

# Packing List for Community Service POAP

We recommend that you pack these items in a backpack or duffle bag (no hard suitcases). When you arrive you can move your things for the entire year into your permanent room. Before you leave your permanent room for your temporary housing during your service trip you should pack a separate bag. When you settle in to your temporary housing for the week, take this bag with you.

We also recommend that you only bring what you don't mind getting dirty. Some of the work will be messy and you won't have nearly the fun you should if you are worried about your clothes.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Anna Moreau in the Hobart Dean's Office:  
[POAP@hws.edu](mailto:POAP@hws.edu).

- Clothing: Clothes that you don't mind GETTING DIRTY!
  - 4 T-shirts
  - 1 fleece pullover/sweatshirt
  - 2 pairs of shorts (of appropriate length)
  - 2 pairs jeans/pants
  - 4-5 pairs of underwear
  - 4-5 pairs of socks
  - 1 or 2 shirts/jeans for evening "hang out" time
  - Pajamas
  - 1 pair of sneakers
  - 1 pair of sandals and/or light work boots (sandals for after service hours)
  - Rain jacket
- 1 bath towel, washcloth
- Bathing suit
- Toiletries (toothbrush & paste, contact solution, tampons, etc.) Keep it small!
- Extra glasses (if you wear contacts)
- Sunglasses, sunscreen, chapstick (SPF15-30)
- Any required medication
- 1 quart sized water bottle (try to avoid plastic if you can!)
- \*Work gloves/safety glasses (if you have them)
- \*Sleeping bag/sleeping pad/pillow

\*CCESL has a **small** number of these items for loan

- *Optional items*
  - Camera
  - Musical instrument
  - Lightweight brimmed hat
  - Playing cards

**NOTE: Cell phones, alcohol, and other drugs are prohibited on these trips**

*Participants on the Montezuma Trip should also bring:*

- Bug spray
- Long socks (for avoiding ticks)
- Flashlight/lantern