Blanchard Springs

Equipment and Trip Information



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You need to bring:

Sleeping: All linens are provided in the lodges. Feel free to bring your own pillow.

Clothing: Comfortable shoes for walking the cave and a light jacket- the cave is 58° F year round.

Toiletries: Toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, etc.

Extras: Camera, sunscreen, insect repellent, swimsuit, spending money, etc.



What we have planned for you: On Friday, you'll head out for Pinewood Cabins. Enjoy dinner cooked by your OR leaders, followed by quality time with your peers. On Saturday, you will tour the Blanchard Springs Caverns. When you surface from the cave, you will picnic at the Blanchard Springs Recreation Center and swim in the awesome spring fed swimming area. Dinner on Saturday is going to be another delicious meal cooked by your OR leaders. Before coming back to campus on Sunday, you'll have an opportunity to play games and swim in the pool. The lodging is located within walking distance of the historic downtown area, considered to be the Folk Music Capital of the World, where you will be able to walk and explore!

Don't forget: Your trip departs at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, August 21st. Be sure to check with your leaders when you arrive to confirm your departure time.