

Hunting Gear Checklist

Clothing and Apparel

- Hunting jacket or convertible parka
- Hunting pants
- Hunting vest
- Hunting boots
- Performance base layer or long underwear
- Moisture-wicking socks
- Winter watch cap or beanie
- Hat (blaze orange, if required)
- Fingerless gloves or convertible mittens
- Camo balaclava/face mask
- Belt
- Boot gaiters
- Spare clothing

Hunting Gear

- Hunting license, tags or paperwork
- Hunting rifle, bow or other firearm
- Ammo or additional shooting supplies
- Firearm cleaning supplies
- Shooting bipod or monopod
- Binoculars or spotting scope
- Hunting knife/skinning knife
- Bone saw
- Field dressing kit with bags
- Knife sharpener
- Maps
- Compass and/or portable GPS unit
- Daypack, frame pack or lumbar pack
- Water bottle or hydration
- Blaze orange tape for route marking
- Decoys and game calls
- Scent eliminators
- Scent attractors
- Ground blind or portable tree stand
- Game carrier (sled/cart/rope)
- Coolers
- Odorless insect repellent
- Sunscreen

Overnight Gear

- Tent
- Ground cloth or tent footprint
- Sleeping bag
- Foam ground pad or inflatable pad
- Flashlight/headlamp/lantern
- Camp chair/stool/seat pad
- Water purifier/filter
- Water jug
- Meals and snacks
- Camping stove
- Mess kit/utensils/cooking supplies
- Garbage bag
- Rope or nylon webbing
- Biodegradable camp soap
- Scrubbing sponge and washcloth
- Small shovel/trowel
- Toilet paper
- Bear bag with rope or cord
- Tent/tarp patch kit
- Wood saw or hatchet

Emergency/Survival Gear

- First Aid Kit
- Emergency space blanket
- Small flashlight
- Signal mirror
- Water purification tablets
- Windproof matches
- Firesteel/flint and steel
- Fire starting supplies
- Small sewing kit
- Safety pins
- Survival knife or multi-tool
- Portable saw
- Energy bar
- Aspirin/pain reliever
- Cell phone