Rangeley Maine Fly Fishing Adventure
A one-of-a-kind guided fly fishing experience in Maine’s beautiful western mountains.

Packing List & Tips

The detailed list below covers what you need to pack for your upcoming adventure trip, based on over 40 years of L.L.Bean's experience leading outdoor adventures. We look forward to exploring a variety of outdoor activities with you and sharing our love of the great outdoors.

COME AS YOU ARE
The dress code for Maine and our adventure trip is practical and casual.

LAYERS
Dressing in layers is the key to staying comfortable in the outdoors. Multiple layers allows flexibility to respond to your activity level and changing weather conditions. We can expect temperatures between 40°F and 70°F.

Your base and middle layers should include wool or synthetic clothing or a combination of both. Please avoid bringing all-cotton clothing. When wet, cotton rapidly robs the heat from your body and takes a long time to dry. Wool or synthetic fabrics are best because they don't absorb water, so you will keep you warm even if they get wet. Synthetic clothing also dries quickly.

For a top layer, we recommend waterproof/breathable rain gear. This gear will protect you from the wind and rain and help keep you dry.

LUGGAGE
This trip is supported with a 14-passenger bus. We ask that you limit yourself to two medium-sized, soft-sided travel bags plus a small day pack, if needed. We provide all necessary fly fishing equipment; however, you are welcome to bring your own gear if you prefer.

QUESTIONS
If you have any questions about this packing list, please call one of our Adventure Travel Consultants. Also, if you'd like to purchase any L.L.Bean clothing or gear for this trip, our Adventure Consultants are happy to offer suggestions for this adventure.

GEAR PROVIDED BY L.L.BEAN

- All lake paddling gear (including PFD)
- All fishing equipment (rods, reels, lines, flies, lures, etc.)
- Headlamps
- Wading staffs
- Sunscreen
- Insect repellent (with DEET)
- Group first-aid kit

PLEASE BRING

- Valid Maine fishing license*
- Rain jacket (hooded, lightweight, waterproof, breathable)
- Rain pants (lightweight, waterproof, breathable)
- Fleece jacket or wool sweater
- Long-sleeve shirt (synthetic, lightweight)
- Wicking base-layer shirts
- Underwear
- Sunhat or baseball hat
- Spare eyeglasses/contact lenses
- Sunglasses with lanyard (polarized recommended)
- Lip balm with sunscreen
- One-quart water bottle or hydration system
- Personal prescriptions such as EpiPen or inhaler
- Personal toiletries (travel size)
- Personal electronics and chargers
- Lanyard or band to prevent eyeglasses from falling into the water during on-water activities
- Small day pack
- Waders
- Wading boots - no felt bottoms, studded boots strongly recommended

Optional

- Waterproof camera
- Lip balm with sunscreen
- Fishing vest or pack
- Non-heirloom rods, reels and lines. Please call ahead if you plan to use your own equipment as it must pass inspection by L.L.Bean staff before use. If deemed unsuitable, we will provide you with the necessary equipment.

*Guests can purchase a temporary fishing license at the L.L.Bean Hunting and Fishing Store in Freeport or at Grant's Camps in Rangeley. For more information or to purchase your license online, please see: http://www.maine.gov/ifw/licenses_permits/

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