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TRAVEL PACKING CHECKLIST



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DOCUMENTS	CLOTHING	ELECTRONICS
Passport/ID Boarding Pass Visa Driver's Liscence Health Insurance Cards & Cash Student ID for discount	Shirts/tops Pants/skirts/dresses Underwear/bras Socks Jacket/Coat/Raincoat Comfortable shoes	Phone & charger Camera & charger Laptop & charger Travel adapter Power bank Headphones
TOILETRIES & HEALTH Deodorant Shower gel Toothpaste Conditioner Hairbrush/Comb Sunscreen Deodorant Razor/Shaving supplies Medications/Prescriptions		
MISCELLANEO	US	PTIONAL
Contact lens Wet wipes	leep Mask Sunglass Journal Umbrella Flashligh Extra ba	a

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STUDY ABROAD TRAVEL TIPS



DOCUMENTS

- Take photos of your passport, health insurance card, credit cards, and other important documents.
- Print two copies of your important documents give one copy to a trusted family member or friend at home, and put one copy in your carry-on luggage.

MONEY

- Inform your bank and credit card companies of your travel abroad.
- Learn about maximum withdrawal amounts, exchange rates, and transaction fees for international use.
- Determine when you with exchange money for local currently in your host county (before departure, or upon arrival)

HEALTH & SAFETY

- Review your international health insurance coverage and instructions for use abroad
- Research the local emergency number in your study abroad location.
- Stay current on your health immunizations.
- Discuss your medical conditions with your doctor before travel.
- For any prescriptions, request a note from your doctor to take with you.
- Bring enough medication for the duration of your program.

COMMUNICATION

- Determine communication plan with family and friends. How often will you contact each other?
- While in flight, turn off data usage and preserve your battery life.
- Use free airport wifi when available, if needed.
- Download a free communication app, such as Whatsapp, to use while abroad.
- Consider purchasing a SIM card for local phone use during your program. These can usually be purchased at airports or at phone stores.

AIRPORT & TRAVEL

- When booking your flight, try to keep layover to two or less, and verify that you have at least 2 hours to make your connecting flight.
- Do not carry liquids over 3.4 ounces on the plane; place them in a 1 quart clear ziploc bag.
- Review airline baggage restrictions, fees, and weight/size requirements.
- Wear socks with shoes as you will remove shoes during security checks.
- Take a sweater or hoodie for comfort on the plane as it can get cold during flight.
- Arrive to the airport 3 hours prior to your flight departure as the process can take time to check-in to your airline's desk, go through security, and travel to your terminal.
- While traveling via airplane, bus, train, or taxi, stay alert, secure your bags, and download a local transportation app if available.
- Public transport is usually less expensive, so research your options for traveling during your program.