

CRUISE PACKING 101

First Timers Series: Week 7

REMEMBER

Pack for comfort and flexibility. There's so many options, and a lot of walking to each event.

Accessories give you flexibility and are always a great icebreaker with that special couple.

Theme nights give you the chance to step out of your comfort zone. And someone will always be more outlandish than you are so it is a safe place to experiment with something new.

Always pick comfort over appearance because confidence always looks sexy on you!



WHAT SHOULD I PACK FOR MY CRUISE

Just accept that you are going to pack too much. Packing for a cruise is similar to packing for any trip. Pack outfits that work for day, evening, and theme events. Check dress code policies and the event calendar before packing. Bring comfortable shoes for exploring ports and ship activities. Most importantly, pack confidence and an open mind.

Category	What to Bring	Why it Matters
Daywear	Casual shorts, t-shirts, sundresses, cover-ups	Port exploration and casual daytime activities. Caribbean heat requires breathable fabrics.
Swimwear	At least 3 to 5 suits, bring your bikinis & speedos 😊	Multiple pool venues, hot tubs, and beach days. Having options means more opportunities (nipples must be covered in port)
Footwear	Sandals, pool slides, dress shoes, sneakers, heels	Variety ensures comfort for all activities—dining, exploring, dancing, and casual strolls. It's a long week and your feet will thank you.
Evening Attire	Cocktail dresses, elegant slacks, dress shirts	Formal dining nights and evening events. Most cruises have at least one formal night.
Lifestyle Outfits	Lingerie, sexy dresses, swim cover-ups, dance wear	Theme events and pool parties. Playrooms and rendezvous. Consider your comfort level and personal style.
Accessories	Jewelry, belts, scarves, statement pieces	Transform basic outfits into multiple looks. Accessories are lightweight and versatile.
Sun Protection	Sunscreen, hat, sunglasses, cover-up clothing	Caribbean sun is intense. Protection prevents discomfort during your vacation.

Pick the parties, dinners, and late-night fun you're most excited about and pack your suitcase around those events.

STYLE, SPARKLE, AND JUST ENOUGH LUGGAGE

Pack light with versatile mix-and-match pieces so you can easily transition from day to night. Bring key comfort items like comfortable shoes and grooming essentials, and laundry service lets you refresh favorites mid-cruise. Check dress codes for venues so

you meet requirements for restaurants and evening events. Choose shoes carefully: comfortable walking shoes for ports, pool slides and flip-flops for the deck, and dress shoes for dining and nightlife. And remember to save room for your door and room decorations.

Whether you prefer classic elegance or bold choices, the lifestyle community celebrates individual style. Focus on pieces that make you feel confident and comfortable. Remember that lifestyle cruising is about connection, confidence, and celebration—and the right outfit goes a long way toward feeling your best. Just remember you can only fit so much in your car or on your flight!