Recommended Packing List

You will find a general packing list below. Please adjust clothing as needed based on the season you are visiting. For a more specific list of how to be prepared for individual classes on your schedule, visit our Class by Class Preparation page.

We recommend bringing a rolling luggage bag to make luggage transportation easier. Please limit luggage to one suitcase/duffel bag plus sleeping bag/bedding. Mark all items with student name. Only old clothes are needed; new clothes may be ruined with heavy outdoor use. Camp Jekyll is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

- Raincoat and/or rain gear
- Sweater/sweatshirt
- Jacket (including gloves, scarf, warm hat, etc. if cold)
- Combination of long sleeve/short sleeve t-shirts (at least 1 per day)
- Combination of long pants/shorts (at least 1 per day)
- Socks (3-5 pairs)
- Closed toe shoes (at least 2 pair of shoes – one to get wet, one to stay dry)
- Sandals with a heel-strap (crocs worn with heel strap are allowed). No flip-flops outside of dorms.
- Hat/cap/visor
- Pajamas
- Sleeping bag (or twin size bedding)
- Pillow
- Plastic bag for dirty clothes
- Bath and/or beach towels and washcloths
- Toiletries (hand soap, toothbrush, shampoo, deodorant, etc.)
- Roll-on or lotion insect repellent
- Sunscreen
- Lip balm/ChapStick
- Water bottle

Optional Items:

- Day pack or backpack
- Camera and/or film
- Binoculars
- Sunglasses
- Money for canteen/gift shop (~$20 in small bills)
- Pencil and paper
- Large sealable bags for collecting sea shells
- Rubber boots for marsh trip (a selection of marsh boots are available to borrow but sizes and numbers of vary greatly - adult sizes are especially limited)

Please do not bring:

- CANDY, GUM
- KNIVES
- FISHING EQUIPMENT
- FIREWORKS
- ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT
- EXPENSIVE ITEMS
- SHAVING CREAM, SILLY STRING, ETC