



PACKING LIST

Students will be living at the Colorado Rocky Mountain School (CRMS), a boarding school in Carbondale, Colorado. In June and July, the temperature average is 45–50 degrees in the morning and 85–90 degrees in the afternoon. The elevation is 6,171 feet above sea level where the air is very dry and the UV index (from the sun) very high. Afternoon rain showers are common.

- There are washers and dryers on campus, and [HS]² will provide quarters, laundry detergent, and a quick tutorial if you're a laundry novice.
- Please label everything with your name. [HS]² is not responsible for lost or stolen items.

The following list of items to bring will help you prepare for your 5-week stay.

Clothing:

- Tops: short- and long-sleeved t-shirts, and sweatshirt
- Bottoms: shorts, long pants/jeans, pair of sweatpants (**bring one pair of pants you're ok to get dirty!**)
- Sleepwear
- Socks and underwear
- Swimsuit and cover-up/towel
- Outerwear
- Warm jacket (like fleece, for cool evenings)
- Lightweight rain jacket for hiking
- Hat (you will want it when you are in the sun and hiking)
- Set of clothes to get dirty in (for Active, etc.)
- You will have two occasions to dress up during “formal dinners” at [HS]², once at the beginning of the summer session, and once at the end. We ask students to bring one (or two nice outfits, dress, skirt, or nice pants and shirt, tie and sports coat (if you have one.) Think: dressing to go out to dinner with your grandmother for a special occasion.

Footwear:

- At least one pair of flip flops (for showers, swimming, etc.)
- Closed-toe, rugged outdoor shoes (like tennis shoes, hiking shoes, or mountain boots, for hiking, running around, soccer, getting in the mud!)
- One dressier pair of shoes for formal dinners

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Other:

- 1 mask (for travel)
- Sun protection: sunscreen, sunglasses, and a hat
- Personal care items: hair products, shampoo and bath supplies, etc.
- Laundry bag
- Backpack, or something to carry books and papers
- Spending money – please do not bring more than \$200, as there are very few opportunities to spend money. Most students only bring a small amount for buying their favorite snacks, and perhaps a souvenir.

For Travel:

We strongly recommend that students bring a cell phone and charger and debit card so that they can make phone calls in case their flights are delayed or canceled or something unexpected occurs. Students should also bring a debit card, credit card, and/or cash so that they can purchase food at the airport as needed.

Optional:

- Calculator (TI-82, 83, or 84), if you have one. [HS]² has some available for students who do not have a calculator to bring.
- Laptop computer, if you have one.

It's a good idea for students to make their own checklist of all their belongings so that they remember to bring it all back home.

[HS]² will provide:

- One bath towel and face cloth
- Bed sheets, blanket, and pillow
- 3-ring binder with dividers, lined paper and graph paper
- Pens and pencils
- Water bottle
- Vegetarian, gluten-free, or other options at all meals for those with dietary restrictions

If you have any questions, please contact:

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Please keep this form for your records.