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Large Survival Kit

I. Signaling Group

- 1 Small Signal Mirror
- 2 Whistle
- 3 10 ft Marking tape (orange or red)

II. Emergency Devices Group

- 1 Small Compass
- 2 Medium Swiss Army knife
- 3 8 Life Raft matches & striker, or small butane lighter
- 4 BSA "flint" sparker
- 5 Tinder – 4 Cotton balls with Vaseline
- 6 Small Flashlight
- 7 Emergency blanket
- 8 Small Magnifying glass (fresnel lens, or from eyeglass repair kit)
- 9 Fishing Kit
 - Small to medium Fish Hooks 8
 - Split Shot 3
 - Snap Swivels 2
 - Monofilament Fishing Line, 18 lb.Test, 30 ft

III Water & Food group

- 1 Chlorine Water Purification Tablets 10 tablets
- 2 Gerber "Seal 'n Go" Bags with Zipper Seal for use as Water Container, holds 10 fl. oz. – 3 bags
- 3 Bouillon Packet, chicken

IV Multi-purpose group

- 1 Heavy Duty Canvas Sewing Needle
- 2 Duct Tape 6 ft
- 3 Parachute Cord, 10 ft., mil-spec, red, 550 pound test, or 25 ft. of strong 2mm rope (REI)
- 4 Heavy Duty Aluminum Foil, 15 x 15 inches
- 5 Waxed Dental Floss 36 ft.
- 6 Stainless Steel Wire 6 ft.
- 7 Safety Pin, large 4
- 8 Plastic Cable Ties, small to medium size 4
- 9 Waterproof Paper, 2 pieces
- 10 Golf Pencil, unsharpened
- 13 Heavy duty plastic bag (REI), or plastic water Proof container
- 14 Survival blanket

V Optional Items

- 1 Power bar (needs replacement before each trip)

	2	First Aid Kit (may be added to survival kit or placed in separate waterproof container)			
		Adhesive Bandages, 1 x 3 inches, 3 bandages			
		Butterfly Closure, medium, 3 closures			
		Povidone-Iodine Prep Pad, 2 pads			
		First Aid Cream with Aloe - 1/32 oz, 2 packets			
		Triple Antibiotic Ointment - 1/32 oz, 2 packets			
		Tylenol (acetaminophen) 500 mg, 2 packets of 2 pills			
		Imodium Tablets, 4 tablets			
		2 Single use eye drops, or small bottle			
		Benadryl tablets, or similar antihistamine for allergic reactions, 4 tablets			
		Personal medications for 24 hrs.			
	3	Bandana			
	4	Small carabiner			
	5	Small to medium Multitool instead of Swiss Army Knife			
	6	Wire Saw			
		Comments			
		Items such as fishing kit, tinder, and any small pieces can be wrapped in aluminum foil or placed inside a 35mm film container or pill vial			