

Packing Check List

Not everything listed below will apply to YOUR specific trip.

Pack what is necessary & repeat clothes -- IT'S OK -- no one is going to report you to *wardrobe police*.

Airlines: Charge for check-in luggage. Check your specific airline policy (which constantly change).

Currently, each piece of check-in luggage cannot weigh more than 50 lbs.

Cruise lines: Allow 200 lbs. - remember you'll have to handle the luggage at times so don't overdo.

If we've missed something that should be included, let us know and we'll gladly update this list.



Documents:

- Airline tickets
- Vacation package vouchers
- Travelers Checks
- Foreign currency
- Notarized letter from parents for minors traveling without them
- Visa (not the credit card)
- Cruise tickets
- Reservation confirmation(s) -- i.e. hotel, car
- Credit cards (take at least 2)
- ATM card
- Government issued photo ID
- Vaccination certificate (Africa, Asia, S America)

As of 6/1/09, U.S. citizens must have one of the following citizenship documentation:

- Passport (for ALL international travel involving air travel & cruises)
- Passport Card (good for Caribbean cruises **BUT NOT** valid for international flights -- including Canada & Mexico)

General Items:

- First Aid supplies
- Camera & lots of film or extra memory stick
- Travel alarm(although most places have alarms, it's good to have a back-up)
- Addresses of friends/family if you plan to send post cards
- Deodorant
- Sewing kit
- Plastic bags (i.e. ziploc)
- Toothbrush & paste
- Spot remover (baby powder is great on grease spots)
- Phone calling cards
- Robes
- Underwear
- Water shoes & beach flip-flops
- Windbreaker or lightweight jacket
- Swimsuit (several)
- Handkerchiefs
- Shorts
- Medicines and prescriptions (duplicates)
- Extra camera battery and/or battery charger
- Adapter & converter (not needed on cruises)
- Reading material
- Wash cloth (especially if traveling outside the U.S.)
- Safety pins
- Suntan lotion
- Glasses (regular and sunglasses)
- Pen, paper, addresses & return address labels
- Umbrella and/or raincoats
- Pajamas/Lingerie
- Slippers
- Shoes (dress & tennis) & socks
- Hat or cap (sun protection)
- Beach cover-up
- Belts
- Slacks (dress, dockers-like and jeans)

"His" Items:

- Shaving supplies
- Shirts (dress & knit)
- Suit (if needed)
- Cuff links
- Tie and tie clasp
- Money belt

"Her" Items:

- Cosmetics
- Purse and/or fannypack
- Dresses (casual & dressy)
- Nylons
- Jewelry (**NOT** your good stuff)
- Blouses/sweaters
- Suit (if needed)
- Shower Cap