BERRY ISLANDS, BAHAMAS · SUMMER 2027

Packing list

June 25th to July 1st · High School Boys

Sunscreen and lip balm should be chemical-free and reef-safe.

Brand names link to gear from companies Fish for Change works with: click them in the PDF to shop. The Stream2Sea link is an affiliate link, so Fish for Change earns a small commission when you buy through it.

Essentials

- [ ] Passport, and a copy of it
- [ ] Important numbers: the lodge's direct line and your emergency contact
- [ ] Flight itinerary
- [ ] Cash, about $200
- [ ] Any medication you need
- [ ] Journal, for the evening writing prompts
- [ ] Camera or phone camera
- [ ] Waterproof backpack or boat bag — Fishpond
- [ ] Water bottle — Yeti
- [ ] Toiletries, reef-safe sunblock and lip balm — Stream2Sea
- [ ] Bug repellent — Stream2Sea
- [ ] Snorkel and mask
- [ ] Speaker — Turtlebox

Clothing

- [ ] UPF long pants and shorts — Duck Camp
- [ ] UPF long-sleeve fishing shirts — Duck Camp
- [ ] Swimwear
- [ ] Hat — Duck Camp
- [ ] Lightweight rain gear
- [ ] Buff and sun gloves
- [ ] Comfy clothes for after fishing
- [ ] Socks and underwear
- [ ] Sandals and tennis shoes
- [ ] Wading boots
- [ ] Two pairs of polarized sunglasses

Fishing

- [ ] 8 weight for bonefish — Orvis
- [ ] 9 weight for windy days — Orvis
- [ ] 10 weight for permit and barracuda — Orvis
- [ ] Saltwater reels with backing — Orvis
- [ ] Floating tropical flats or bonefish lines to match the rods — Scientific Anglers
- [ ] Tippet, 12 and 16 lb — Scientific Anglers
- [ ] Bonefish and permit leaders, barracuda leaders — Scientific Anglers
- [ ] Hemostats or pliers, and nippers
- [ ] Fly box
- [ ] Flies: EP Spawning Shrimp #2 to #8, Craven's Bonefish Junk #4 to #8, Mantis Shrimp #4 to #6, Gotcha #2 to #8, Flexo Crab #2 to #4, Strong Arm Merkin #2 to #4, Casa Blanca Crab #2 to #4, a barracuda needlefish fly — EP Flies

Want to support an alum? Ask us and we'll point you to a former student who ties flies for trips.