SIMPLE EQUIPMENT LIST FOR WINTER TENT CAMPING

BACKPACK or large sports or duffel bag
WARM JACKET & SCARF
WINDPROOF/WATERPROOF SNOW PANTS
2 EXTRA PAIRS OF PANTS
2 WOOL SWEATERS or POLARFLEECE SWEATSHIRTS
2 LONG SLEEVE SHIRTS wool or synthetic fiber for insulating quality & quick drying
2 SETS of LONG UNDERWEAR 100% synthetic fabric, NOT "waffle pattern" cotton blend
2 extra sets of UNDERWEAR
2 extra pair HEAVY NON-COTTON HIKING SOCKS & Liners
STURDY, INSULATED WINTER BOOTS
PLASTIC BAGS newspaper or grocery bags to go under socks in case of wet leather boots
WINTER GLOVES or MITTENS including extra pairs
2 WARM HATS one for sleeping only to leave on all night
WINTER SLEEPING BAG or 2 lighter sleeping bags inside each other, or a sleeping bag and a blanke
ADDITIONAL SWEAT PANTS & SWEAT SHIRT for sleeping only
TWO CLOSED-CELL FOAM SLEEPING PADS or 2-3" of newspapers under sleeping bag
5'X7' TARP or other plastic ground sheet.
WHISTLE on neck chain
POCKET KNIFE
MESS-KIT (BOWL, CUP, FORK, SPOON, PLATE heavy-duty plastic is warmer than metal
2 ONE-QUART WATER BOTTLES, filled
FLASHLIGHT & EXTRA BATTERIES.
SMALL FIRST AID KIT
PEN, PENCIL, SMALL NOTEBOOK, BSA HANDBOOK
COMPASS with a BASEPLATE
MATCHES in a zip lock bag.
CLEAN-UP KIT small hand soap or hand sanitizer, toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, comb, hand towel
TOILET PAPER half a roll in a zip lock bag
SLIPPERS or MOCCASINS to wear inside tent or cabin

OTHER PACKING TIPS:

- Line your bag with a large trash bag if it is not waterproof. This will help keep the contents dry.
- Especially if you are still growing, look for winter clothing items at thrift stores.
- -Try on your boots ahead of time. If they are too tight, your feet will be cold due to poor circulation.
- Change all of your clothes, including long underwear when you get into your sleeping bag at night.
- Nalgene Bottles can be filled with hot water for inside sleeping bag.