

Emerald Bay Outdoor Academy Packing List for Students and Adults

Schools should select a colored yarn or ribbon to attach to each item of their gear for easy identification, as the boat may be shared by multiple groups.

Guests must carry their own luggage on and off the boat and several hundred yards to their sleeping accommodations. Therefore, all guests are advised to bring only what they can carry. Please mark all clothing and items with first and last names. Please pack enough clothing for the duration of the trip as laundry facilities are not available.

Note: Clothing WILL get dirty! Pack swimsuits and towel on top as all participants will need to quickly change on Day 1 for the Float Test which is during Orientation.

Please remember these mandatory items:



Backpack



Refillable Water Bottle



Notebook & Pencils



Jacket or Hoodie

Essential		Non-essential	Prohibited
Reusable Water Bottle	Sandals, water shoes, or old shoes that can get wet (no flip-flops)	Sunglasses	Knives
Shirts	Sleeping Bag or Bedding	Camera	Spear Guns
Shorts	Toiletries	Pillow	Fireworks of any kind
Long Pants	Sunscreen	Binoculars	Lighters/Matches
Long-Sleeved Shirt	Flashlight	Spending money for Ship's Store	Curling Irons / Blow Dryers
Jacket	Hat	First Aid Kit	Valuables
Sweatshirt	Backpack or Day Pack	Colored Pencils	Alcohol
Raincoat or poncho	Notebook or Journal	Lock- Combo or key	Non-Prescription Drugs
Underwear	Pens and Pencils		Water Guns
Socks	Plastic bag (to bring home wet clothes!)		Water Balloons
Bath Towel			Gum, Candy, Seeds
Swimsuit			Fishing Gear
Beach Towel			Anything prohibited at school is prohibited at Emerald Bay
Tennis or Hiking Shoes			

Emerald Bay does not assume responsibility for lost or stolen items and will adopt school policy regarding electronic devices and cell phones.

Incident Weather

While the weather on Catalina Island is usually very favorable; it is possible to have rain, wind, fog, or a combination of these conditions at any time. Please be prepared for all types of weather. All students and adults must have rain gear. If there are bad winds or sea conditions, it is possible that your boat transportation will be postponed until the conditions have improved.

Please be sure to pack a plastic bag for items that get wet from rain or water activities.