

# Equipment and tools to start out in blacksmithing

## Safety and clothing:

- Leather Apron
- Leather Gloves
- Safety Glasses
- Good Pair of Boots
- Fire Extinguisher

### Forge tools and accessories:

- Forge with blower
- Anvil on a stand preferably wooden stand
- 3 metal buckets water quench, ash receptacle, sand
- Coal raking tool to manipulate coals and fire

#### Hand tools:

- 3 pound cross-pein hammer
- 2 pound cross-pein hammer
- Wolf jaw tongs

#### Really good to have or get these soon

- Hardy cut off tool
- Several large Bastard files
- Belt sander
- Grinding wheel
- Bench grinder

#### Steel for forging practice and your first projects:

- Railroad spikes
- Rebar
- Some 01 steel if you want to make a really good knife

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