

## CIMI Packing List

There are many items that students will want to bring to CIMI. Some are necessary and some may just be extra baggage that they may never use. This is a camping experience and the students should pack appropriately. We advise guests to bring no more than they can comfortably carry. Guests will carry their luggage not only on and off the boat, but also several hundred yards to their sleeping accommodations. They will repeat that process on their day of departure. Unnecessary items should be left at home. Everyone's arms will get enough of a workout just from the kayaking and snorkeling!

Essential Items	Non-Essentials	Do Not Bring
Reusable Water Bottle (IMPORTANT)	Hat	Knives
Drawstring Backpack (daypack)	Sunglasses	Spearguns
Sunscreen	Camera/GoPro	Firecrackers
Sleeping Bag (or blankets)	Extra Swimsuit	Curling Irons/Straighteners
Pillow	Money for souvenirs	Valuables
Beach Towel <b>and</b> Bath Towel	Contact Lenses	Alcohol and Drugs
Flashlight	Rechargeable Battery Pack	TV's, Ipads and Speakers
Toothbrush/Toothpaste	Phone Chargers (no outlets)	Video Game Devices
Toiletries (soap, shampoo,etc...)	Insect Repellent	Water Guns and Balloons
Deodorant		Fishing Gear
Shirts and shorts (day activities)		Weapons
Jackets and Pants (for night activities)		
Underwear/socks		
Swimsuit		
Tennis shoes or hiking boots		
Sandals/Flip Flops/Slides		
Plastic bag (for wet bathing suits)		

CIMI as well as CCMS does not assume responsibility for lost/stolen items.

Please pack personal gear in a suitable and well-marked container with your name, address, and school name. Please attach your designated colored yarn to each piece and keep items separated (i.e. **do not tie sleeping bag to luggage**).

The weather on Catalina Island is usually very good, however, it is possible to have rain, wind, fog, or a combination of these conditions at anytime. Be prepared for all types of weather. All students and chaperones must have rain gear. Plastic trash bags can function as an inexpensive, although not very durable, rain poncho. Programs will occur as planned or will be altered to meet conditions. If there are bad winds, it is possible that your boat transportation will be postponed until the winds have died down.

It is prudent to pack a plastic bag for wet articles from rain or last-morning water activities.