Chatter Matters 2024 Camp Suggested Camping List

Equipment and Necessities:
- Communication device and charging items (e.g., electrical cords)
- Specialized equipment that you use regularly (e.g., wheelchair, healthcare supplies)
- Sun screen
- Reusable water bottle
- Insect Repellent (i.e., non-aerosol)
- Medications
- Flashlight
- Notebook and writing utensils (i.e., for parents to use)
- Bedding (e.g., sheets, blankets, pillow, sleeping bag: twin XL bed)
- Bath towels

Clothing:
- Shorts and/or pants
- Short sleeve shirts that match color group
- Sweater, sweatshirt, and jacket for cooler weather
- Underwear for each day, plus extra
- Socks for each day, plus extra
- Pajamas
- Hat or visor with brim
- Two pairs of sturdy shoes (i.e., sneakers), one pair may get wet
- Rain jacket
- Paint shirt/smock

Personal Items:
- Hair brush and hair ties
- Body soap, shampoo, conditioner
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Feminine products
- Shower shoes
- Eye care needs (e.g., eyeglasses, contacts)
- Other toiletries as needed

Items Provided for You:
- All meals
- Public/shared refrigerator
- All materials for camper activities
- Color group bandana
- Camp t-shirt

Optional Items to Bring:
- Camera
- Sunglasses
- Books
- Watch
- Charging cords
- Extra batteries
- Items that comfort your child
- Diapers
- Laundry bag to keep dirty clothes separate
- Door stoppers/preferred door locks

Optional Food Items:
- Snacks to keep in your room
- Speciality food if your child has a restricted diet or preferred foods
- “Magic Bullet” or other device if your child prefers or requires chopped/pureed food for outside of regular meal times

Please leave these items at home: Any clothing or equipment advertising adult products, items of monetary or sentimental value, weapons of any kind (e.g., pocket knife, gun, etc.), alcohol and drugs. We recommend you do not bring electronic games, gaming systems, etc. Variety and University of Wisconsin-Whitewater are not responsible for loss, damage, or theft of any personal belongings. All items brought to camp are at your own risk.