

Honeymoon Planning Checklist

Six months before you leave:

- What type of honeymoon do you and your partner want? Discuss options, destinations and what you really want to get out of your honeymoon
- Chat to your friends and family – get recommendations on hotels, resorts, places to see and things to do
- How much do you want to spend? Set your honeymoon budget
- Find a friendly, confident, reliable travel agent to help you plan your dream holiday. For Escape Travel store locations check out www.escapetravel.com.au/contactus/
- Do you both have valid passports? Get the ball rolling now if you haven't already

Five months before you leave

- Finalise your choice of travel agent and honeymoon destination. Ask your travel agent about peak times to travel, festivals and events at your destination throughout the year, specials and package offers and any discounts specially related to honeymooners.

Three months before you leave

- Make sure all your reservations have been confirmed in writing and keep all documentation together, including the contact numbers for your travel agent both at home and while your away
- Ask your travel agent what official documents you will need for travel and make sure they are well on their way to complete

Two months before you leave

- Check on any inoculation requirements for your destination and book in with your doctor
- Start putting together your list of things to pack – and if you are missing something, add it to your registry!
- Have you got really nice luggage? No? Add it to your registry!

One month before you leave

- Buy luggage, sunglasses, camera etc
- If you already own a camera, make sure it works and pack heaps of film
- Buy extra batteries
- Make sure you have adequate and valid travel insurance
- Make sure all your credit cards are up to date and have sufficient credit limits
- Make a copy of your travel itinerary, documents and any important phone numbers and give them to someone you trust, in case of an emergency
- Make your packing list of everything you will need – clothes, toiletries, mobile charger etc

One week before you leave

- Organise travelers checks or change currency
- Pack all medication you will need and make sure you have any required documentation (letter from your doctors and prescriptions etc)
- Pack all your clothes etc
- Make a list of valuables you are carrying (including your passport) and leave one copy at home and carry another with you – this will make it easy to make sure you have everything when its time to come home
- Reconfirm all hotel, flight, car hire and tour bookings with your travel agent

Day of Departure

- Reconfirm all your flight times
- Make sure you have your money, passport and visa documentation close at hand
- Arrive at the airport early to avoid any last minute problems – one hour for domestic flights and two hours for international flights will allow you ample time
- Enjoy your trip!

Good to go! Enjoy your Honeymoon!