

What to Pack

Following is a list of supplies/clothing needed for a field trip to the Central Wisconsin Environmental Station. Please be aware that the Station is usually 5-10 degrees cooler than the surrounding towns due to winds off the lake, and most of our lessons take place completely outdoors.

Residential Programs:

- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Towel and washcloth
- Toiletries including soap
- Raincoat or poncho
- Boots for wet weather and hiking
- Comfortable, sturdy shoes
- Sweatshirt or sweater
- 2 pairs jeans or pants
- 2 pairs heavy (wool) socks
- 2 pairs light (cotton) socks
- Warm pajamas
- Jacket or windbreaker
- 2 changes of underwear
- Long-sleeved shirts
- Water bottle to carry with you

Day Programs:

- Name tag (first name on both sides)
- Sturdy shoes w/extra socks
- Jacket or sweater
- Rain gear
- Extra clothing (if weather appears cool or wet)
- Water bottle to carry with you

Winter Programs: Special note to winter groups

We find that winter groups often forget a few warm things that make their visit a lot more comfortable. Please have your son/daughter bring:

- Hat and scarf (or face mask)
- 2 pairs mittens or gloves
- Long underwear
- Heavy sweater or sweatshirt
- Extra wool socks
- Winter coat or snowmobile suit
- Warm, waterproof winter boots
- Extra wool socks

Optional

- Insect repellent
- Sunscreen
- Water bottle
- Camera
- Slippers
- Sunglasses
- Book
- Pencils and notebook

We request our guests not bring jewelry, food, candy, gum, pocket knives, toys, radios, walkmans, MP3 players, hand-held electronic games, cell phones, pagers, matches, fireworks, or non-prescription medications of any kind. *

*Prescription medication should be collected before arrival at the Station. Each item should be clearly marked in the original container with the student's name and instructions and given to the teacher.