

## Mexico Mission 2007 Packing List

- socks
- shirts
- shorts (no short shorts)
- underwear
- men/boys - long pants for chapel each night (not jeans)
- women/girls -skirt or dress for chapel each night
- shoes that you don't mind getting messed up (no open toed shoes)
- jacket or sweats (it might be cool at night)
- soap
- shampoo
- towel
- washcloth
- deodorant
- toothbrush / toothpaste
- sleeping bag / pillow
- sheet (in case it is warm overnight)
- Bible
- Notebook
- pen
- flashlight
- extra batteries
- swimsuit
- pajamas
- shower shoes (flippy floppies)
- watch
- hat
- plastic bag for dirty clothes
- sunscreen
- lip balm
- bug spray
- spending money for shopping in town/travel
- GOOD ATTITUDE

### OPTIONAL ITEMS

- air mattress / sleeping pad / cot (if you can fit it in your bag)
- camera / film
- sunglasses
- day pack/back pack (for shower and shopping trips)
- wet wipes

- work gloves
- dryer sheets

### **ITEMS FOR TRAVELLING ONLY (NOT FOR USE AT THE ORPHANAGE):**

### **DO NOT BRING OR BUY IN MEXICO:**

Weapons  
Tobacco  
Alcohol  
Illegal Drugs

### **PACK ALL OF YOUR PERSONAL BELONGINGS in ONE BAG if possible.**

This bag includes your sleeping bag and pillow (you may carry your pillow on the plane). Please combine packing with your family members if possible. For example, a family of 3 or 4 can put all of their sleeping bags in one big bag. Each person can only check two bags, but we may need your second bag spot for supplies, so do the best you can to get all you need in one bag.

You may carry one small bag on the plane with your pillow or other personal items.  
Bring snacks for the plane ride and van ride.

### **HINTS:**

- Pack liquids/gels in Ziploc bags to avoid spills. **(NO LIQUIDS IN YOUR CARRY ONS)**
- Pack clothes in Ziploc bags to keep them fresh
- Leave room in your bag for souvenirs.
- Dryer sheets keep your tent and clothes smelling good and they keep bugs away.
- We will only be gone for 3 days **without doing laundry**.....so pack accordingly! (Don't over pack, but make sure you take enough to have fresh clothes every day and some clothes to get really dirty in).