# Pack a Northern Lights Backpack

Imagine you are going outside to watch the northern lights. Pack a backpack to take with you!



#### **Materials Needed:**

Backpack and items printables (or draw your own), construction paper, pencil, crayons or markers, scissors, stapler.

#### **Instructions:**

**Step 1:** Imagine you are going outside to watch the northern lights. Are you going in summer or winter? Will you be far from your home, or close by? How long will you be gone? Think about what items to bring with you.

**Step 2:** Color and cut out the backpack template.

**Step 3:** Put the backpack cutout on the construction paper, and trace around it. Cut out the construction paper, so that it is the same shape as the backpack.



**Step 4:** Staple the two papers together on the sides and bottom. Make sure to leave the top open!

**Step 5:** Choose which items to pack. Color and cut them out. You can pick as many as you want, or use blank paper to draw other items.

**Step 6:** Put your items in the backpack! You are ready for your adventure.



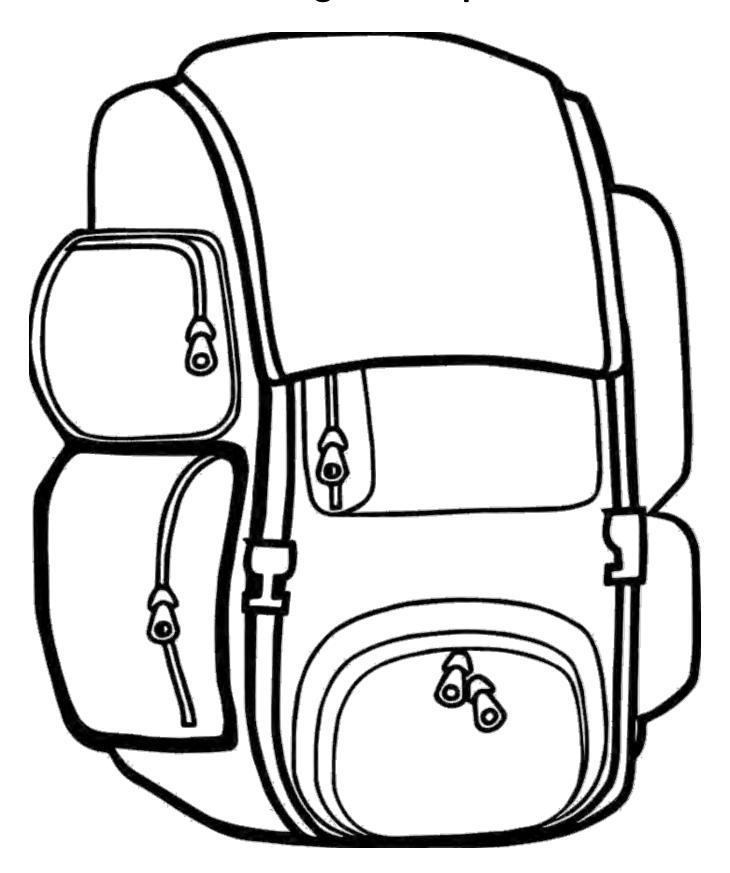




**Extension:** Go on a scavenger hunt around your home. Find items you would take to watch the northern lights. Try to fit them into a real backpack!



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Note: Images are not to scale.

