

PREPARING FOR YOUR JOURNEY

WILDLIFE SAFARI: AROUND THE WORLD BY PRIVATE JET

REVIEW YOUR PASSPORT

Your passport needs to be valid beyond September 10, 2020. For this journey you need at least 13 completely blank visa pages available in your passport for entry and exit stamps.

SECURE YOUR VISAS

Tour visas are required for U.S. and Canadian passport holders for **China***, **India**, **Kenya** and **Rwanda and must be obtained prior to departure**. A&K provides a concierge service through our partner, Pinnacle TDS, to facilitate the procurement of these required visas. You may call them at 888 838 4867, or visit them online at pinnacletds.com/AandK.

*A letter of invitation is required to apply for your China visa. Abercrombie & Kent will provide you with a personalized letter of invitation via email. In order to complete this document, we must receive your completed Guest Information Form and a copy of your passport.

Tourist visas for **Madagascar** will be obtained for you separately by A&K; you need not apply for them on your own. Visas are currently not required for United States or Canadian passport holders for any other destination on this journey.

If you are not a citizen of the United States or Canada, please consult the nearest diplomatic or consular office of the countries you will be visiting for information on necessary documentation you need to enter their country.

UPDATE VACCINES & MEDICATIONS

Check with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (cdc.gov/travel) or the World Health Organization (who.int/en) for the latest on required and recommended vaccines for your destination.

A yellow fever vaccination is required for entry into some of the countries visited on this program. You must carry an International Certificate of Vaccination provided by your doctor. Without this, you may be denied entry. If your physician advises against receiving the vaccination because of your personal medical history, he or she can provide you with the necessary documentation for the country(ies) that you are visiting. You'll want to visit your doctor or local travel clinic a couple of months before departure to allow time for any vaccinations to take effect or to fill any prescriptions.

CONSULAR INFORMATION

Travel Advisories including special considerations for specific countries are provided by the U.S. Department of State at travel.state.gov or at travel.gc.ca/travelling/advisories for Canada.

MONEY MATTERS

We recommend travelling with some cash and at least two different major credit cards, such as Visa and Mastercard, so you have backup if your card is not accepted or lost. Contact your bank and credit card companies to let them know where and when you'll be travelling, as well as confirm any foreign transaction fees. When carrying cash, try to travel only with recently issued currency in smaller denominations; many merchants overseas won't accept wrinkled or torn bills. Only exchange currency at authorized outlets such as currency exchanges, ATMs or hotels and save receipts as they may be required for exit. Refer to **Essential Information** for additional currency details.

KEEP CONNECTED

While most smartphones work overseas, you might need to turn on international roaming service before you travel. Contact your carrier for information on coverage and voice and data plan options while travelling abroad.

GETTING ONLINE

Many hotels and public places have Wi-Fi and you'll usually be able to stay connected throughout your journey, although Internet access may be poor to nonexistent in remote destinations. Note that some countries, including China, block access to social media sites or otherwise impose restrictions on what content you can view or send online.

CHARGING YOUR GADGETS

Be sure to bring a global travel adapter set with you to recharge your electronics at your hotel or in camp. You can purchase one through A&K's Travel Store at usa.thetraveloutfitter.com.

PACKING FOR YOUR JOURNEY

The typical attire on A&K Private Jet journeys is relaxed and informal during the day and smart casual appropriate for evenings. Choose comfortable, versatile clothing that can be layered to account for changes in the weather throughout the day. Consult the **Packing List and Baggage Restrictions** specifics provided. Use the provided A&K luggage tags, even if your bags already have ID tags. This makes it easier for A&K staff to collect and manage your luggage for you.

STAY HEALTHY ON THE ROAD

Carry your prescriptions and over-the-counter medications in their original containers in your carry-on luggage. Pack a simple first-aid kit along with medicines for motion sickness and mild upset stomach. As a precaution, use only bottled water and avoid foods from street vendors.

KEEP VALUABLES SECURE

We strongly recommend leaving valuables such as jewelry at home as A&K cannot be responsible. Use safes where available to secure valuable items such as passports, or else always carry them on your person. Replacing a lost or stolen passport is much easier if you have a copy on hand. Pack a photocopy of your passport's personal information page with your luggage, and keep a photo of it on your smartphone.

