



## *Basic Travel Tips Summer Camp*

### **Luggage & Packing**

- Your suitcase and carry-on must weigh less than 44 pounds
- **Pack Lightly**-As much as will fit into one suitcase
- We encourage you to get together with another student and share the appliances on the trip
- New travel regulations require that you DO NOT lock your check-in baggage
- Please place all sharp objects; nail clippers, tweezers, etc into your check-in luggage
- Please note: backpacks should not be filled to capacity, as they will not fit under the seat.
- Everyone must carry their own bags at all times and instruments too
- **All liquids carried on must fit in a quart-sized bag.** The bag should be readily available, as it must be placed on the security belt!
  - This includes: lip-gloss, lens solutions, etc.
- Oversized suitcases do not fit on the bus!
- YOU will be charged for any excess weight
- **NO COMPUTERS PLEASE**

### **Your carry-on should include:**

- Necessary toiletries
- Passport
- Cash
- Medications

### **Glasses & Contacts**

- Bring an extra pair or a copy of your prescription

**Depart: June 22nd, 5:15 PM, Boston, Logan Airport, Alitalia**

**Return: July 6<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 PM, Boston, Logan Airport, Alitalia**

### **Logan Airport**

- Please arrive at 2:15 PM (Please no later) on June 22, Alitalia
- We will begin checking in individuals as they arrive.

### **Flying**

- You will be seated randomly on the plane
- Quietly & quickly negotiate with each other for seat changes (if you desire to sit elsewhere)
- Please sleep as much as possible because upon our arrival we will be traveling/touring all day.
- Please be courteous and polite on the plane.
- Special meals should be arranged by you in advance with Alitalia.

### **Hotels**

- European hotels tend to be small than those in the U.S.
- Many times the bathroom is our shower too. This means you need to remove towels and any items you do not wish to get wet.
- Facecloths are not provided. Please bring your own if you use them.
- Ice is not provided.
- Make sure you locate the emergency exit closest to your room.

### **Transportation**

- While in Italy we will have our own charter coach
- Please keep it clean.
- You may use headphones on the bus except when the guide is speaking. Please take them off and listen courteously

### **Safety**

- Please carry passports and money in a special pouch close to your body
- Do NOT place passports and money in a backpack!
  - PLEASE SIGN YOUR PASSPORT
- Take out only what you need and do not allow yourself to be distracted.
- You must have a member of our group with you at all times,
- We will hold the airline tickets once we board here in the U.S.  
Please be sure to have a tag on your luggage & INSTRUMENT

### **Instruments**

- Please do not leave instruments un-attended in airports, etc.
- Please make sure your child has extra reeds, strings, etc.

### **Food**

- Meals are chosen to satisfy all
- Three meals a day are provided
- Breakfast will typically include: juice, coffee, tea, rolls, croissants, cereal, and jam.
- When lunch is on your own, you will be able to access some fast food. You can also go together and order a pizza
- Dinner/Lunch may include: meat, pasta, potatoes, vegetables, salad, fruit, dessert, etc.

### **Telephone**

- Calling cards are recommended
- Remember our time difference (Italy is 6 hours ahead)
- If you expect your child to call home please tell them just that

### **Spending Money**

- Purchase meals- lunch/snacks in the airport, on the road, etc.
- Purchase water every day
- Souvenirs
- We encourage the use of ATM cards.

### **Suggested Clothing**

- Summer clothes: light clothes, shorts, t-shirts, etc.
- Musica Vesuviana t-shirt, and kacky pants
- Please, bring a nice outfit for dinner dance
- Please, bring an “all black” outfit for performances(black pants/skirts and black shirt/blouse, black shoes

### **Weather**

- To access the 10-day forecast, please go to weather.com and plug in:
  - Naples (Napoli)