



Year 8 Outdoor Education Kit List

Essential Gear	Available	Packed		Available	Packed
Pack/Large Bag			Sleeping bag (very warm)		
Waterproof Parka			Sleeping mat (or similar)		
Boots or Robust shoes			Toiletries & Towel		
Warm long trousers (for evening-not jeans)			Breakfast cereal (milk provided)		
Shorts (for most activities)			Drink Bottle		
Underwear and spares			Tea Towel		
Thick woollen socks x2			Plate, Mug, Cutlery		
Polypropylene shirts x2 & Bottoms x1			Day Pack		
Warm Polar fleece			Torch (plus spare batteries)		
t-shirts			Lunch (day 1 only)		
Running shoes,			Enthusiasm / sense of humour		
Woollen hat			Lots of spare plastic bags		
Sun hat					

Optional Gear					
Sun block / glasses			Camera		
Gloves			Sturdy Tent (for group of 4)		

Two of the most important items listed above are a **good sleeping bag and a good waterproof parka**. Please ensure that these are going to keep your son warm and dry.

N.B. Cotton must not be substituted as a thermal alternative - including garments such as rugby jerseys. These have no warmth value in wet / windy weather.

If you have any concerns about the kit required or any other issues please feel free to contact Mr Matt Clash by email mclash@hibs.school.nz or phone 04 528 6227.