

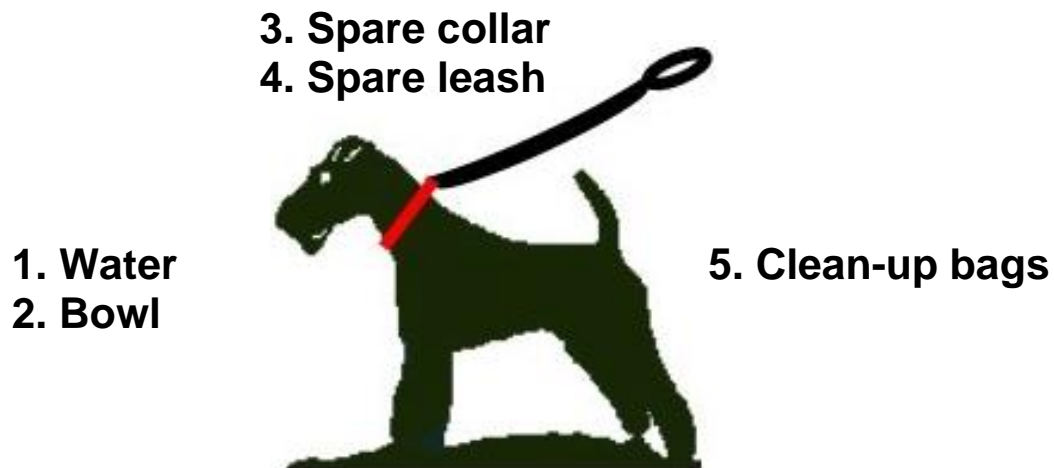


Dog Scouts of America
Required Items for Backpacking

**Backpacking &
Overnight Camping**

FF MICKS – AN EASY WAY TO REMEMBER REQUIRED ITEMS:

For the Backpacking badge the handler must recite the items required to be carried in the dog's pack without the benefit of a list or looking in the backpack. Though handlers may use any method for remembering these items, the FF MICKS is an acronym that can help in committing these items to memory.



FF MICK:

6. **F**lashlight
7. **F**irst Aid Kit
8. **M**atches
9. **I**dentification (owner's)
10. **C**ompass
11. **K**nife
12. **S**ignaling Device (mirror, whistle, cell phone)