

# Gear Checklist for Small Gigs

## Information

- Emergency contact number
- Directions

## Instrument(s) and Sound Equipment

- Guitar(s) and other instruments if any
- Amp
- Vocal microphone **(plus a backup microphone)**
- Mixer (if needed)
- Speakers (if needed)
- Speaker stands (if needed)
- Mic stand(s)
- Pedals/pedal board
- DI Box if playing through a sound system

## Cables

- Power strips **(more than you think you'll need)**
- Standard instrument cables **(pack at least two extra)**
- Microphone cables (XLR) **(pack at least two extra)**
- Power supply cables for Amps, Mixers, and Speakers **(pack at least two extra)**
- Extra long extension cable for outdoor gigs
- Extra patch cables for guitar pedals
- Power supply for pedal board
- Phone charger

## Music

- Notebook or tablet – wherever you store your music.
- Charger for iPad or tablet
- Set list

## Accessories

- Tip jar
- Guitar stand(s)
- Folding chair or stool
- Music stand
- Emergency toolkit (screwdriver, peg winder, wire cutter, etc.)
- Small flashlight
- Nail file if you are a fingerstyle player
- Extra guitar strings
- Tuner
- Picks
- Capo
- Pencil
- Wind clips if playing outdoors with music on paper
- Duct tape
- Extra batteries
- Stand light
- Ear plugs
- Business cards