

Michindoh Outdoor Education Cabin Leader Packing Checklist

Each Cabin Leader will be limited to 2 pieces of luggage - you are responsible for carrying these items!

Please **LABEL ALL** clothing and items!

BEDDING:

Please note: All cabins have heat and air conditioning, carpeted floors, and bunk beds with twin/queen mattresses. Bedding is best transported in a plastic garbage bag – labeled with your name & school.

- Sleeping bag (works best)
- OR
- Sheets/blankets (twin/queen size)
- Pillow
- Extra blanket for comfort
- Extra garbage bag for transporting bedding home

CLOTHING:

Please note: You and your students will be Outdoors for most activities so dressing appropriately for the weather is crucial for safety!

(If you'd like to know the weather for your week of camp, we are most accurate with Hillsdale, Michigan)

- Daily change of underwear & socks (and a few extra!)
- Pajamas
- Shirts (long & short sleeved)
- Shorts/Pants
- Sweatshirt/Jacket
- Comfortable tennis shoes (2 pair, if possible)
- Boots (1 pair, if possible)
- Rain Jacket or Poncho
- Extra garbage bag for dirty clothes

WINTER GEAR: (if necessary)

- Hat
- Gloves/Mittens (waterproof is best)
- Scarf
- Winter Coat
- Snow pants
- Insulated boots

TOILETRIES:

- Towel & washcloth
- Body soap
- Shampoo & conditioner
- Toothpaste
- Toothbrush
- Hair brush
- Deodorant

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

(Highly Recommended)

- Reusable Water Bottle
- Tumbler for Coffee (always available)
- Flashlight
- Camera (disposable work the best!)
- Sunglasses
- Ball cap or hat
- Book (to read at night)
- Journal or stationery & stamps
- Stuffed animal
- Shower shoes
- Crocs or slippers (to walk around the cabin)
- Chapstick
- Sunscreen lotion
- Insect repellent (non-aerosol)
- Drawstring backpack

MEDICATIONS:

All medications get turned in to Michindoh's Health Officers upon arriving to camp. Meds are kept and distributed by Michindoh's resident Health Officers according to information provided on your Health Form. No medications will be allowed in the cabins with students per Michigan State Law. Michindoh keeps a supply of common over the counter medications, bandaids, cough drops, etc and will distribute as needed. Sending any "first aid" supplies is not necessary.

DO NOT SEND THESE ITEMS

First Aid Kit
Knives or other weapons
Matches/Lighters
Fishing gear, hooks, etc.
Archery equipment
Candy, gum, munchies (any food)
Drugs, alcohol, vape pens

*Cell Phones and other electronics are allowed for cabin leaders, however, if electronics become a distraction we will kindly ask you to put them away. You are responsible for waking up the children in the morning so some form of alarm clock is required – cell phones are great for this!

Michindoh is not responsible for any lost, or damaged items.



REMEMBER: School Rules apply at camp. If it is not allowed at school, it is not allowed at camp.