

LAST MINUTE GUIDE TO PACKING

What students find useful/essential

General

- U-lock for Bicycle
- Pocket or electronic dictionary
- Laptop
- Camera (and film if it's not digital)
- Tour Guides/maps/brochures (Lonely Planet's Japan –Osaka, Kyoto) are excellent
- MP3 player
- Backpack
- Three- to two-prong converter

Clothing

- Layered clothing
- One or two formal outfits
- Slippers (large sizes are usually not readily available)
- Comfortable shoes (especially if you are planning to travel)
- Sunglasses
- Travel Umbrella
- Rain gear

Gift ideas

- Items indigenous to your home state (i.e. calendars with Michigan insignia)
- Stationery
- Coffee/Tea
- T-Shirts w/ your home university's logo
- Dried Fruits

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