

# FAMILY CAMPING CHECKLIST

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#### TENT KIT

- Tent of your choice
- Tent pegs
- Mallet
- Groundsheet if not included in tent
- Repair kit and duct tape
- Electric hook up cable
- Telescopic pole and windsock to help find your tent
- Lightweight gazebo or awning for shade

#### INSIDE

- Storage crates with lids: fill to pack in car and use for tent stores
- Big blue Ikea bags, ditto
- Clothes line and pegs
- Door mat and rug
- Carbon monoxide detector
- First aid kit, insect repellent, bite cream
- Small bin bags
- Loo roll and wet wipes

### CLOTHES

- Waterproofs and wellies
- Flip flops for the shower block
- Woolly hats, scarves, gloves, socks for evenings, depending on temp
- Fleeces
- Swimsuits
- Sunhats and caps
- Plastic bags for wet clothes
- Cheap cosy blankets for sitting out in evening/ extra layer on beds



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### SLEEPING

- Air mattresses and pump or
- Roll up mats
- Sleeping bags or
- Duvets and cotton duvet covers
- Pillows
- Warm pjs

#### OUTSIDE

- Folding chairs and table
- Camping light with spare gas canister
- Windbreak also useful for privacy / kitchen corner
- Insect repelling candles and windproof holders
- Outdoor toys: football, boules, cricket set etc

#### EATING

- Big flask of hot water for tea on arrival
- Water bottles and carrier unless near standpipe
- Camping stove with stand 3 rings for family who'll cook regularly
- Separate camping gas burner for drinks and snacks en route
- Matches and gas lighter
- Camping kettle
- Proper non-stick frying pan and set of camping pans
- Tea towels, scouring pads, washing up liquid, eco may be required
- Small electric fridge to run from hook up, pack with utensils in car
- Large coolbox plus spare ice blocks to re-freeze at site
- Cheap set of cutlery with jug to store
- Plastic or enamel plates, bowls, mugs
- Your cooking equipment inc: sharp knives, wooden spoon, draining spoon, peeler, tongs, can/bottle opener
- Kitchen foil, kitchen roll, kitchen spray and cloth
- Basic starter food kit: first meal for arrival plus salt, pepper, spices, flour, oil, vinegar, sugar, tea, coffee

### WASHING

- Plastic bowl to carry washing up to amenity block
- Washing powder for laundry, eco may be required
- Two sets of washing kit for His/ Her sides of shower block inc: soap, shampoo, toothbrushes and paste, deodorant, suncream
- Spare sink plug for amenity block
- Lots of lightweight travel towels
- Beach towels
- Loose change for washing tokens

#### LIVING

- Torches one each, Ikea wind-up ones are also good as nightlights
- Cards and board games eg. Scrabble
- Small backpack of toys for younger children
- Spare batteries
- Safety pins
- Backpack for walks

#### LUXURIES

- Barbecue, charcoal, lighters
- Proper mugs, plastic wine glasses
- Bikes if there's room on the car
  - Hot water bottles

NB Our camping advisors confirm this will all fit inside/ on top of an average family car with two adults and two children



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