

PACK LIST

WHAT TO BRING



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All guests are provided a small personal dry bag for all day use on the boats along with a large 16" x 34" waterproof camp bag that will be transported and waiting for you at camp. Your camp bag will have your sleeping bag and pillow already inside, please limit your items to 40 lbs. and must fit into this bag. If an additional dry bag is needed please let us know.

MOUNTAIN RIVER OUTFITTERS PROVIDES

- Roomy all-weather tent
- 20° sleeping bag with freshly laundered liner
- Deluxe self inflating 2" sleeping pad
- Sleeping pillow
- Clean type V life jacket
- Dining tables and chairs
- Advanced wilderness first aid kits
- Plenty of ice for your beverages
- All rafting equipment, kitchen and food

YOU SHOULD BRING

T-shirts - Cotton is great for around camp or on the boats on hot days during the warmer months of July and August. Polyester or synthetic materials like Under Armour are much better for colder weather because they are fast drying and wick moisture away from the body to keep you warm. They will protect you from the sun and the cold. We recommend synthetic shirt for every 2 or 3 days and the same for cotton t-shirts around camp.

Nylon Shorts - Nylon or similar quick dry materials are lightweight, comfortable and pack easily. More than any other piece of clothing, you will wear your shorts the most. Two or three pairs are a good idea.

Swimsuits - The summer temperatures on the river will range from 75° to 100° during the day. A swimsuit will come in handy for a quick dip, for tanning, or for soaking in the river.

Raingear - Good raingear is mandatory. We experience isolated mountain showers throughout the season especially May and June. Your raingear should have jacket with hood and pants. If the temperatures drop your raingear can be worn over fleece or sweatshirt to keep you comfortable.

Fleece jackets and pants - They designed polar fleece with rafting in mind. This fabric dries quickly and stays warm when wet. Layering your clothing (swimsuit, shorts, t-shirt, fleece or fleece lined lightweight clothing and raingear) you are assured of complete comfort no matter what mother nature brings. Substitute wool sweater if you prefer.

Shoes - You will need two pairs of shoes - a pair that can get wet and another to stay dry for around camp or hiking. On the raft your feet will be wet most of the day. Either canvas tennis shoe, river sandals with secure heel, or neoprene river booties with soles work best. At camp a dry pair of tennis shoes are perfect, hiking boots are usually not necessary and can be difficult to pack unless very lightweight.

Sun Screen - The sun will be out during most of the summer months, a waterproof sunscreen is a must with a minimum SPF rating of 15 is encouraged. You will be getting splashed and will be staying cool on the water but the reflective sun off the water and all day exposure requires you to protect yourself.

Wetsocks - Water temperatures in May and June can be chilly (50 to 60 degrees) if your feet have a tendency to get cold neoprene wetsocks are a good idea.

Towel - You will need a towel for showering and to wash up around camp. You will not need it on the raft we encourage everyone to put it in there camp bag.

Flashlight - A small lightweight flashlight is good to have for night walks to the facilities or getting ready for bed.

Hats - Beanies are good for May and June, a baseball cap or large billed hat is **essential** for those sunny summer days on the raft.

Water Bottle - We will give you a river mug for beverages we serve at camp. A large water bottle with secure lid is needed for on the raft or hiking. We will have cold water to refill on the rafts and at camp.

Sunglasses - Expensive sunglasses are great but have a tendency to go to the bottom of the river unless used with a good retainer. A cheap pair for the raft is a good idea.

Toiletry Items - Feel free to bring your favorite products and soap you use at home. Our guides will instruct you on where to use them so not to pollute the pristine waters. Pack them in a zip lock bag to protect leakage into your camp bag. We will have biodegradable hand soap available and a MRO wishy washy hand wash system for use on the river.

Fishing Gear & Tackle - Fishing equipment is provided upon request, our gear is to be shared between all the guests. We encourage those avid fishermen to bring their favorite rod and reel for Small Mouth Bass and Trout fishing. Our guides will help maintain equipment and give instruction on what to use and where. All sturgeon gear is provided. (License Required)

Camera - You will want to capture your adventure, you may keep your camera in you dry bag on the raft. A zip lock bag for added security is recommended. Expensive SLR's and video equipment should be in a waterproof hard case (pelican case).

Cash is a good idea to have for fishing licenses, misc. snacks or beverages purchased on the way to the river.

Mountain River Outfitters prides itself on our outstanding crew. If you feel the service they provide has been outstanding, you may want to leave a gratuity. The standard gratuity is 10 to 15% of trip price and can be left in cash with your guide or a personal check or credit card with our office.

We have a small retail store in Riggins with t-shirts and most specialty rafting gear you may need, this can be purchased last minute or pre purchased over the phone.