



# Family Camping Checklist

This handy checklist includes everything you need to make your family camping trip UNBEATABLE! You can find loads more ideas on our website and blog at [www.gooutdoors.co.uk](http://www.gooutdoors.co.uk).

**Top Tip:** Tick off the items as you pack the car, that way you won't accidentally leave anything at home!

## Health and safety

- ☐ **Personal medications**  
(plus extra)
- ☐ **First Aid Kit**
- ☐ **Sun Cream**
- ☐ **Anti-Bacterial Handwash**
- ☐ **Insect Repellent**
- ☐ **Extra Batteries**
- ☐ **Pocket Knife**
- ☐ **Toilet Roll**

## Sleeping

- ☐ **Sleeping Bag**
- ☐ **Sleeping Mat / Airbed**  
Whether roll mat or double airbed, this can add comfort and extra insulation during the night
- ☐ **Camp Bed**  
Keeps you off the ground, so it feels more like home
- ☐ **Pillow**
- ☐ **Extra Clothing**  
The temperature does drop at night, layer up and you can remove layers as you get warmer during the night
- ☐ **Ear Plugs**  
Other campers can be loud; whether after you've gone to bed, or before you want to wake up

## The Tent

- ☐ **Tent**  
Always choose a larger berth than the number of people camping, this gives you extra space for luggage
- ☐ **Spare Tent Pegs**  
Nothing worse than bent tent pegs
- ☐ **Mallet**  
Ideal for knocking tent pegs into the ground
- ☐ **Lantern**
- ☐ **Duct Tape**  
For emergency repairs to poles or tent fabric
- ☐ **Brush**
- ☐ **Electric Hook Up**  
Adds electric to your tent, for the mod cons

## The Camping Kitchen

- ☐ **Water Container**  
Ideal for drinking water, or trips to the onsite tap
- ☐ **Stove / Bbq**
- ☐ **Gas / Charcoal**  
Depending on your choice of cooking appliance
- ☐ **Pots / Pans**
- ☐ **Low Wattage Appliances**  
Plug into your electric hook up for a touch of luxury
- ☐ **Kettle**
- ☐ **Utensils**
- ☐ **Tableware**  
Plates, bowls, cups etc
- ☐ **Cutlery**
- ☐ **Basin**
- ☐ **Tin Opener**  
You can just remove the extra copy for this one
- ☐ **Bottle Opener**
- ☐ **Coolbox / Coolbag**
- ☐ **Matches / Lighter**
- ☐ **Wet Wipes**

## The Campsite

- ☐ **Furniture**  
Camping chairs and tables can go a long way to creating a great social area outside the tent or in the living area
- ☐ **Portable Toilet**  
Ideal for the middle of the night, or with young children
- ☐ **Windbreak**
- ☐ **Torch / Headtorch**  
Much needed for finding the loo during the night!
- ☐ **Bin Bags**  
So you can make sure you leave nothing behind
- ☐ **String / Cord**  
Can be used for binding, or an onsite washing line

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