

Yellowstone Equipment List

General Equipment

- Large Bag for personal items (will stay in vehicle)
- Day Pack (for jacket, snacks, etc.)*
- Personal toiletries including any medications you may be using
- Sleeping bag (0°F preferably) *
- Sleeping pad *
- Personal eating utensils (plate/ bowl, fork/spoon)
- Insulated mug (optional, but recommended)
- 2-3 one-liter water bottles
- Sunglasses & sunscreen
- Glasses, extra contacts, & contact solution (if applicable)
- Flashlight or headlamp *

Clothing

We prefer not to use cotton as cotton absorbs water and does not insulate you when wet as wool or synthetics do. Weather can range from summer to winter temperatures in a single day. Please dress in layers.

- Shell layer (waterproof jacket and pants or sturdy rain poncho)
- T-shirt(s)
- Long-sleeve shirt(s)
- Underwear
- Pants and/or shorts
- Shoes for walking/hiking
- Socks (wool or synthetic preferably)
- Wicking layer (long underwear top and bottom)
- Insulating layer (fleece or wool top and bottom)
- Warm gloves
- Warm hat
- Sun hat
- Swimsuit
- Towel

Optional Equipment

The following items may be nice to have, but they are not necessary.

- Camp chair
- Camera or binoculars
- Field guides (birds, wildflowers, stars, tracks, mammals, etc.)
- Handkerchief
- Pocket knife
- Reading material/journal, etc
- Quarters for showers

Group Equipment

We will provide tents (unless you prefer your own), stoves, fuel, cook set, hand sanitizer, some sunscreen and bug spray, and first aid kit.

Food

Most or all of the food will be provided. **Let your trip leader(s) know of you have any diet restrictions (allergies, religious/spiritual) or food dislikes or preferences.** You may bring your own snacks if you want to, but snacks will be provided as well.

** indicates equipment we have available for you to rent at no cost if you don't have your own.*