

Luggage Information

We recommend large duffel-style bags for campers' luggage.

Choose one of three transportation options to get to and from camp;

- 1. Camp Kawaga's Luggage Service**
- 2. ShipCamps**
- 3. FedEx/UPS**

Once you have identified which way your camper's luggage will get to and from camp, please confirm your arrangements by completing and submitting the Transportation and Luggage Form by **May 1st**.

Please note, Camp Laundry is no longer an available option. As a result, we will be offering an in-house transportation service instead - more details are below.

1. Camp Kawaga Luggage Service

Kawaga utilizes a convenient, in-house service for transporting campers' bags to and from camp. For a fee of \$150 for one-way service or \$300 for a round trip, we will transport two duffel bags and a personal item (e.g., a hockey stick) per camper. To use this service, **parents must drop off** their child's bags at the Embassy Suites - 1445 Lake Cook Rd, Deerfield, IL 60015 at the required time.

- First Session Drop-Off: Saturday, June 10th between 10am and noon
- Second Session Drop-Off: Saturday, July 15th at 10:00am

On the return trip, bags will be delivered to the camper bus pick-up location (Embassy Suites in Deerfield) one hour before the campers' arrival. This service allows parents and campers to travel without worrying about heavy bags and logistics, ensuring a smooth and enjoyable camp experience. All charges will be added to your final invoice which includes incidentals in August 2023.

2. ShipCamps

How Ship Camps Works

At Ship Camps, we make getting your child's luggage, boxes, and trunks to camp easier than it's ever been - allowing your child to travel hassle-free to camp every summer.



1. Book

Getting started is simple. Schedule your child's shipment online or over the phone and start shipping to camp!



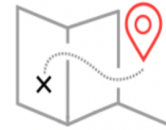
2. Ship

Pack and securely attach your provided shipping label to your child's camping gear. We'll pick up your bags or you can drop them off.



3. Travel

Skip the airport hassle and save time as you bypass bag check and baggage claim. Track your child's bags every step of the way.



4. Camp!

Your child will arrive at camp to find their gear already there! Time to get settled in and start making memories.

- Prices will vary depending on location, number of bags, size, and weight of bags
- ShipCamps information will need to be provided 2 weeks prior to the start date of your camper's session
- **Sign up for ShipCamps [here!](#)**

3. FedEx/UPS

For families who prefer to ship their bags to and from camp independently, Camp Kawaga allows the use of third-party shipping services such as FedEx or UPS. However, parents are required to arrange and pay for the shipping independently. To ensure the smooth delivery of their bags to camp, you must share all shipping information with parents@kawaga.com **at least 2 weeks in advance of the start date of your son's session.** If campers wish to use this service for their return home, they must also provide the necessary return shipping labels to Camp. Upon the conclusion of the camping session, the camp staff will attach the shipping labels to the camper's bags and oversee the pickup process. Kawaga cannot guarantee the on-time arrival of campers' luggage shipped through any third-party shipping provider.