



PACKING LIST SUGGESTIONS

Personal

- Wallet
- Family Picture (to show new friends)
- Hidden Pocket Wallet/purse
- Watch
- Camera Equipment
 - Digital Camera
 - One 35mm Camera
 - Film
 - Cords
 - Extra Batteries
 - Extra Memory Cards
 - Case (and waterproofing)
- Waterproof pack or gear bag
- Cash (tipping, souvenirs, extras, etc.)
- Books (for airplane and leisure)
- Polarized sunglasses
- Cell phone and charger (coverage in some places)
- Organizer Folder w/ Documentation/paper/pencil

Medication

- Malaria
- Diarrhea
- Personal Medications
 - _____
 - _____
- Ibuprofen

Hygiene

- Shaver
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush & paste
- Lotion
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Soap
- Germ X
- Comb
- Sun Screen
- Chap stick
- Hygiene misc.
- Other

Clothing

- Shirts
 - Long sleeved shirt (sun protection)
 - T-Shirts
 - Sweatshirt (sometimes cool at night)
- Pants
 - Tropical-weight pants (sun protection)
 - Pants (for travel)
 - Swimsuit (for pool at hotel on last day)
 - Shorts
 - Sleeping wear
- Casual travel clothes
- Hats
 - Fishing hat
 - Caps
- Climate and Weather Gear
 - Quality lightweight raincoat/pants
 - Lightweight cotton gloves
- Business Professional Clothing (optional if you have extended leave and are on business)
- White socks
- Underwear
- Towel
- Footwear
 - Boots or shoes (for jungle walks)
 - Sandals (most used footwear)

Optional Items

- CD's/DVD's (optional)
- Books on Amazon (optional)
- Portable CD Player/DVD Player (optional)
- Tape Recorder/tapes/batteries (optional)

Survival Kit

- Small flashlight (also for alligator spotlighting)
- First Aid Kit (to carry with your daily excursion gear)
 - Adhesive Bandages (or gauze with tape)
 - Roller Gauze and pads
 - Antiseptic wipes and alcohol pads
 - Ace Compression bandage
 - Scissors and tweezers
 - Thermometer
 - Antibiotic Ointment
 - Cough drops
 - Band-Aids
- Water Resistant Insect Repellent w/ Deet (Ultrathon)
- Water Purification Tablets
- Knife
- Sharpener
- Extra batteries
- Pen/paper
- Mirror
- Emergency Blanket
- Poncho
- Whistle
- Matches
- Lighter
- Compass
- Tinfoil
- Rope
- Tubing
- TP
- Map of Area

Misc. Equipment

- Umbrella
- Plastic bags
- Voltage Adapter
- Binoculars (optional)
- GPS (optional)
- Walkie Talkies (optional and useful)
- Extra duffle bag (if you want to bring more stuff home)

Documentation

- Need @ Airport
 - Airline Tickets
 - Passport (non-expiring within 6 months)
 - Visa
 - Vaccination Card (DON'T FORGET)
 - Driver's License
 - Tourist Card (given at airport)
- Other Information on Record
 - Insurance Cards
 - Health Records w/ special health conditions, blood type, Rh Factor
 - Emergency Contact Information
 - Trip Itinerary and Map
 - Vaccination Information Sheets
 - Power of Attorney
- Extra Hard Copies of Documentation
 - Airline tickets
 - Passport and photos
 - Visa
 - Vaccination card
 - Driver's License
 - Insurance card
 - Power of Attorney

Fishing

General Fishing Equipment

- Extra Line (65 lb test Spider Wire or similar)
- Fishing Pants/Boots (strictly optional)
- Fishing pliers
- Pocket knife/Leatherman
- Lure box or bag
- Weights
- Fillet knife
- Adhesive tape
- Large Hooks for bait fishing
- Tackle Bag

Equipment for top water Spinning or Bait casting (medium-heavy largemouth bass)

- Top water Lures (12 total)
 - L-J "Ozark Peacock Bass" ¼oz. red head, fire tiger
 - Lhur-Jensen "Woodchopper" big game white/redhead/glitter, sunshine perch, fire tiger
 - L-J "Amazon Ripper" ¼oz. fire tiger, speckled peacock
 - Heddon Super Zara Spook ½ to 7/8 oz. red head, silver mullet, gold sardine, redfish
- 12 diving minnows (in fish colors such as combinations of chrome, blue, black, orange, and chartreuse).
 - Original Rapala
 - Bomber Long A (6" to 7" long)
 - Cordell Redfin, etc.
 - ½-ounce egg or worm weights.
- 6 – 6 ½ ft. Rod w/ firm action tip(x2)
- Quality Reel w/ 100 yd. capacity (x2) T&C Tufline" in 65 to 80 lb (or similar) or "Big-Game Trilene" 40 lb.

Equipment for Fly-fishing

- Flies
 - Bucktail Deceivers 3/0 chartreuse/white, yellow/white, orange/white, red/white
 - Whistlers 3/0 chartreuse/white, yellow/white, orange/white, red/white
 - Black Water Angel 3/0 chartreuse/white, yellow/white, orange/white, red/white
 - Worm Weights 1/32-oz. 1 dozen
- Two 9- or 10-weight rods
- Reels w/ smooth drag (hold at least 100 yards of backing, and can be spooled with a weight-forward, bass-taper floating line)
- 40 to 50 pound monofilament for leader/tippet material.

Optional Fishing Equipment

- Reel Lubricant
- Rod Case
- Small hooks (for piranha)
- Clippers
- Scale (if you are trying for a world record, you should bring a certified scale)
- Fishing Net
- Tape Measure (for measuring your trophy fish)
- Hook Sharpener
- Replacement hooks and o-rings
- 6"- 8" steel leaders (for piranha)
- 40-50 lb. leader material (fly-fishermen)
- stripping basket (fly-fishermen)
- Fish Grabber (BogaGrips)

* These are just a few ideas to help you get what you need. Please add or consolidate as needed.