



Scouting Colorado – National Youth Leadership Training



National Youth Leadership Training 2025 – Official Packing List

Please use this Equipment Checklist for packing essentials. Please LABEL EVERYTHING!!!

Each Scout is responsible for bringing ALL of the following items:

- o FULL BSA Uniform - leaders model the correct uniform.
- o Standard BSA Field Uniform with proper insignia (home unit preferred), official scout shorts/pants (2 pair recommended), BSA/Scout Branded Belt, and BSA Socks.
- o **Above the ankle-high top hiking boots. MANDATORY!** Waterproof is highly recommended.
- o Personal Tent (**one scout per tent**) and ground cloth – please be sure the scout has experience with set up and it is in good working condition. There is no extra gear available. **No cots or hammocks!**
- o Sleeping pad and bag, pillow. Summer temps can be cool, at least a 30-degree bag is suggested.
- o Duffle Bag/Backpack – to hold the bulk of the scouts' gear, scout may have to carry their gear to the campsite.
- o Day Pack and 10 Essentials – Scouts will always carry their Scout Basic Essentials (**excluding fire-starting materials or trail food**).
- o Compass – hint pack it somewhere accessible
- o Flashlight or headlamp (extra batteries)
- o Smaller Bag for Smellables – please label this with scouts name. It will be for the scout to store smellables (toiletries) and will be put in the bear box nightly. Labeled bags make sorting them easier.
- o Clear Water Bottle (Nalgene Style) – minimum ONE (1). **Please no camelbacks or metal bottles.**
- o **Regular Watch with Alarm** – No cell phone use – no charging areas, and limited service. Battery operated alarm clock.
- o Small Camp Chair.
- o Personal Clothing items and toiletries including shower items, towel, and shower shoes. Showers will be available to participants and will be encouraged.
- o Underwear for the week, sleeping clothes, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, shampoo, bath towel, washcloth, deodorant. The 11th point of the Scout Law applies to NYLT.
- o 1 pair of Jeans (pants you don't mind getting messed up), and work gloves for a lashing project and service project
- o Cold weather gear – sweatshirt, hat, coat – PV can get cold still during June. A Scout is Prepared.
- o **Waterproof Rain Gear** – both jacket and pants are recommended. Activities are outside, rain or shine! Be Prepared!
- o Tarp for Outpost Overnight.
- o Sunscreen: please bring enough for the whole week. Sunscreen can only be provided by NYLT if approved by parent via CampDoc. Please label it with Scouts Name.
- o **Lip Balm, Bug Spray, Hand Sanitizer are highly recommended.** CANNOT be provided by camp staff due to state regulations and CANNOT be shared by participants.
- o **Medications** – original packages, prescriptions must be current.
 - ONLY EPI-Pens and Inhalers may be carried by participants – with proper paperwork!
- o Mess Kit including plate, fork, cup. For Outpost!
- o Writing utensil (pen or pencil)

NYLT Provides the following items that will be issued at camp:

One (1) NYLT Hat, Two (2) Activity Uniform T-shirts, Songbook, and Participant Handbook. These are considered part of the NYLT Uniform and are to be worn/carried throughout the course.

DO NOT BRING: Neckerchiefs/slides, merit badge sashes, OA sashes or other items that may be lost. **The following items are prohibited: Sheath knives, hatchets, saws, fireworks, pets, electronics including Phones, iPods, or electronic games, bear spray, fire-starting devices, any tobacco, drugs, vapes or alcohol products, or any kind of food (NYLT provides all meals and snacks), bikes, skateboards or scooters.**