



# GEAR UP & GET OUT!



## Camping & Hiking CHECKLIST

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Use this equipment list to help plan and prepare for a successful camping trip (even if it's in your own backyard) and enjoy some hiking and wildlife viewing in Kentucky.

### Campsite

- Tent (with tarp under and stakes)
- Sleeping bags
- Sleeping pads
- Flashlights and lanterns
- Extra batteries
- Camp chairs
- Firepit
- Matches or other firestarter
- Camp table
- Stove and fuel
- Pots and pans
- Cooking utensils
- Eating utensils
- Plates and bowls
- Mugs and cups
- Cooler and ice
- Trash and recycling bags
- Toilet paper

### Hiking Gear

- Backpack
- Compass/Maps/GPS
- Water bottle/water filter
- Trekking poles
- Trail snacks
- Field guides (wildlife and plants)
- Binoculars

### Clothing and footwear

- Hiking boots or shoes
- Socks (synthetic or wool)
- Moisture-wicking shirt
- Quick-drying pants/shorts
- Lightweight fleece or jacket
- Rainwear
- Bandanna or Buff
- Sunhat

### Safety & Other Gear

- First Aid Kit
- Knife/Pliers/Multi-tool
- Sunscreen
- Insect Repellent
- Thermacell unit
- Lip balm
- Cell Phone/Charger
- Sunglasses
- Camera
- Saw or axe

### More Fun & Games

- Bikes and helmets
- Cornhole set/yard games
- Fishing gear
- Canoes/kayaks with life jackets
- Book to read

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