Kayak Camping Checklist

Kayak Camping Gear

- ☐ Kayak
- ☐ Emergency paddle
- ☐ Bilge pump
- ☐ Dry pack/bags
- ☐ Sleeping pad
- ☐ Backpacking pillow
- ☐ Waterproof headlamp
- ☐ Lightweight Camp chair
- ☐ Spray skirt
- ☐ Sleeping bag
- ☐ Multi-purpose tent
- ☐ Repair kit

Camping Safety Gear

- ☐ Personal flotation device (PFD)
- ☐ Paddling knife
- ☐ GPS, maps, compass
- ☐ Whistle
- ☐ Bear spray (if needed)
- ☐ First aid kit
- ☐ Two-way radios
- ☐ Emergency beacons
- ☐ Cable lock & anti-theft mesh

General Camping Gear

- ☐ Lightweight Lantern
- ☐ Paracord
- ☐ Multi-tool
- ☐ Axe or hatchet
- ☐ Emergency blanket
- ☐ Small Camp Shovel
- ☐ Lighter & Matches

Cooking Supplies

- ☐ Ultralight Gas Stove
- ☐ Fuel
- ☐ Cooking kit
- ☐ Utensils & Mess kit
- ☐ Water filter
- ☐ Cutting Board
- ☐ Dish detergent and sponge
- ☐ Cooking oil
- ☐ Hand towel
- ☐ Mug/Cup
- ☐ Bear-proof food storage

Food & Beverages

- ☐ Meals (see Backpacking Food Ideas)
- ☐ Coffee/Tea
- ☐ Bottle opener
- ☐ Can opener
- ☐ Trash bags

Clothing & Footwear

- ☐ Swimwear
- ☐ Raincoat
- ☐ Underwear
- ☐ Rash guard
- ☐ Water shoes or sandals/camp shoes
- ☐ Dry suit or wet suit
- ☐ Kayak gloves
- ☐ Synthetic or wool socks
- ☐ Weather-appropriate clothing

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Entertainment

- ☐ Maps and guides
- ☐ Portable speaker
- ☐ Camera
- ☐ Cards games
- ☐ Hammock
- ☐ Bochi-ball, frisbee, football, etc.
- ☐ Drone

Toiletries

- ☐ Biodegradable soap
- ☐ Biodegradable toothpaste
- ☐ Toothbrush
- ☐ Deodorant
- ☐ Hairbrush
- ☐ Hand sanitizer
- ☐ Wet wipes
- ☐ Feminine products
- ☐ Portable shower
- ☐ Shampoo (or Dry Shampoo)
- ☐ Insect repellent
- ☐ Hand towels
- ☐ Toilet Paper
- ☐ Sunscreen
- ☐ Medications

Additional Items

- ☐ Solar power bank
- ☐ Chargers
- ☐ Backup Batteries(AA, AAA, etc.)
- ☐ Binoculars
- ☐ Bear spray (if in bear country)
- ☐ Duct tape
- ☐ [Backpack](#)
- ☐ Working gloves
- ☐ Notepad
- ☐ Umbrella
- ☐ Dust Pan & Broom
- ☐ Sunglasses & hat
- ☐ Float trip plan
- ☐ Fishing gear
- ☐ Personal ID
- ☐ A small amount of cash

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