**SURVIVE THIS LIST OF ITEMS**

*You and your classmates have been traveling together for weeks when you find yourselves approaching a mountaintop. The area is remote, and there are no homes or structures nearby. The weather is taking a turn for the worse, and snow begins to fall. You are dressed lightly and find yourselves getting cold. After much discussion, you decide to continue up the mountain, taking a direct route to the nearest town. You expect that it will take at least five days to reach civilization. You have an assortment of provisions, but the rugged trip means you’ll need to choose only seven items to take with you. You must choose from the items in the list that follows (sets of items may not be divided). As a group, you must discuss the merits of each item and ease with which the items can be transported, and then decide which items to take with you. You will present your decision the next class period. Be prepared to defend your selections.*

**1 BAG OF CHARCOAL**

**12 UNOPENED BOTTLES OF WATER**

**1 TWO-PERSON TENT**

**1 BUCKET**

**1 FLASHLIGHT, WITH UNKNOWN BATTERY LIFE**

**1 FLARE GUN WITH 6 FLARES**

**3 CANS OF CHILI**

**1 BRIEFCASE, FILLED WITH PAPER, 3 PENS, 1 CALCULATOR, 1 TUBE OF LIPSTICK, and 1 SMALL MIRROR**