

# Packing Guidelines

**A session-specific packing list can be found in your Alonim Account under "Forms & Documents."**

Packing correctly for camp is very important. Please download and review the packing list ASAP.

*We recommend and expect that parents and campers will be involved in packing for camp. It is important for parents to involve their children in the packing process to help them understand what they have and keep track of their belongings. It also is important for parents to take responsibility for ensuring that their children are not bringing prohibited items to camp.*

There is **limited space** for storing hanging and folded clothes in the bunks. **We strongly recommend packing a plastic storage container that will fit underneath your child's bed (i.e., no more than 12 inches high).** Please do NOT bring any plastic cubbies or drawers that would not fit easily under a camp bed.

Laundry will be provided once per session during Second and Third Session. Laundry is *not* provided during First Session, Mini Session, or Fourth Session. When campers send their clothes to the laundry, it typically takes two days before they return.

**Laundry bags and their contents should all be clearly marked with your child's name.**

## **Clothing Policies:**

- For safety reasons, closed-toe footwear is required at night. Closed-heel footwear is required at all times (i.e., sandals with straps around the ankle are fine, but flip-flops are not permitted except inside the bunk/shower).
- Long pants and sturdy closed-toe shoes are required for overnights and horseback riding.
- In order to keep the environment comfortable for campers of all ages and pluralistic backgrounds, all body parts that would be covered by a bathing suit should be covered at all times. Bare midriffs, see-through clothing, and shorts/skirts that show or come close to showing buttocks are not allowed at any time, and underwear and undergarments should not be visible. Clothing depicting vulgar or sexual language, alcohol, or drug paraphernalia is prohibited.
- If a camper is violating camp's clothing policies, he/she will be required to change into appropriate attire.

## **Prohibited Items:**

Cell phones, smartwatches, food, gum, weapons, lighters, matches, pets, alcohol, cigarettes, drugs (including cannabis in any form), drug/vaping paraphernalia, heelys, skateboards, scooters, bicycles, electronic games, stereos, iPods, computers, iPads, Kindles, and e-readers are prohibited. (iPods are only permitted for campers studying for their Bar/Bat Mitzvah, and are only allowed to be used for that purpose.) Camp is a place where your child can "unplug." Please help us create the magical camp community by leaving these prohibited items out of your child's bags!