

7 -day Sea Kayak Expedition Course Gear List

Things to wear or put into your day pack for during the days

Water shoes/Sandals (Shoes that can get wet)	Sun Hat/Sunscreen/lip balm
Splash jacket (<i>A rain jacket works just fine for this</i>).	Dry bag/s
3 - 5 x Thermals/Marino Base Layers (Top and bottoms)	Water bottle (1-2 Litres)
2 - 3 x Warm layer (Fleece/woollen jumper) that can get wet	cord or Sunglasses (with
Shorts	Croakies)
Warm dry clothes to change into at the end of the day	Towel
Thermos with a hot drink/soup (if you have one)	
Warm top/jacket (down, synthetic or wool jackets are great)	Extra snacks & lunch

Please note: Togs keep you quite cold when in a sea kayak so we don't recommend wearing togs/rash vests while on/in the water.

You will only require one set of merinos and fleece each day, we have suggested the total amount above that you may like to have for the whole course.

Stuff for at the cabins (can be packed in separate bag left in car/accommodation)

1x Sleeping Bag & pillow	1x Towel & toiletries
Clothes (something comfortable and warm for at the cabins)	
1 x bedroll mat for overnight expeditions (OENZ can supply if you don't have one)	

Stuff provided by OENZ unless you can provide your own

Single sea kayaks (double sea kayaks on request)	Paddle
PFD	Spray skirt
Bilge pump	Paddle float

We have a limited supply of dry bags available to borrow

(Note: OENZ will supply tents, cookers, and gas for the overnight expedition).

Accommodation: Shared cabins accommodation at several different locations. All locations are 30 minutes' drive from each other on Banks Peninsula.

Food: Kitchen facility at accommodation are shared and include fridges and ovens.

7 x Lunch

6 x Breakfast

7 x Snacks

Tea, Coffee, etc. (OENZ supplies basic tea and coffee)

6 x dinners

Note: Accommodation varies in terms of food supply and there are no shops on site. A van is available for you to access the Governors Bay pub 5 minutes' drive away and Akaroa has a township 10 minutes away from accommodation, with small supermarket, restaurants, and bars. Please note that dietary requirements cannot always be met so please check menus online.

1 x easy to make dinner as a possible overnight expedition is an option.

The goal is to camp out on the final night; however, this is dependent on the weather, sea state, and group ability. The instructor on the day will make the decision on whether the conditions are suitable for the expedition to run. Therefore, the expedition is an option not a guarantee.