottles made by Nalgene</i>	n/a	n/a	\$10		
Keychain	<i>Green carabiner</i>	n/a	n/a	\$3		
Baseball Hats	<i>Adjustable baseball hat with black logo</i>	n/a	n/a	\$15		
Shipping Method:		Pick up at program = no fee Flat rate = 9.95				
		<i>We accept checks, Visa or Mastercard</i>				
		Total				

Card Holder's Name

Shipping Address

Credit Card Number

City

State Zip

Expiration Date

Security Code

Card Zip Code

Signature