Packing List for International Students
Wichita State University

Checked Baggage
Clothes (quantity depends on laundry habits)
- Short sleeves, long sleeves, T-Shirts
- Shorts, skirts
- Pants (slacks, khakis), Jeans
- Sweaters
- Light jackets, blazers, coats, down coats
- Suits, dress shirts/pants (1-2 sets)
- Cultural costumes (1-2 sets)
- Sportswear, swim suit
- Pajamas (2-4)
- Underwear
- Socks (light color & dark color)
- Warm hat, scarf, gloves
- Sneakers, casual shoes, sandals, flip flops
- Dress shoes
Bedding
- Comforter/blanket/throw
- Pillow (optional)
- Sheets & Pillowcases
Bathroom/Personal Care
- Bath towels, hand towels
- Comb, nail clippers, tooth brush, small toothpaste
- Traveler-size shampoo, conditioner, shower soap
- Skincare products, cosmetics
Daily Necessities
- Eyeglasses/ contact lenses (with spare ones), sunglasses
- Contact lens solution
- Personal medicines
- A bowl & plate, one set of silverware, a cup/glass
- A few hangers
- Alarm clock
Food
- Instant noodles, snacks, cookies/crackers
- Dried condiments/spices, tea
School Supplies
- Schoolbag/backpack or tote bag
- Pencil case
- Ball pen, mechanical pencils, lead refills
- Electronic dictionary
Other
- Cultural products/ souvenirs

Carry-on
Important Documents
- Passport
- Itinerary
- Boarding pass
- I-20 and all admission documents
- High school transcripts, graduation certificate
- University transcripts, graduation certificate (transfer students or graduate students)
- Other academic credentials and application materials
Cash
- USD$1,000-1,500;
  keep $100-200 in wallet, have $10s & $20s;
  keep $100 bills seperately
Electronics
- Cell phone and charger
- Laptop and cable
- Data cable
- Converter/adapter
- USB flash drive
- Camera
Other
- Wrist watch
- Pens (1-2 for filling out forms)
- Small notebook (keeps school address, important contact information, etc.)
- Snacks/cookies (meat products not allowed)
- Chewing gum (bad breath after long flight; reduces earaches on airplane)
- Eyedrops (eyes dry after long flight)
- Slippers/flip flops (some people have swollen feet during a flight; convenient to take off at security checkpoints)
- Light sweater/jacket (in case of it is cold on the plane or in the transit airport)
- Books/magazines