

Carry Box, Pack Car / Suitcase Inventory Checklist

This worksheet is not intended to be all inclusive. The intent is to provide helpful suggestions to make your transition as smooth and stress free as possible. Save this worksheet to your computer and tailor to your needs.

Carry Box, Pack Car and Suitcase	Number	Packed	Unpacked
If flying, keep luggage to minimum, check airline minimum / maximum pieces, weight & cost. Consider mailing to new address.			
Coffee, tea, coffee cups, creamer, sugar, powdered drinks, bottled water			
Coffee maker or tea pot			
A plastic pitcher			
Electrical converter if moving overseas			
Paper/plastic plates/bowls, napkins, cups, paper towels, plastic silverware and serving spoons			
Pots, pans, bottle opener, can opener, corkscrew			
Bakeware			
Food items: instant oatmeal or cereal, cans of soup, peanut butter and jelly, crackers, raisins, and other convenient/snack foods and beverages			
Trash bags, paper and plastic bags, aluminum foil, and plastic wrap			
Dish soap and towels			
Cleaning supplies, including rags, cleanser, window cleaner, broom/dustpan			
Towels, sheets, pillowcases, pillows, blankets, shower curtain, bathtub mat, soap and shampoo			
Toilet paper, tissue, and wet wipes			
A bag of screws, nails, hooks, three-way plugs, etc.			
Extra auto fuses, a fire extinguisher, and an emergency toolbox (screwdriver, hammer, plier, wrench, tape measure, small tools, sissors)			
Extension cords			
Light bulbs, candles and matches			
Flashlight and extra batteries			
Travel alarm clock			
Radio			
A telephone to plug in if you have pre-arranged for telephone service			
Prescription medications			
First aid kit and aspirin or acetaminophen			
Clothes, shoes, accessories, and toilet articles appropriate for destination			
Office or work clothes, in case your suitcase is lost			
Clothes hangers, laundry detergent and softner			

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Travel or standard iron and sewing kit			
An address book with updated telephone numbers			
A phonebook from your previous hometown			
A few toys, books and magazines, crayons, and travel games			
Baby things, including pins, bottles, food, clothers, diapers, etc.			
Pet food and water, toys, leashes, medication, paper towels, room deodorant, scooper, plastic bags, bowls, blanket, etc.			
Blank health insurance claim forms			
Extra checks			
Carry school records, medical and dental records, powers of attorney, wills, credit cards, vehicle documents, keys to luggage (2 sets), insurance policies (copies), maps and itinerary, Social Security cards, drivers licenses, reservation and confirmation information, relocation information, a travel diary, passports, travel orders, vaccination records, pet shot record, mover inventory sheets & bills of lading, and a notebook to record daily expenditures.			
Pack jewelry and valuables, including coins and stamp collections, important papers (birth certificates, extra passport photos, etc.), photographs and appraisals of high value items, money from childrens' wallets and piggy banks, photo negatives and other sentimental items, family histories, heirlooms, etc. Keep with you at all times.			
Shipping vehicles? Carry the car's serial number, motor number, ownership papers, and extra set of keys.			
Carry a list of credit-card numbers and customer service phone numbers in case lost/stolen.			
Drivers manual for destination state or country			
Your "good driver's certificate" if you are moving overseas			
Umbrella			
Sunglasses and sunscreen			
Camera and film if not a digital camera			
Items that movers will not ship and those you want to transport yourself; keep open liquids in the trunk			
Graph paper, template, furniture dimensions, and a plastic grid for finalizing floor plans			
Fanny packs to use while sightseeing			
Birthday and anniversary cards you need to mail while en route			

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Wrapped gifts for new acquaintances and for friends along the way			
Paper, envelopes, pens, pencils, marking pens			
Packing tape, heavy-duty tape			