

# Equipment List New Zealand – River Road Trip



**Air Temp** 21°C (70°F) Water Temp 17°C (63°F)

#### 2 Nights Camping – 10 Nights Hotel

## Rafting wear

- o A pair of Chacos or Keens. Trainers are also okay. Wetsuits and booties will be provided
- $\circ~$  A pair of river shorts or swimming costume.
- o Rash vest for under your flotation device
- Polypropylene or capilene thermal quick drying layers (top and bottoms) This is in addition to the set stated above.
- o A baseball cap for under the helmet to keep sun off.
- o Sunglasses and Chums for fastening your sunglasses to your head.
- o 2 x 1 litre Nalgene or similar water bottle. (Hydration is extremely important)
- $\circ$  Carabiner for fastening water bottle to your boat.

## General travel and around town

- Lightweight long trousers.
- o Shorts
- Lightweight Long Sleeved shirts.
- Tops / Tshirts
- o Fleece jacket.
- o Warm woollen hat
- Polypropylene or capilene thermal quick drying layers (top and bottoms)
- Light down jacket
- o Comfortable trainers / shoes
- Nice outfit or two for evening meals at restaurants
- Flip flops or jandals (this is the kiwi word for flip flops)
- o Good quality rainwear jacket and trousers
- o Underwear.
- We will provide excellent natural insect repellent (NZ sandflies LOVE tourists)
- o Wide brimmed sunhat
- Factor 50 sunscreen and lip balm
- o Sunglasses.
- o Travel adaptor plug for New Zealand

## **Personal items**

- o Glasses or contact lenses. Disposable lenses are ideal
- $\circ$   $\;$  Toiletries, toothpaste, biodegradable soap and shampoo
- o Forget the hairdryer, but we do suggest moisturizer
- o Hand wipes and a small bottle of hand sanitiser
- Small pack towel
- o Headlamp or head torch with spare batteries
- o Any current medication you are currently taking
- o Personal first aid kit. (your trip leader will also carry a first aid kit)

You do not need to bring tent, sleeping bags or sleeping mats We provide all personal flotation jackets, spray jackets & helmets