

WSA's PACKING LIST



**WEEKEND
STUDENT
ADVENTURES**

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Important to know

- **Rule #1:** Remember, the 750 million people who live in Europe get everything they need at the local stores. So, take a deep breath and remember you can also find anything you may have forgotten, from school supplies to vitamins and toothbrushes.
- **Picky about your brand?** You'll find everything you need in Europe, but remember you might not find your favorite Paul Mitchell shampoo.
- **Layering = Lifesaving** Make sure EVERYTHING you bring matches EVERYTHING else
- **Leave room** for presents! If you know you'll be bringing home souvenirs or will be taking advantage of the seasonal sales abroad, save that space in your suitcase.
- **Keep all valuables** safely at home, or in your carry-on bag. Have copies of all important documents AND back up your computer before heading out.

Bag it up

Goal: To only have 1 checked bag- You can do it!

- 1 large long-haul suitcase or backpack (50 lb, ~70 liters capacity)
- Weekender carry-on bag (large)
- Lighter day-bag/backpack for daily activities, classes, and groceries
- Optional: small purses/drawstring bags, should be packed in the bigger items

Everyone's List

- Passport & Student ID (pack in carry-on)
- 7-14 pairs of socks (a couple warmer ones for colder cities), underwear, undershirts (How often will you do laundry?)
- 4 pairs pants (dark jeans, chinos, leggings)
- 1-3 pairs shorts (Europeans don't wear shorts in some of these countries, check if that's the case for yours!)
- 1-2 sets of workout clothes (how often do you plan to exercise?)
- Lounging clothes (for in the dorms/PJ's)
- Swimsuit
- Light jacket, rain jacket & heavy jacket (leave the Northface fleece & vest!)
- 3-4 sweaters/cardigans
- 1 pair running shoes
- 1 pair casual walking shoes (e.g. Converse)
- 1 pair sandals/flip flops
- 1 pair dress shoes (ladies, see "Her List")

Other Essentials

- Important doc copies (passport, ID, school doc, credit & debit card)
- Electronics (laptop/ipad, camera, ear phones, chargers, converter, unlocked iPhone, USB)
- Pen, planner (buy the rest there!)
- Toiletries (toothbrush/paste, deoderant, medication, hairbrush, travel towel)
- Misc. first-aid (band-aids, tide to-go)

If Necessary

- Travel umbrella
- Small snacks for first few days
- \$200 USD cash for emergencies
- Luggage lock/small padlock
- Travel straightener/curling iron
- Deck of cards
- Travel size shampoo, hairspray, etc.

Her List

- 1-2 purses & clutch
- 5-6 bras (regular & sport)
- 2 leggings/tights
- 2-3 dresses (1 black)
- 5-10 shirts (at least 3 plain/cotton)
- 1 pair dress shoes (heels are some times part of club dress code, so take note of this)
- Boots (If rain boots, wear those on the plane or purchase once you're abroad)
- 1 pair flats
- Pea Coat
- Accessories (sunglasses, hair ties/pins, gloves, hat, light jewelry, 2 scarfs)

His List

- 5-7 T-shirts
- 2-3 Button ups (for going out)
- Accessories (sunglasses, watch, belt)
- Light gloves, hat)