

Wood Badge Equipment List

Sources for equipment:

- The Scout Shop and Scout catalog are sources for new equipment.
- Borrow from another Scout leader.
- eBay is a good place to look for bargains.

Personal Equipment List

- Official Scout Uniform(s) for your current Scouting position (Note: A complete uniform includes the official shirt; shorts, long pants, skirts, or culottes; socks; and belt. A neckerchief and slide will be provided.)
- Scout activity uniform(s) (Note: An activity uniform includes a Scout T-shirt or knit shirt and Scout shorts, long pants, skirts or culottes.) Scout T or Polo can be from any Scouting activity and can be any color. Note: Your course fee includes a course T-Shirt.
- Shoes or boots (suggest dark color) plus spare shoes
- Scout Cap (baseball-type, representing the Scouting program with which you are associated).
- Windbreaker or jacket
- Rain Gear (poncho or rain suit)
- Underwear and socks for a week plus extras in case of bad weather
- Handkerchiefs
- Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent (PS There are TICs)
- Tent with ground cloth (individual tent no larger than 2 person)
- Ground pad, air mattress, or cot
- Sleeping Bag
- Flashlight with spare batteries and bulb
- Scouting-legal pocketknife or multiple tool-type knife (no fixed-blade knives)
- Medication in labeled containers
- Toiletries
- Towels and washcloths
- Pens, pencils, pocket notebook
- Canteen or water bottle
- Handbook for your Scouting Program
- Backpack for carrying your gear to and from the Outdoor Experience

As you consider your clothing, please keep in mind that washing facilities at Camp Freedom are extremely limited.

Optional Items

- Pillow
- Moccasins or camp slippers
- Shower footwear
- Sunglasses
- Religious book(s)
- Camera and film
- Folding Chair or stool
- Campfire blanket
- Coffee cup
- Waterproof boots (duck boots, gortex)
- Personal mess kit
- Personal first aid kit
- Leather work gloves
- Cold weather clothing
- Small backpack for carrying your personal equipment around the camp.
- Musical instrument e.g. Block flute, guitar, penny whistle
- Scout Stave
- Your favorite Scouting, camping, or religious books.

LASTLY.... Craft materials

- Glue Stick
- Colored markers - various sizes, various colors
- Scissors
- Ruler
- Small bottle of glue
- Other craft type tools for creating a patrol project
- Colored paper
- Old Scouting Magazines that could be cut up for projects or could inspire a project.

And if you still have room... For many members of the staff, Camp Freedom is nothing new. The weather tends to be a bit quirky and it's not known as "Camp Freez 'em" for nothing. For this reason, the staff suggests

- A sheet of plastic or an old rug to put on the floor of your tent.
- Most of us will bring cot blankets.
- Most of us will place an air mattress or sleeping pad on the cot in order to make it a bit more comfortable.
- A battery lamp suitable for use in a tent would be useful.
- Most of us carry around a coffee cup and a Scout stove.
- If you wish, you may bring a lantern for use around the patrol site picnic table. Please do not bring liquid fuel lanterns.