

Cruise Packing Checklist

Paperwork:

- Cruise tickets
- [Passports](#)
- Driver's license or other photo ID
- Marriage license for a [honeymoon cruise](#) since document names may not match
- Other travel documentation, such as airline tickets, rental car confirmation numbers, and hotel reservation details if needed
- Vaccination certificates if needed for certain cruise destinations
- Medical insurance cards
- Emergency contact information
- Addresses of friends and family to send postcards

Bathroom Necessities:

- Shampoo and conditioner (use travel sizes to save space)
- Body wash
- Deodorant or antiperspirant
- Hairbrushes, combs, dryers, and other styling tools
- Lotion
- Instant hand sanitizer
- Sunscreen
- Bug spray if desired (particularly for tropical destinations)
- Vitamins and any prescription medication
- Medicine kit with small bandages, aspirin, and other minor medications
- Makeup
- Razors (for men and women)
- Tooth brush, tooth paste, and mouthwash

Clothes:

- Casual shirts for daily wear (take one or two extra in case a change is needed)
- Shorts or jeans for daily wear
- Suitable attire for the [cruise ship formal night](#), such as a dress, suit and tie, and appropriate shoes
- Watches and jewelry
- Belts if needed
- Exercise clothes to enjoy the ship's fitness center
- Multiple swimsuits so one is always dry
- Shoes for all occasions, including sneakers, formal shoes, footwear for dinner, and swim shoes or flip flops
- Sweater or windbreaker for cooler evenings
- Pajamas
- Undergarments (bras, underwear, socks, etc.)
- Sunhats or caps if desired

Electronics:

- Cell phone and charger if desired
- Camera with film or extra memory card
- Personal music device if desired
- Extra batteries
- Portable alarm clock
- Waterproof camera cover if desired
- White noise machine such as a sound machine or small fan if desired for sleeping

Miscellaneous:

- Tote bag for [cruise shore excursions](#)
- Small umbrella
- Highlighter to note interesting activities in the cruise newsletter
- Reading materials
- Children's toys if necessary
- Refillable water bottle
- Foreign language book or destination guidebook
- Sunglasses
- Binoculars
- Cash, particularly small bills for tips and souvenirs on shore