

CLOTHES AND PERSONAL ITEMS TO BRING

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Wear

Watch or other Device to tell time (Required)

Preucil T-shirt (Required for flight and other designated times - Wear as OUTSIDE GARMENT)

Comfortable shoes (for a lot of walking). You will be required to remove your shoes at airport security, so you may want to wear flip-flops through the airport security.

Under-shirt neck wallet OR money belt (REQUIRED - take pins in checked luggage to use overseas) with:

Passport

Money/Credit Card

Hotel Card (will be given out at North Campus Departure

One suitcase--Maximum size: 62" (height+width+depth); Maximum weight 50 lbs over & BACK. Use only a TSA lock or belt around your suitcase to keep it closed. Suitcase should contain:

Alarm clock with fresh battery or Cell Phone with alarm

Underwear for 8 days

Socks for 8 days

Pajamas

Mix and match casual clothes (7 shirts/tops; 4-5 pants/shorts/skirts (at least 1 long pants, maybe 3-4) – plan to wear more than once)

MCI t-shirt (navy with flags)

Light raincoat, water repellent light jacket, or poncho

Uniform (GIRLS – uniform dress and closed-toe black dress shoes. BOYS: uniform pants, shirt, vest, button cover (put on shirt button), black socks, and black shoes.

Lightweight Bag to carry uniform in – can be a large, strong garbage bag – to protect when transporting to concerts.

1 “Nicer” outfit (better casual – nice top with sleeves (with no writing or pictures) and nice slacks, capris, or skirt (no minis) or dress). NO shorts or sleeveless tops at concerts, rehearsals, or school visits – advised by MCI.

Plastic bag for dirty clothes

Cosmetics, put liquids in a sealed zip-lock bag to prevent leakage:

- Sun screen
- Shampoo, conditioner
- Toothbrush, toothpaste
- Small (motel type) bar of soap
- Deodorant
- Comb or brush
- 2-3 ounces of liquid detergent in marked container (for hand laundry), if desired

Feminine hygiene products

Razor

Curling iron (*dual voltage, if possible – change screw to 240, if necessary, before leaving US*)

Hair dryer (*dual voltage, if possible – change screw to 240, if necessary*) (*Hotels have, so limit to 1/roommate group maximum*)

Voltage converter/transformer (if you take US appliances that are not dual voltage, a converter/transformer must be used)

Adapter (if you take any electrical appliances your plugs require the adapter)

3-8 Thin Washcloths, if desired (Most hotels do not supply washcloths)

Clothesline & pins, if you plan to do laundry

Swim suit

If bringing extra lithium batteries, they must be in your carry-on, with the terminals protected.

MCI Shoulder Bag/backpack as personal item, LOOSELY PACKED – containing:

(Size/Weight Limits: 11.8”x15.7”x3.9”; Maximum weight 17.6 lbs.)

Small purse, if applicable

Camera (label it with your name & address), Charger and/or extra fresh batteries, memory card(s) for digital

Small notebook, pen and other writing supplies, (Preucil stationery on way home)

Itinerary

Copy of passport, separate from your money and passport (or carry in your instrument case)

Prescription medicine in original pharmacy containers – TSA rule (Give written list of prescriptions to Office – generic names if possible)

Personal items (including glasses if you wear contacts)

Kleenex

Sunglasses

Cap/Hat, if desired

Cards, travel games, reading material

Cell Phone

Triplopedia

Umbrella – small collapsible

Change of underwear, socks, and shirt (in case your luggage is delayed)

Sweatshirt (take either sweatshirt or light jacket with you on flight in case it's cold) – Wear if flight bag is too full

If you must carry liquids in your carry-on, you must follow the security requirement: 3 oz bottles in a 1-qt. ziplock bag; 1 bag/person

Violin, Viola, Cello Bow or Bass Bow (Cello/Bass bows turned in after bon voyage concert) with:

Extra set of strings (Replace strings in May and take old ones for spares); **Cellos/Bass**, take your rosin.

Music: One set from each stand is to be turned in at orchestra; the other is to be packed for practice during trip

Music Stand (if designated) with name on all parts IN A CASE with name – Turned in at orchestra by June 16, to be packed as equipment



3-1-1 Liquid, Gel, Ointment Aerosol Rule:
3.4 oz. containers
in a 1-qt bag
1 bag per person