SMART SHOPPING

If you are interested in shopping, your A&K guide may recommend local shops; however, A&K is not responsible for the quality or value of merchandise. Any purchases and shipping are at your sole discretion.

Be sure to review your credit card receipts before signing, paying special attention to currency conversion. We recommend taking items with you in lieu of shipping them whenever possible. Consult the local customs authority (cbp.gov in the U.S. and travel.gc.ca in Canada) for information on what you can bring back and duty taxes. Keep receipts and items together.

PHOTOGRAPHY ETIQUETTE

Be sure to ask permission before taking pictures of local people, including small children. Note that photography is not permitted in some locations; it is usually clearly marked. If in doubt, ask your Tour Manager to avoid having your camera confiscated.

TIPS ON TIPPING

As a convenience, all gratuities are included. Any additional gratuities that you may choose to present to specific members of your tour staff are left to your personal discretion.

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION

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SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, USA

Time Zone in February: UTC (Coordinated Universal Time) –8 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Seattle, it is:

Continental Europe	6:00 p.m. the same day
United Kingdom	5:00 p.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	12:00 p.m. the same day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
48°F / 9°C	37°F / 3°C	7

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Dollar	Yes	Yes

TOKYO, JAPAN

Time Zone in February: UTC +9 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Tokyo, it is:

Continental Europe	1:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	12:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	7:00 p.m. the previous day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
48°F / 9°C	30°F / -1°C	6

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Yen	Yes	Yes

CHENGDU, CHINA

Time Zone in February: UTC +8 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Chengdu, it is:

Continental Europe	2:00 a.m. the same day
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United Kingdom	1:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	8:00 p.m. the previous day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
51°F / 11°C	41°F / 5°C	12

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Renminbi	Yes	Yes

CEBU, PHILIPPINES

Time Zone in February: UTC +8 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Cebu, it is:

Continental Europe	2:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	1:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	8:00 p.m. the previous day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
87°F / 30°C	74°F / 23°C	6

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Peso	Limited	Limited

SANDAKAN, BORNEO, MALAYSIA

Time Zone in February: UTC +8 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Sandakan, it is:

Continental Europe	2:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	1:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	8:00 p.m. the previous day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
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84°F / 29°C	76°F / 24°C	7
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Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Ringgit	Limited	Limited

RANTHAMBORE, INDIA

Time Zone in February: UTC +5.5 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Ranthambore, it is:

Continental Europe	4:30 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	3:30 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	10:30 p.m. the previous day

Weather Averages for February

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
79°F / 26°C	52°F / 11°C	1

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Rupee	Limited	Limited

VOLCANOES NATIONAL PARK, RWANDA

Time Zone in March: UTC +2 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Volcanoes National Park, it is:

Continental Europe	8:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	7:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	2:00 a.m. the same day

Weather Averages for March

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
78°F / 25°C	60°F / 15°C	9

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Rwanda Franc	At Lodges	No

NOSY BE, MADAGASCAR

Time Zone in March: UTC +3 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Nosy Be, it is:

Continental Europe	7:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	6:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	1:00 a.m. the same day

Weather Averages for March

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
79°F / 26°C	61°F / 16°C	17

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Ariary	Limited	Limited

MASAI MARA, KENYA

Time Zone in March: UTC +3 hour. At 9:00 a.m. in the Masai Mara, it is:

Continental Europe	7:00 a.m. the same day
United Kingdom	6:00 a.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	2:00 a.m. the same day (daylight saving time begins March 8)

Weather Averages for March

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
81°F / 27°C	60°F / 15°C	6

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Shilling	At Lodge	No

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, USA

Time Zone in March: UTC -4 hours. At 9:00 a.m. in Boston, it is:

Continental Europe	3:00 p.m. the same day
United Kingdom	2:00 p.m. the same day
New York / Ottawa	10:00 a.m. the same day

Weather Averages for March

Average High	Average Low	Average Days w/Rain
43°F / 6°C	29°F / -2°C	7

Money Matters

Local Currency	Credit Cards Accepted	Access to ATMs
Dollar	Yes	Yes

PACKING LIST & BAGGAGE RESTRICTIONS

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PACKING LIST

This journey includes travel to regions that have a wide range of climates. As a result, we recommend you pack clothes that would be suitable in summer, autumn and winter.

