

What to Bring/What Not to Bring to Camp Kelley

What to Pack Each Day

Please send your camper with a **backpack** that includes:

- **Towel, swimsuit, and a change of clothes** (we do water play and get messy!)
- **Lunchbox** with lunch and extra snacks/drinks (campers are active and always hungry!)
- **One bottle of spray sunscreen** each week – We add these to a bucket for general use
- **An extra full change of clothes** (yes — we get *really* messy sometimes!)
- **Shoes!** We highly recommend tennis shoes, Keen type shoes, or Teva type sandals. Close toed shoes are the most likely to survive Camp Kelley.

All items should fit in their **locker**, so please **no oversized bags** or coolers.

What to Leave at Home

To keep camp running smoothly and safely, please **do not send** the following:

- **Toys** or personal/favorite items (they can get lost or broken!)
- **Weapons of any kind** (real or pretend)
- **Electronics** including:
 - Tablets
 - Video games
 - Cameras
- **Cell Phones & Smart Watches**— this is a hot topic for parents and campers. **We do not allow any electronic devices during camp.** Campers will be required to keep them in their locker if they are brought to camp. Please call the YMCA, 706-543-6596, if you need to get in touch with your child. We will always get them to the phone or relay a message.
- **Water bottles** – we have water fountains and take water breaks every 10–15 minutes

- **Shoes** - No crocs, dress sandals, or flipflops. These types of shoes tend to break with all the movement involved in a camp day.

Thanks for helping us keep Camp Kelley safe, fun, and clutter-free! If you ever have a question about what's okay to bring, just ask — we're here to help.

Best,