

## **Helpful Tips for Traveling to Jamaica**

- **Things to Do Before You Travel Internationally:**
  - Leave a copy of your passport with someone not traveling with you.
  - Take a picture of your passport and driver's license in your phone.
  - Download WhatsApp for free phone calls and messaging when wi-fi is available.
  - Enroll in the Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP) through U.S. Dept. of State - <https://step.state.gov/>
  - Review U.S. Department of State site for Jamaica - <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/traveladvisories/jamaica-travel-advisory.html>
  - Make sure your credit card will work internationally.
  - Consider leaving valuable jewelry at home.
  - Consider packing light to allow room for merchandise from Jamaica.
  
- **Items to Bring:**
  - Passport (Required)
  - Pack light
  - Sunscreen
  - Bug repellent (with DEET)
  - Cash for tips
  - Medicine (Recommended in your carry-on luggage.)
  - Resort Casual Clothes (This is the Hilton Rose Hall's dress code for dinner.)
  - Swimwear
  - Sunglasses
  - Phone Charger
  - Book for the children of Howard Cooke Primary School (Community Service)
  
- **Tips While in Jamaica**
  - Use your safe in your hotel room for all valuables (if available).
  - Be aware of your surroundings.
  - Travel in groups.
  - Use transportation approved by the hotel and taxis approved by the Jamaica Tourism Board.

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