

What to pack - checklist



Cambodia

Guidelines

Recommend taking one large suitcase, and one daypack which you can take as carry-on. Try not to pack up to the maximum for the flight over as you will possibly come back with more things to pack rather than less.

Baggage limits are:

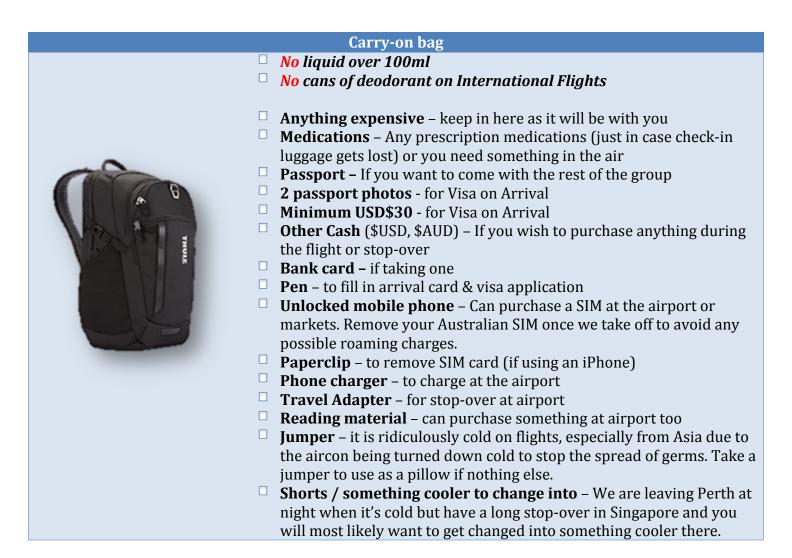
- Check-in luggage 20kg
- Carry-on luggage 7Kg

Below is a checklist of items to bring. At the bottom of this list is a list of which items specifically to put in your carry-on bag.

Checklist

Items	Comments	
Toiletries		
□ Toothbrush	Rather than take too much in the way of heavy	
□ Toothpaste	bottles of shower gel and shampoo etc, consider	
 Deodorant 	purchasing items in Cambodia (cheaper) and just	
 Nail clippers / tweezers (optional) 	buy a bottle between you and your roommate.	
Hair brush / comb (optional)		
Soap / shower gel		
 Shampoo / conditioner 		
Razor / shaver		
Lip balm (optional)		
Baby wipes / towelettes (optional)		
Bandaids		
 Feminine hygiene products 		
Footwear		
Thongs / sandals	Thongs are great for around town and touring.	
Closed-in shoes (Volley's / runners)	When on the project site, full covered shoes need to	
	be worn.	
Clothes		
Swimwear	Consider that expensive clothes may not get	
Guys - board shorts	returned from the laundry and expect that clothes	
 Girls - Bikini will be ok in 	worn on the project sites will get dirty, and the	
some places	possibility to be damaged so don't be sporting your	
Lightweight Long pants	favorite gear. Consider buying some cheap clothes	
Lightweight long sleeve top	or shoes at the markets for working on the project	
Socks	sites. When picking a quantity of clothes to pack,	
Underwear	consider that we may not get to wash clothes every	
Sarong (girls)	couple of days and will want enough for at least a	
Sleepwear	few days.	
Jumper	Plan for hot nights although some places will have	
T-shirts / cotton shirt	aircon, some may not (eg village stay) and if the	
□ Hat / cap	power goes out for no reason – it happens.	

Male		
	□ Dress shorts	
	□ Boardies	
	☐ Shorts for working in	
Female		
	Aladdin-style loose pants which	
	cover below knee length, and/or	
	Leggings or 34 pants	
	T-shirt or top which covers the	
	shoulders and midriff	
Miscellaneous		
	Torch (LED) – with full batteries	LED lightsare less likely to blow or break
	1-2 Ziplock bags (lunch bags)	Lunch bags are useful to put money or phone in if it
	3-4 Plastic bags (eg Coles shopping	rains
	bags)	Bags are useful for putting laundry, wet or other
	Notepad and pen	items in for transit (eg dirty shoes)
	Towel	Towel useful when out of hotel (eg pillow for village
		stay)
Electronics		
	Mobile phone (unlocked)	4
	Phone charger & cable	
	Earphones	
	Tablet / iPad (optional)	
	Camera (optional)	
	Charger for camera (optional)	
	Double adapter	6
	Travel adapter for Asian countries	If purchasing a travel adapter, choose a 2-prong
		Asian adapter. Can purchase at the airport or in
		Cambodia.
Visa and spending money		
	2 x colour passport photos	Visa on Arrival is USD\$30.
	USD\$30 for visa	Extra USD\$20 useful in transit on the way to
	AUD\$ for spending	Cambodia. Keep some AUD for the plane if you wish
	ATM debit card	to purchase anything on the flight.
	Passport	
Medication		
	Insect repellent containing DEET	Useful non-prescription medications which may
	(30%-50%)	make traveling and staying in a foreign place
	Antihistamine, anti-motion sickness	slightly more comfortable
	medication, medicine for pain or	
	fever.	
	Sunscreen	Sunscreen preferably SPF 30+or greater
	Antibacterial hand wipes or alcohol-	Hand sanitizer is the key to not getting sick from
	based hand sanitizer containing at	eating with hands
	least 60% alcohol	
	Multivitamins	
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What not to bring

- Sunglasses Too easy to break or get stolen and you can purchase some at the market for a few \$\$
- ② Jewelry Don't take rings or necklaces. You don't want to appear rich because it may attract unwanted attention and you will get charged more when buying something.
- Makeup At least don't go OTT. It's really hot and makeup just isn't necessary.
- Makeup mirror There are mirrors, and yours may break due to luggage handlers
- ② Laptop Too large and too expensive. Stick with something more portable like a tablet
- Perfume Deodorant is enough and its just something else to get broken
- Singlet's (for male and female) not really culturally appropriate where we are going

Tips

- Get free ziplock bags at customs to put any liquids in (even if you don't need one, take one)
- Cheap shoes can be purchased at the markets if you want to not wear out a good pair while on the project site. You can always throw or give them away at the end of the trip.
- Register your travel with your bank otherwise they may block transactions on your card if used overseas.
- When packing your suitcase roll your clothes instead of folding. They don't crease and you fit more in