

Packing List



Reno is a very dry, "high desert" environment which is generally warm during the day (80°–100°) and cooler in the evenings (50°–70°). Some activities and fieldtrips involve 15-20 min walks around campus.

Clothing & Footwear

- Everyday wear: t-shirts, pants, shorts (school-appropriate)
- Undergarments and socks
- Evening clothing: sweatshirt, jacket
- Bedtime clothes
- Sunglasses & hat
- Athletic shoes (appropriate for walking/outdoor activities)
- Summer shoes/sandals
- Face mask (subject to change)

Dorm Necessities

- Reusable, transparent water bottle (label with name)
- Bathrobe, flip flops and/or shower shoes
- Toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, deodorant, and other toiletries
- Sunscreen and lip balm
- Prescription and over-the-counter medications, vitamins and/or supplements in original packaging with labels

Optional

- Small* backpack or purse to carry personal items
- Clothes hangers
- Spending money for gift shops, snacks, travel, etc. (\$25-\$50 recommended)*
- Themed items for spirit day
- Recreational items (books, board games, etc.)
- Camera
- Wrist watch or nightstand clock
- Extra bath towel and blanket
- Music playing device (with no capability of voice, text or internet)
- eReader (with no capability of voice, text or internet)
- Flashlight

What NOT to Bring

- Personal laptop (including iPads/tablets)
- Cell phones
- Video cameras/handheld videogames
- DVDs or players
- Musical instruments

What will be provided

- Program t-shirt
- Linen package (includes bedsheets, blanket, pillow, pillowcase, one towel and one washcloth).
- Academic session supplies (notebooks, pens, pencils, etc.)

Name It & Claim It!

We recommend labeling your participants items, especially commonly carried items like water bottles, sunglasses, hats, etc.

The easiest way for our campers to keep all their belongings is to label them – **every single item**. This includes clothes (even socks, underwear and shoes), towels, camera, and any other possessions you send to camp.



*If student is traveling by air, please keep in mind most airlines have additional fees associated with checked baggage.

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