

Fossil Hunting Equipment List

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| Fossil Extraction | |
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| Primary – Take Onsite | Secondary – If Necessary |
| Rock hammers – pointed tip Rock hammers – chisel tip 2 lb mini-sledge Standard size chisels Thin steel rock splitting chisels Brushes – plastic, steel Daypack or riggers bag Round canvas bag | 3 lb cross pein hammer Flat pry bar Estwing Paleo Pick T-type wrecking bar Folding shovel Dental picks Multipurpose tool Trowel |
| Preparation/Packing | |
| Take Onsite | Keep at Vehicle |
| Hand Towel 10' Parachute cord Black Sharpie pens Paper towels, aluminum foil (<i>if appropriate</i>) Superglue (<i>if appropriate</i>) | Newspapers Bubble wrap Empty takeout food containers Cardboard boxes (collapsed) Clear Packing tape, duct tape |
| Inspection/Documentation | |
| Take Onsite | Keep at Vehicle |
| Notebook/Pen Camera (or smartphone with camera) Scale ruler Magnifying lens Handheld GPS (or smartphone with GPS app) Compass Green garden tape | Portable microscope Flashlight |
| Personal Protection | |
| Take Onsite | Advance Preparation or Keep at Vehicle |
| Gloves Knee pads Safety glasses Water Snacks First aid kit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Band aids – various sizes - Neosporin - Butterfly closures - Tweezers/tick removal tool | Sunscreen Long sleeve shirts Hat Insect repellent Emergency poncho Emergency blanket Wet wipes – individually packaged Large towel |