



## YMCA Camp Orkila Outdoor Environmental Education Packing Checklist

### A few things to consider when packing:

- Activities happen rain or shine so be sure to pack appropriately!
- Bring old clothes. New clothes get worn out quickly at camp!
- All items should be marked with students' names
- Students will need to carry their own luggage from the bus to their cabins. Please limit each student to one duffle bag or suitcase!

### Required:

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| ○ Warm Sleeping Bag or Sheets & Blankets | ○ Shorts (May-September)        |
| ○ Pillow                                 | ○ Warm jacket                   |
| ○ Pajamas                                | ○ Hat and gloves                |
| ○ Sturdy Walking Shoes (1-2 pairs)       | ○ Toothbrush and toothpaste     |
| ○ Daily change of Socks and Underwear    | ○ Soap and Shampoo              |
| ○ Shirts (both heavy and light weight)   | ○ Towel and washcloth           |
| ○ Warm Sweater or Sweatshirt             | ○ Comb or brush                 |
| ○ Long Pants (2 pairs)                   | ○ Sunscreen, lotion, Chap Stick |
| ○ Raincoat or Poncho, Rain pants         | ○ Reusable Water bottle         |
| ○ Waterproof boots/shoes                 | ○ Small backpack                |

### Recommended:

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| ○ Flashlight and batteries                                      | ○ Journal and sharpened pencils or pens                  |
| ○ Disposable camera or Point & Shoot (Label with name & school) | ○ Small comfort item such as a stuffed animal or blanket |
| ○ Books   |  |

### Please Do Not Bring:

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| ○ Money or other Valuables    | ○ Food: Peanuts/Nut Products, Candy, Gum, Soda         |
| ○ Personal Sport Equipment    | ○ Hairdryers, Curling Irons, other Electric Appliances |
| ○ Cellphones, electronics     | ○ Cosmetics, hairspray                                 |
| ○ Weapons, Matches, Fireworks |  |

The Y of Greater Seattle strives to provide an equitable experience to all participants regardless of background, experience, or financial ability. If any of the items on this list create a barrier to you or your student attending camp please reach out to the coordinating teacher at their school or Orkila's Site Director, Dylan Gonda [dgonda@seattleyymca.org](mailto:dgonda@seattleyymca.org) or 425-496-8101.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade Camp Schedule**  
**Camp Orkila, Orcas Island**  
**May 23 – May 26, 2023**

**May 22** (Monday)

**7:30 - 8:15 am**

Luggage delivered to Community Gym, **go to parking lot in back of school.** Luggage will not be allowed on school busses.

**May 23** (Tuesday)

**7:15 am**

Students arrive at Tyee and meet with cabin groups and HS counselors in Main Gym  
**Drop off in Back of School**

**7:45 am**

Students load Charter busses

**8:00 am**

Charter busses leave Tyee for Anacortes

**10:35 am**

Ferry leaves for Orcas Island

**11:45 pm**

Arrive at Orcas Island  
Take Orkila school busses to Camp Orkila

**12:15 pm**

Arrive at Camp Orkila

**May 26** (Friday)

**8:15 am**

Busses leave for ferry terminal

**8:45 am**

Ferry leaves for Anacortes

**10:10 am**

Ferry arrives at Anacortes

**12:30 - 1:00 pm**

Arrive back at Tyee  
**Pick up in Front of School, students MUST go home!**

**IMPORTANT NOTE TO ALL PARENTS.** Please try to make arrangements to carpool when delivering luggage on Monday morning and picking up students on Friday afternoon. Luggage is not allowed on school busses. Please remember the bus loading zone must remain clear in order to allow the charter busses to deliver your tired campers to school. All students will be required to go home after returning from camp and their normal school schedule will resume on Tuesday.  
**No School Monday, May 29 for Memorial Day.**