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Grade 8 WILD program Outdoor Equipment List

Please note: items marked with '*' is for the first week of school. Our first camp is the end of September.

Quantity	Item Description
WILD program immediate needs:	
	*Sturdy pack that can be used for school books and as a daypack for field studies (with a waist belt)
	*Sturdy hiking shoes
	*Clip board with cover (for writing during field studies – would like it to be able to “close”)
	*Rite in the Rain field journals (Ms. Pollard has some for \$8.50 each)
	*Pencils with erasers (attached to clipboard with a string)
	*Rain jacket
	*Rain pants
	rain boots/bogs (optional but they are good for wet days and if canoe trip is wet and muddy- I wear mine all the time, and bogs are great for Bamfield if we get there next Spring)
WILD clothing equipment	
	Warm winter jacket (weather proof)
	Snow pants
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3 prs	Mitts (weather proof – snow repellent)
1	Gloves (thin layer for writing when cold)
3 pr	Wool socks (very important! No cotton for day trips or camps)
	Long underwear (wool, polypro, silk, NOT COTTON)- see catalogue suggestions below
	Pants that are not cotton (softshell, polypro) – see catalogue suggestions below
	Sleeping bag (-10 rating at least)
	Sleeping pad (light weight, water-proof)
	Headlamp or flashlight
	Backpack (60 litres)- won't need a backpacking pack until May – can rent or borrow
School supplies	
Please put your name on all your gear, equipment, supplies.	* Coil graph paper notebooks X2 for Math
	* Coil Notebooks (x2)
	* Calculator – MUST have a simple or a scientific calculator – not a phone
	*Pens and pencils (2 boxes of each- put your name on them)
	* white erasers X3
	* sharpie markers X3
	* Highlighters X3
	* ruler X1
	*Scissors
	*glue stick X2
	* Big Binder or 2 smaller ones
	* portfolio folders or duotangs X3 (to put project notes and to hand-in final copy)
	* lap-top computer (each grade 8 student will need their own computer. We will be using computers the first week of school)
	*lock for your locker