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MSC Cruises - Family

YOUR PRINTABLE PACKING CHECKLIST

Packing suggestions: tailor quantities to your sailing, weather and needs. T = adult traveler; C = child. Check each traveler's items as you pack.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Cruise boarding documents	☐	☐	☐	☐
Passport / required travel documents	☐	☐	☐	☐
Government-issued photo ID as required	☐	☐	☐	☐
Credit / debit cards and cash	☐	☐	☐	☐
Travel wallet / purse	☐	☐	☐	☐
Luggage tags	☐	☐	☐	☐

LUGGAGE

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Suitcases	☐	☐	☐	☐
Carry-on bags	☐	☐	☐	☐
Packing cubes	☐	☐	☐	☐
Luggage-tag holders	☐	☐	☐	☐
Wet / dry bag	☐	☐	☐	☐
Beach / excursion tote	☐	☐	☐	☐

CLOTHING

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Underwear and socks	☐	☐	☐	☐
Pajamas / sleepwear	☐	☐	☐	☐
T-shirts / tops / tanks	☐	☐	☐	☐
Shorts / capris / casual bottoms	☐	☐	☐	☐
Jeans / leggings	☐	☐	☐	☐
Swimsuits / cover-ups	☐	☐	☐	☐
Light sweater / jacket	☐	☐	☐	☐
Dinner / dressy outfits (check dress code)	☐	☐	☐	☐

SHOES

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Walking / workout shoes	☐	☐	☐	☐
Sandals / flip-flops	☐	☐	☐	☐
Water shoes	☐	☐	☐	☐
Evening / dress shoes	☐	☐	☐	☐

ACCESSORIES

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Sunglasses	☐	☐	☐	☐
Hat / visor	☐	☐	☐	☐
Belt	☐	☐	☐	☐
Jewelry / watch	☐	☐	☐	☐
Refillable empty water bottle	☐	☐	☐	☐
Lanyard	☐	☐	☐	☐

ELECTRONICS

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Phone / tablet	☐	☐	☐	☐
Waterproof phone case	☐	☐	☐	☐
Headphones	☐	☐	☐	☐
USB-only charger (check line policy)	☐	☐	☐	☐
Charging cables / portable charger	☐	☐	☐	☐
Camera / GoPro / Kindle / laptop	☐	☐	☐	☐

MEDICATION

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Daily medication (pack extra days)	☐	☐	☐	☐
Motion-sickness remedy if appropriate	☐	☐	☐	☐
OTC medicines suitable for each traveler	☐	☐	☐	☐
Small first-aid kit / bandages	☐	☐	☐	☐

TOILETRIES

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Toothbrush / toothpaste / floss	☐	☐	☐	☐
Deodorant	☐	☐	☐	☐
Shampoo / conditioner / body wash	☐	☐	☐	☐
Sunscreen / aloe	☐	☐	☐	☐
Makeup / shaving items	☐	☐	☐	☐
Hair care	☐	☐	☐	☐
Personal / menstrual products	☐	☐	☐	☐
Baby toiletries if needed	☐	☐	☐	☐

FAMILY EXTRAS

	T1	T2	C1	C2
Sealed, nonperishable snacks	☐	☐	☐	☐
Small toys / coloring / activities	☐	☐	☐	☐
Diapers / wipes if needed	☐	☐	☐	☐
Stroller if needed	☐	☐	☐	☐
Night-light	☐	☐	☐	☐
Towel clips / laundry bag	☐	☐	☐	☐
Magnetic hooks (check ship guidance)	☐	☐	☐	☐
Small fan (check line policy)	☐	☐	☐	☐
Rain poncho	☐	☐	☐	☐
Book / autograph book / travel game	☐	☐	☐	☐

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BEFORE YOU ZIP YOUR SUITCASE

CONFIRM DOCUMENTS FIRST

Use the documents required for your citizenship, exact itinerary, ports and cruise line. Birth certificates are not interchangeable with passports on every cruise. Check passport validity, visas, name-match and documents for minors. A passport book is needed for most international flights home.

PROTECT YOUR ESSENTIALS

Keep travel documents, valuables, medication and medical devices in your carry-on. Check destination rules for your medicines and arrange medical-device needs with the line before sailing. Airline baggage and battery rules apply separately.

MSC LUGGAGE AND FOOD RULES

MSC's U.S. FAQ lists two checked bags and two hand-luggage pieces per person, subject to dimensions, weight and booking limits. Check your booking and airline limits. The food exception is dry, packaged, commercially produced food; bringing beverages is restricted.

FOOD, CLOTHING AND CABIN EXTRAS

Bring only food meeting the line's rules; dry, commercially packaged, factory-sealed snacks are the cautious choice. Dress for your actual activities and dining venue. Magnetic hooks are optional; follow ship guidance and keep exits, sprinklers and safety equipment clear.

FAMILY AND ADULT-ONLY ITEMS

Check age, supervision, pool, diaper and children's-program rules for your ship. Packing diapers does not establish pool access. Tobacco or vaping items, if carried by eligible adults, remain subject to age, location and destination restrictions.

OFFICIAL SOURCES - clickable links

www.msccruisesusa.com - faq

www.msccruisesusa.com - travel documents

travel.state.gov - cruise ships.html