



## Caravan Packing list

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1	For the caravan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sharp knife (theirs are usually pants)</li> <li>• Washing up liquid</li> <li>• Tea towel</li> <li>• Bottle opener</li> <li>• Ice cube tray</li> <li>• Toilet roll</li> <li>• Bin bag</li> <li>• Sponge</li> <li>• Kitchen roll</li> <li>• Matches</li> <li>• For extra luxury - milk frother/coffee machine</li> <li>• Hand towel and shower floor towel (very easy to forget)</li> <li>• Laundry bag for used clothes</li> <li>• 1 x fleece blanket each for outdoor sitting</li> <li>• First aid - plasters/Calpol/neurofen</li> <li>• Electric Cool box - for transporting food to caravan and for drinks if you get a tiny fridge</li> <li>• Portable speaker</li> </ul>
2	Food (save wasting holiday time shopping)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Breakfast - croissants/cereal/toast/tea/coffee</li> <li>• Packed lunch ingredients by day - a bag of grated cheese and wraps take up little room and don't need to be pre-prepared</li> <li>• Waterbottles</li> </ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Precooked meals by night - the pans are never non-stick and cooking in a galley kitchen is no one's idea of holiday fun</li> <li>• Disposable BBQ, foil and tongs (forks just give your food to the sand)</li> <li>• Plastic mugs for beach drinking</li> <li>• Fruit and Snax - oat bars are good as don't melt/go off and are quite filling</li> <li>• Chocolate/crisps and booze - can you ever have enough?</li> </ul> <p>There will be a shop for top ups but they are pricey, have limited stock, may be closed at crucial times and the fewer trips the better.</p>
3	For the beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 towels each (they never dry in time)</li> <li>• Bucket/spade</li> <li>• Wetsuits</li> <li>• Bodyboards</li> <li>• Rash vest</li> <li>• Body board - handy as a float even if no waves</li> <li>• Body board carry bag - we can fit at least 3 in ours so more hands free</li> <li>• Dry bag (so your back doesn't get wet carrying the wet kit to the caravan)</li> <li>• Optional Inflatable dingy and electric pump (with new batteries)</li> <li>• Camping chairs (so you can sit outside caravan if weather nice)</li> <li>• Waterproof picnic rug (sand/ grass more often than not wet)</li> <li>• Lightweight windbreak</li> <li>• Water guns/bat/ball</li> <li>• Sun tan lotion (we lost a day at Easter to unexpected face burn)</li> <li>• Portable phone charger for so you can still take pictures after you've used the phone on Google Maps all day</li> </ul>

4	Clothes	<p>Think layers when packing the usual plus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Waterproofs with hoods - and trousers if you have them</li><li>• Wellies - for beach walks on wetter days</li><li>• Fleece/hat/scarf for night time outdoor sitting</li><li>• Spare set in case one set gets wet (it will)</li><li>• Pj's (top and bottoms - it can be cold)</li><li>• 2 x swimmers in case they are not dry in time</li><li>• Goggles</li><li>• Face masks (always nearly forget these!)</li></ul>
5	Cash	<p>Caravan sites sometimes do have not ATM's or have ones that charge. Cards are not always taken in smaller seaside places.</p>



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