

## Avalanche and Backcountry Skill Courses Equipment List

Sawtooth Mountain Guides partners with Mammut for technical outerwear and equipment. We also partner with Backwoods Mountain Sports in Ketchum. Click on the logos for the company websites or on the links below for specific products.



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### Avalanche Safety

- [Avalanche transceiver](#) (modern, 3 antenna with fresh batteries)
- [Metal avalanche shovel](#)
- [Avalanche probe](#)
- Download [AVENZA](#) mapping app on cell phone

#### **Required for Level 1 & Level 2 Courses**

- Inclinator (can be an app on your phone)
- Compass (can be an app on your phone)

#### **Required for Level 2 Courses**

- Snow saw
- Snow study kit (thermometer, crystal card, magnifying lens, ruler)

+ SMG can provide avalanche safety equipment in some circumstances. If renting skis, please choose a package that includes avalanche safety equipment (transceiver, shovel, probe and backpack). Feel free to reach out to us with questions.

### Skiing/Snowboarding Equipment

- [Daypack \(25-30L\)](#)
- Alpine touring or telemark ski equipment, or
- Splitboard
- Climbing skins - Must cover full width of ski base
- Poles (collapsible for splitboarders)
- Goggles
- Helmet\*
- Repair kit or spare binding parts\*

### Recommended Clothing

- Hardshell, waterproof jacket, such as Mammut Haldigrat Air HS Jacket
- Softshell jacket, such as Mammut Ultimate VII SO Hooded Jacket\*
- Hard or soft shell pants, such as Mammut Taiss Pro SS Pants
- Down or synthetic insulated jacket, such as Mammut Broad Peak IN Hooded Jacket
- Synthetic/wool long underwear top
- Synthetic/wool long underwear bottoms
- Light fleece
- Warm, waterproof gloves or mittens
- Lightweight gloves for hiking
- Warm hat
- Brimmed hat or visor
- Neck gaiter or Buff

### Miscellaneous

- Water bottle 1-2 liters
- Lunch & snacks
- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- Notebook & pencil
- Small first aid kit\*
- Pocket knife or multi tool
- Cell phone

\*Denotes optional gear