When primate tracking, wear long pants and shirts made of sturdy fabric to protect against scratches from stinging nettles and thorny vegetation. Also bring a good pair of comfortable walking/hiking boots with textured soles, and ideally a good pair of protective leather or study gloves should also be worn. Gaiters are also highly recommended. Avoid wearing perfume or cologne. Those with longer hair may wish to wear it in a ponytail or tuck it under a hat to avoid being tangled with thorny vegetation or flying insects.

Clothing

- 3-4 pairs of casual slacks
- 5-6 casual short-sleeve shirts or tops
- 2-3 Evening outfits for special occasions (smart casual)
- 1-2 Pairs of comfortable walking shoes with low or no heels
- Light raincoat
- Sweater or lightweight jacket
- Sleepwear (both warm and lightweight)
- Hats (1 for sun protection, 1 warm hat)
- 2-3 pairs of walking shorts/capri pants
- 2-3 long sleeve shirts or tops
- Warm, lined jacket or parka
- For women: a scarf large enough to cover neck and shoulders (where needed)
- Warm gloves

Miscellaneous Items

- Passport with relevant visas
- Prescription medications and copy of prescriptions
- Aspirin/pain relievers
- Antacids/laxatives/anti-diarrhea medicine/motion sickness tablets /Alka Seltzer
- Simple first-aid kit (including antihistamines or cortisone cream to treat insect stings)
- If you wear glasses or contact lenses, consider bringing an extra pair; contact lens solution
- Moisturizing cream and lip balm
- Personal garments
- Swimwear and cover-up
- Photography equipment: batteries (lithium batteries recommended for longer life), memory cards, charging cables. A waterproof case or sealable plastic bags and lens brush are also recommended.
- Hand sanitizer
- Insect repellent with high % of DEET to protect against mosquitos, bees, wasps and tsetse flies
- Personal toiletries; hair dryers are provided at all accommodations
- Low-suds detergent for washing small or personal items.
- Foldable walking stick
- Lightweight foldable umbrella

□ Sun screen, at least SPF 50

□ Personal electronics and chargers; global travel adapter

Please note that while properties will provide basic toiletries and in some cases insect repellent, you may wish to bring your own if you have specific preferences.

Traveller's Valet, A&K's complimentary laundry service for 10 articles of clothing per person, will be provided at the midpoint of your journey. Dry cleaning is not included.

BAGGAGE RESTRICTIONS

On board the A&K Private Jet	Two pieces of checked baggage with a maximum combined weight of 80 pounds (36 kilograms). Total dimensions of any single piece of checked baggage are not to exceed 62 inches (157 centimeters). Dimensions are calculated by adding together the length, height and width of the piece of baggage. One piece of carry-on baggage with a maximum weight of 22 pounds (10 kilograms). Dimensions of the carry-on bag are not to exceed 22 inches x 16 inches x 8 inches (55 centimeters x 40 centimeters x 20 centimeters).
Flights aboard light aircraft in Kenya	One piece of checked baggage with a maximum weight of 33 pounds (15 kilograms). A specially designed A&K duffel will be sent to you in a future mailing and we ask that you please use it for these flights. The remainder of your luggage will be stored. When not in use, we suggest you fold your A&K duffel and pack it in your checked baggage aboard the private jet.

Normal airport security requirements apply to your Private Jet Journey. For carry-on luggage, please make certain to carry travel-size toiletries that fit comfortably in one, quart-size, shaving kit or make-up bag. Larger bottles must be packed in your checked luggage.

OF SPECIAL NOTE: PLASTIC BAGS IN RWANDA

The government of Rwanda has implemented a ban on plastic bags. The ban applies to "carrier and flat bags," primarily targeting bags from shops and grocery stores, but also extending to Ziploc bags, duty-free bags and bubble wrap. If tourists have those types of bags visible while in the airport, they are likely to be confiscated. Bags designed for multiple use, such as zippered cosmetic bags, are not included in the ban.