

MINIMUM 3-SEASON EQUIPMENT LIST FOR SAR RESPONDERS

PERSONAL GEAR

REQUIRED FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL:

20-30 LITER DAY PACK
1-2 LITERS OF WATER
FOOD/SNACKS FOR 12 HOURS
HEAD LAMP WITH SPARE BATTERIES
HIKING BOOTS
SYNTHETIC PANTS OR SHORTS (NO JEANS/COTTON)
SYNTHETIC OR WOOL TOP BASE LAYER (NO COTTON)
INSULATING TOP LAYER – SOFT SHELL/FLEECE/WOOL
WATERPROOF/BREATHABLE SHELL LAYER
FLEECE/WOOL HAT (OPTIONAL MID-SUMMER OR IF INSULATING LAYER HAS A HOOD)
MICRO-SPIKES IN FALL/WINTER/SPRING
NAVIGATION DEVICE
COMMUNICATION DEVICE (PHONE/RADIO)
(ADDITIONAL LAYERS, GLOVES, INSULATED BOOTS, LARGER PACK AND SNOWSHOES IN WINTER)

RECOMMENDED:

WHISTLE
2ND LIGHTING SOURCE
FIRE STARTING KIT
REPAIR KIT (CORD, DUCT TAPE, MULTI-TOOL)
KNIFE
EYE PROTECTION
EMERGENCY SHELTER (LIGHTWEIGHT TARP OR BIVY BAG)
PERSONAL FIRST AID KIT

TEAM GEAR:

REQUIRED FOR EACH TEAM:

RADIO & SPARE BATTERY
CELL PHONE
GPS (OR PHONE MAPPING APP FOR RECORDING TRACKS & WAYPOINTS)
MAP & COMPASS
SPACE BLANKET AND/OR EXTRA CLOTHING FOR SUBJECT
FIRST AID KIT

SUGGESTED FOR EACH TEAM:

FLAGGING TAPE
INSULATED PAD
STOVE (IN COLD WEATHER)