

General Information

- Please keep your luggage as light as possible and easy to handle. Porters (when porterage is included) are prepaid at the hotels to carry one (1) suitcase per person. However, you are responsible for all your luggage in all airports.
- Don't overpack leave room in your bags for any gifts or souvenirs you may want to bring back.
- Simplicity, layering, and washing/re-wearing clothes are keys to successful packing.
- Please attach the enclosed luggage tags to easily identify your bags and help keep the group's belongings together.

For the Airplane

- You are <u>allowed</u> one checked bag, one carry-on, and one personal item per person, according to standard airline regulations. However, we <u>recommend</u> just 2 bags, as it can be cumbersome to look after 3.
- All luggage is subject to search prior to loading the plane, as per airline and government regulations. Luggage locks are not advisable as they will be broken if security cannot open them during their search.
- Please check with your airline for their specific requirements if you are unsure if your bag is regulation size. Chances are, if you have flown with it before, it will be fine for this pilgrimage.
- The standard weight limit for a checked bag is 50 pounds.
 The airline will charge fees if bags are overweight or oversized.

For the Motorcoach

- The space on a motorcoach for a carry-on bag is smaller than on an airline. Therefore, we recommend a backpack/ daypack or a purse as your carry-on item so that it will fit in the overhead compartment or under the bus seat.
- Bags that do not fit in the overhead bins or under the bus seat are not permitted in the passenger section and will need to be placed underneath. This includes most carryons with wheels.

CHECKED LUGGAGE

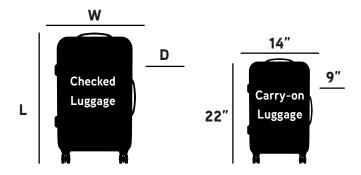
L + W + D = 62"

Checked luggage for all airlines cannot excede 62 linear inches or weigh more than 50 pounds.

CARRY-ON LUGGAGE

22" X 14" X 9"

Carry-on luggage for all airlines cannot excede 22"x14"x9." There is no weight limit, but you should be able to comfortably carry it throughout airports and planes.



PERSONAL ITEM

APPROX. 9" X 10" X 17"

Personal item sizes vary per airline – 9"x10"x17" is a safe size for all airlines. If you'd like more definite sizing, please check your airline's website for more information.

