

Rick Steves® **PACKING LIST**

Whether you're traveling for five days or five weeks, here's what you'll need to bring. Remember to pack light to enjoy the sweet freedom of true mobility. Happy travels!

CLOTHING

- Shirts (up to 5, long- & short-sleeve)
- Pants/skirts (2)
- Shorts (1)
- Underwear & socks (5)
- Walking shoes (1)
- Sweater or warm layer
- Rainproof jacket with hood
- Tie, scarf, belt, and/or hat
- Swimsuit
- Sleepwear/loungewear

DOCUMENTS, MONEY & TRAVEL INFO

- Money belt
- Debit card(s)
- Credit card(s)
- Hard cash (\$100-200)
- Passport
- Driver's license, student ID, hostel card, etc.
- Photocopies of important documents
- Tickets & confirmations: flights, hotels, trains, car rental, sight entries
- Guidebooks
- Notepad & pen
- Journal
- Day pack

TOILETRIES

- Basics: soap, shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, floss, deodorant, sunscreen, brush/comb, etc.
- Medicines & vitamins
- First-aid kit
- Glasses/contacts/sunglasses
- Face masks & hand sanitizer
- Sealable plastic baggies
- Laundry supplies: soap, laundry bag, clothesline, spot remover
- Small towel/washcloth
- Travel alarm/watch
- Sewing kit
- Packet of tissues (for WC)
- Earplugs
- Travel hairdryer

ELECTRONICS

- Phone
- Camera & related gear
- Tablet/ebook reader/laptop
- Phone car charger & mount (or GPS device)
- Headphones/earbuds
- Chargers & batteries
- Plug adapters

OPTIONAL BRING-ALONGS

- Second pair of shoes (flip-flops, sandals, tennis shoes, boots)
- Picnic supplies
- Disinfecting wipes
- Water bottle
- Fold-up tote bag
- Mini binoculars
- Inflatable pillow/neck rest
- Small umbrella
- Tiny lock
- Address list (to mail postcards)
- Extra passport photos



If you plan to carry on your luggage, note that all liquids must be in three-ounce or smaller containers and fit within a single quart-size baggie. For details, see <https://www.tsa.gov/travel>.