



PACKING TIPS

When packing, remember that common items are going to be easy to get (shampoo, body wash, deodorant, etc.). Pack things that you will not likely find in the USA. Spices, prescription medicines, electricity converters.

IMMIGRATION DOCUMENTS

Make sure you know these common immigration documents.

I-20/DS-2019
Passport
US Visa
I-94 Record
i-901 SEVIS Receipt

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CHECKLIST

FOR INCOMING INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

1. APPLYING TO UWG

- Complete the UWG Application Online
- Submit non-refundable fee (\$40.00)
- Request Official Transcripts from all previous institutions
- Submit English Proficiency test scores
- Submit ACT/SAT or GRE test scores

2. AFTER YOU ARE ACCEPTED

- Complete the online new student checklist. (westga.edu/isap/before-starting)
- Set up and active your MyUWG Account
- Obtain a US visa for entrance into the United States
- Select your housing option and tell your new residence when you will be arriving
- Book your flight and request an airport pickup with the ISAP office (check our shuttle dates before booking your flight)
- Send in immunization records to UWG Health Services
- Decide on health insurance options

3. PREPARING FOR THE TRIP

- Try to pack everything important in a carry-on bag, in case your checked luggage is lost (computers, medicine, etc.)
- Verify your airport pickup dates/times with the ISAP office, if necessary. Also, verify arrival times with your housing arrangements.
- Have some US Money in case you want to buy water or food when you arrive.

4. ARRIVING AT UWG

- Get your student ID card made
- Check into your housing
- Attend the International Student Orientation. (Bring your immigration documents so we can check you into SEVIS)
- Walk around campus before classes and find where your classes will be. Your schedule is in your MyUWG portal.
- Complete the Beginning the Semester checklist sent to your MyUWG email.
- Attend classes.