Traveller's Checklist



Help ensure a safe and problem-free trip by taking these steps before leaving Canada:

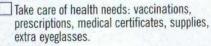


Pack a copy of *Bon Voyage, But...* and a copy of the Country Travel Report for your destination (see **www.voyage.gc.ca**).

- Carry a passport that is valid well beyond the date of your anticipated return to Canada; keep a copy of the identification page separate from the original.
- Plan your itinerary and budget.



- Arrange for health and travel insurance.
- Leave copies of your passport identification page, itinerary and insurance policy with friends or family.
- Obtain any required visas well in advance.
- Check whether dual citizenship is an issue for you.
- If travelling with children, carry documentation proving your right to accompany them (consent letter, court order).





- Obtain an International Driving Permit, if required.
- Register online with a Canadian government office abroad, if needed.
- Anticipate financial needs: local currency, traveller's cheques, departure tax.
- Prepare for your flight by carefully attending to luggage, documentation and airport security.



While abroad, keep receipts for purchases and make special arrangements for food, plants and animals brought back to Canada.



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