

# Prepare for the storm!



It is a good idea to pack an emergency backpack when the weather is still nice and you are not in a hurry. Here are some things you should have packed to be ready for a storm!

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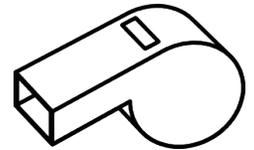
Sturdy shoes will protect your feet from things that may break in the storm and be sharp on the ground.

Wear a bike or football helmet to protect your head from being hurt by things blowing in the storm.



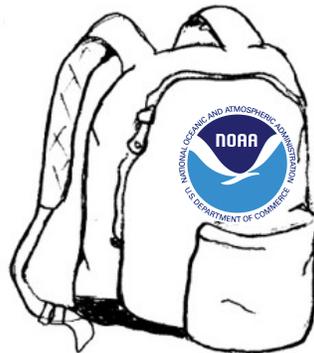
A sweatshirt or jacket will keep you warm at night if you don't have a blanket.

If you need help, you can blow a whistle so people can find you.



It is easy to get thirsty in a storm. Make sure you have extra water!

A flashlight will give you light if the power goes out.



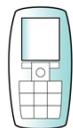
Sometimes storms last a long time, so it is good to have extra snacks to keep your tummy happy.

Band-aids will cover up small cuts if you get hurt.



It's okay to keep a friend with you if you are scared.

You can use a cell phone to call for help.



You can listen to a radio to learn about what people are doing to help you.

Pack extra batteries and a cell phone charger to keep your radio, flashlight, and phone working.



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Color the things you will need to pack in your emergency backpack to be ready for a storm.

