

# Search and screening

## List of prohibited articles for Park visits

Visitors are not permitted to carry any of the following articles into security restricted areas or onto the Park:

**a) Guns, firearms and other devices that discharge projectiles**

Devices capable, or appearing capable, of being used to cause serious injury by discharging a projectile, including:

- Firearms of all types, such as pistols, revolvers, rifles, shotguns
- Toy guns, replicas and imitation firearms capable of being mistaken for real weapons
- Component parts of firearms, excluding telescopic sights
- Compressed air and CO<sub>2</sub> guns, such as pistols, pellet guns, rifles and ball bearing guns
- Signal flare pistols and starter pistols
- Bows, cross bows and arrows
- Harpoon guns and spear guns
- Slingshots and catapults

**b) Stunning devices**

Devices designed specifically to stun or immobilise, including:

- Devices for shocking, such as stun guns, tasers and stun batons
- Animal stunners and animal killers
- Disabling and incapacitating chemicals, gases and sprays such as mace, peppersprays, capsicum sprays, tear gas, acid sprays and animal repellent sprays

**c) Objects with a sharp point or sharp edge**  
Objects with a sharp point or sharp edge capable of being used to cause serious injury, including:

- Items designed for chopping, such as axes, hatchets and cleavers
- Ice axes and ice picks
- Razor blades
- Box cutters
- Knives
- Scissors
- Martial arts equipment with a sharp point or sharp edge
- Swords and sabres

**d) Workmen's tools**

Tools capable of being used either to cause serious injury or to threaten the safety and security of the Olympic Park infrastructure and/or personnel, including:

- Crowbars
- Drills and drill bits, including cordless portable power drills
- Tools with a blade or a shaft of more than 6 centimetres, capable of use as a weapon, such as screwdrivers and chisels
- Saws, including cordless portable power saws
- Blowtorches
- Bolt guns and nail guns

**e) Blunt instruments**

Objects capable of being used to cause serious injury when used to hit, including:

- Baseball and softball bats
- Clubs and batons, such as billy clubs, blackjacks and night sticks
- Martial arts equipment

**f) Explosives and incendiary substances and devices**

Explosives and incendiary substances and devices capable, or appearing capable, of being used to cause serious injury or to pose a threat to the safety and security of the Park infrastructure and/or personnel, including:

- Ammunition
- Blasting caps
- Detonators and fuses
- Replica or imitation explosive devices
- Mines, grenades and other explosive military stores
- Fireworks and other pyrotechnics
- Smoke-generating canisters and smoke-generating cartridges
- Dynamite, gunpowder and plastic explosives

**g) Illegal substances such as non-medically prescribed drugs**

Any members of the public attempting to violate these security requirements will be denied access to the Park and the police may be informed.

**h) Alcohol**

No bottles, cans or any other alcohol containers will be permitted, whether sealed or not.