



PACKING SUGGESTIONS

DON'T OVERPACK

You don't need a lot of clothing and accessories if you have the right gear. Carefully chosen gear that works is the key to being comfortably dressed to fully enjoy your expedition.

Plan Ahead

We strongly recommend you place your order at least 30 days before your sailing date.



Splash Wear Rentals

(U.S. addresses only)

Snorkeling opportunities are the highlight of a Galápagos expedition. *Silver Galapagos* carries masks, fins, snorkels and long wetsuits. Guests who prefer to use their own snorkel gear should bring their own, especially prescription masks. As water temperatures are typically chilly, ranging from 62F - 72F/16.6C - 22.2C, long wetsuits are recommended for coverage, warmth and to stay in the water longer. Wetsuits on board cannot be reserved ahead of time. Consider renting or buying your own.

What to Wear Advice

Visit silversea.shiptoshoretraveler.com for more tips on what to expedition gear pack, or contact one of our experienced adventure gear specialists.

Contact an Expedition Gear Expert

Staffed by outdoor enthusiasts who have worked as expedition staff and zodiac drivers in over 200 collective destinations, our adventure gear specialists take pride in providing the perfect gear.

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PACKING CHECKLIST

Tops

- Shirts:** Quick-drying, breathable long-sleeve shirts with UV protection. Choose light colors. Dark shades draw mosquitoes.
- Rash Guard or Lightweight Crew:** Wear when snorkeling.

Bottoms

- Pants:** Travel with ease and flexibility in lightweight, fast-drying convertible pants.
- Shorts:** Pack comfortable loose fitting and breathable shorts.
- Pareos/Sarongs:** The most versatile garment of the tropics. Wear as a skirt, a wrap, or to sit on.

Outerwear

- Light-weight loft jacket, pullover or vest:** For warmth on chilly evenings and early mornings.
- Rain Jacket/Poncho:** Lightweight rain jacket or rain poncho to keep dry during sudden downpours.

Splash Wear

- Wetsuit:** Bring your own long wetsuit for comfort and to stay in the water longer.
- Aqua Gloves and Aqua Socks:** To keep your hands and feet warm while snorkeling.



Splash wear rentals with home delivery available to U.S. addresses.

Hats

- Hat:** Shade your face from sun with a large brim hat with a chin-strap to secure your hat while on Zodiac rides.

Footwear

- Water Sandals:** Sturdy sandals that don't chafe when wet are essential expedition wear. Add socks by night to reduce insect bites. Water sandals are essential to protect your feet while near coral and sharp stone beaches.

Accessories

- Backpack:** Lightweight and water-resistant backpack is provided onboard *Silver Galapagos*, compliments of Silversea for carrying items ashore and keeping your arms free for embarking/d disembarking the Zodiacs.
- Waterproof backpack:** Recommended if you have a lot of camera equipment
- Binoculars:** Compact with at least 10X power and 25mm objective diameter for wildlife watching.
- Seal-proof waterproof bags:** Heavy-duty plastic to use to store your camera, film, binoculars and more in your backpack.
- Sun protection:** Sunglasses, waterproof sunscreen (SPF 30 minimum). Also pack insect repellent.
- Mosquito Head Net/Body Net:** Avoid insects with an ultra-fine head or a body net.