

■ Minimalist Gold Panning Kit

If you want to keep things light and simple for a quick day trip, this minimalist gold panning kit checklist covers only the essentials you'll need to get started without carrying too much gear.

■ Essential Tools

- 1 medium-size gold pan
- Snuffer bottle
- Classifier (optional, but useful)
- Small trowel or folding shovel
- Tweezers
- 1–2 small vials for gold

■ Safety & Basics

- Gloves
- Sunglasses and hat
- Sunscreen
- Bug spray
- Basic first aid kit

■ Food & Water

- Water bottle
- Light snacks (granola bar, jerky, trail mix)

■ Clothing

- Quick-dry clothing
- Extra socks
- Water shoes or boots

■ This minimalist kit is perfect for quick gold panning day trips—light, portable, and effective!

