

# BOYS STATE PACKING LIST

The following list represents the **ONLY** items needed for participation in the Boys State Program.

Wear to the program check-in khaki or blue shorts with belt, presentable t-shirt, white socks, and comfortable yet presentable sneakers. Quantities below are suggested. Shirts for wear during the days of the program are provided upon arrival.

- \_\_\_ Five pair of khaki and/or blue shorts.
- \_\_\_ Five athletic t-shirts for recreation time
- \_\_\_ Five pair of athletic shorts for recreation time
- \_\_\_ Six pair of underwear
- \_\_\_ Five pair of white socks
- \_\_\_ Belt for shorts
- \_\_\_ One pair of shower shoes
- \_\_\_ One bath towel and wash cloth
- \_\_\_ One cheap wrist watch (optional)
- \_\_\_ One roll of quarters (no additional money required)
- \_\_\_ Couple of pens
- \_\_\_ Light waterproof windbreaker
- \_\_\_ Small Desk Fan is permissible (optional), (Dorm Rooms are not air conditioned)

## For Graduation:

- \_\_\_ One pair of khaki long pants (for graduation program)
- \_\_\_ One pair of brown socks
- \_\_\_ One plain white t-shirt
- \_\_\_ One brown belt (for khaki pants)
- \_\_\_ One pair of brown shoes to go with khaki pants (for graduation program)  
(The shirt for graduation will be provided by the program)
- \_\_\_ Hygiene/Shave kit if needed (including soap & shampoo)

- If you play a musical instrument, PLEASE bring it with you along with assorted sheet music (pianos are available).
- If you have an on stage talent such as, but not limited to juggling, magic, martial arts, etc. and props are required, please bring the props with you.
- If you are in a ROTC rifle drill team, please bring your drill rifle with you (the drill rifle will be secured when not in use).
- Athletic equipment be provided – Do not bring your ball glove, swimming trunks, and walking shorts; do not bring baseball bats, lacrosse sticks, tennis racquets, or footballs

## DO NOT BRING

The following items are not required for the program and will be confiscated if brought:

ANY TYPE OF CELL PHONE, OR SMART WATCH, or any type of electronic device or equipment (computers, radios, clocks, etc) / drugs other than prescribed / any type of tobacco product or e-cigarette / food, drinks, candy, and/or gum / reading materials other than religious / knives, scissors, or multi-purpose tools / toys, games, or stuffed animals / hats / sunglasses / sports equipment other than noted above / valuable items / jewelry other than medical alert bracelet or necklace / laundry detergent. Once again, these items are NOT needed for the program.