

# Walden 2026 Packing List

## Clothing

- \_\_\_ 6-8 pr shorts (**limit of 10**)
- \_\_\_ 6-8 pr of pants (jeans, sweats, leggings) (**limit of 10**)
- \_\_\_ 10 short-sleeve T-shirts, including 2-3 Walden T-shirts from Brody's or Perfect Trading (**limit of 12**)
- \_\_\_ 4 long-sleeve Ts (**limit 6**)
- \_\_\_ 4 sweatshirts (**limit of 6**)
- \_\_\_ 5 pr pajamas, 1 for cool weather (**limit of 7**)
- \_\_\_ 15 pr underwear (**limit of 20**)
- \_\_\_ 15 pr socks (**limit of 20**) (we wear closed-toed shoes after 8 p.m., which requires socks)
- \_\_\_ 4 swimsuits (**limit of 6**) Consider rash guards for sun protection (see our **swimwear policy** in the Parent Guide)
- \_\_\_ 1 rain jacket
- \_\_\_ 1 mid-weight jacket
- \_\_\_ 2 caps or hats for sun protection

## Bed and Bath

- \_\_\_ 2 washable laundry bags. (Two-week campers need one)
- \_\_\_ 1 medium mesh wash bag for socks and underwear (Two-week campers do not need this)
- \_\_\_ 4 bath towels (**limit of 6**)
- \_\_\_ 4 wash cloths / hand towels (**limit of 6**)
- \_\_\_ 4 beach towels (**limit of 6**)
- \_\_\_ 1 mattress pad (no egg crates, please)

- \_\_\_ 1-2 pillows
- \_\_\_ 2-4 pillowcases
- \_\_\_ 2 cot-sized or twin fitted sheets (either works; cot-sized fit better)
- \_\_\_ 2 cot-sized or twin flat sheets (ditto above)
- \_\_\_ 2 blankets
- \_\_\_ 1 sleeping bag (may be unzipped to use as a second blanket; campers may not sleep inside sleeping bags)

## Shoes

- \_\_\_ 1 pr water shoes / Crocs (not flip flops; shoes that will reliably stay on feet when in the water.)
- \_\_\_ 1 pr shower shoes, if desired
- \_\_\_ 2-3 pr athletic shoes and/or sturdy trail shoe for easy-to-moderate hikes.
- \_\_\_ 1 pr rainboots, if hiking shoe is not waterproof
- \_\_\_ Horseback riders: 1 pr paddock or cowboy boot. Alternately, a hard leather shoe with small heel (no tennis shoes)

## Miscellaneous

- \_\_\_ 2 medium duffel bags (no larger than 10,400 sq. in)
- \_\_\_ shampoo/conditioner
- \_\_\_ hair brush
  - \_\_\_ hair accessories
- \_\_\_ toothpaste/ tooth brush
- \_\_\_ body soap
- \_\_\_ deodorant, if needed
- \_\_\_ sunscreen \_\_\_ bug spray
- \_\_\_ bug bite relief (e.g. afterbite)

- \_\_\_ lotion
- \_\_\_ flashlight and extra batteries
- \_\_\_ reusable h2o bottle (with or w/out carbon filters for taste)
- \_\_\_ facial tissue
- \_\_\_ toiletry case/tote/dop kit
- \_\_\_ stationary/stamps (consider pre-addressing and stamping envelopes for younger campers)

## Optional Items **(\*available at camp)**

- \_\_\_ Personal music player **with no video capability**, like the Mighty (get \$15 off with the code CAMP15)
- \_\_\_ Screen-free camera (such as CampSnap)
- \_\_\_ Foldable, ground-level camp chair, e.g. a Crazy Creek
- \_\_\_ Stuffed animal, blankie, pictures from home
- \_\_\_ \*Personal sports equipment
- \_\_\_ Personal musical instrument
- \_\_\_ Dance shoes (Tap, Ballet, etc.)
- \_\_\_ \*Board games, cards
- \_\_\_ \*Books (Walden has a nice lending library, and we're also happy to order books for kids)
- \_\_\_ \*Horseback riding helmet
- \_\_\_ Riding breeches or boots
- \_\_\_ Costumes for the Halloween-themed banquet on July 17 and August 7.

**REMEMBER:**  
**NO NEEDOHS!**  
**NO FOOD!**  
**NO PHONES!**