# ESSENTIAL INFORMATION WINGS OVER EUROPE'S ICONIC CAPITALS

## PASSPORT AND VISA INFORMATION

Your passport needs to be valid for **at least six (6) months** after your journey ends, and should have a minimum of five (5) blank visa pages for entry and exit stamps.

Holders of U.S. and Canadian passports are not required to obtain a tourist visa for entry into the United Kingdom, France, Italy and Greece.

Our partner VisaCentral offers easy, efficient U.S. passport and visa processing. Visit them online at <u>visacentral.com/abercrombiekent</u> or call 844 823 1224 and reference A&K's account number 73001. Service fees apply.

Citizens of other countries should contact the appropriate consular office for entry requirements pertaining to their journey.

## CASH & CREDIT CARDS

Major credit cards (Visa and MasterCard) are widely accepted; Diner's Club and American Express much less so. In smaller establishments merchants may only accept cash. ATM outlets are widely available. Unattended self-service payment kiosks such as those in parking garages, train stations or gas stations only accept a Chip and PIN card or cash.

# PACKING LIST & BAGGAGE RESTRICTIONS

On charter air flights, each passenger is limited to 1 piece of checked luggage with a maximum weight of approximately 70 pounds (32 kilograms), and 1 piece of carry-on luggage. During flights, carry-ons will be stowed with the checked luggage and will not be accessible.

Please use the provided A&K luggage tags, even if your bags already have ID tags. This makes it easier for A&K staff to find and manage your luggage for you.

## PACKING LIST

Choose versatile, casual clothing that can be layered if the weather (or level of air-conditioning) requires. Cotton and other light fabrics are comfortable choices for summertime. Spring and autumn temperatures dictate medium-weight clothing selections. Smart casual attire is appropriate for evenings. Formal clothing is not necessary.

Cathedrals, churches, and other religious sites require conservative dress. Arms and shoulders should be covered.

# Clothing Image: Walking shorts Casual slacks Image: Walking shorts Polo shirts, casual short-sleeve shirts or blouses Image: Long sleeve shirts or blouses Comfortable walking shoes with low or no heels Image: Lightweight raincoat and umbrella Sweater or fleece jacket Image: Brimmed hat or visor for sun protection Sleepwear Personal garments

□ Socks	□ Swimwear/cover-up	
Other Recommended Items <ul> <li>Face masks and hand sanitizer</li> </ul>	□ Sun block and lip balm	
□ Sunglasses	<ul> <li>Prescriptions and medications (in their original bottles and/or packaging)</li> </ul>	
Simple first-aid kit	onginal bottles and/or packaging)	
Extra eyeglasses/contact lenses	□ Smartphone	
Charging cables for electronics	Global travel adapter	

Laundry service is available at your hotels. Complimentary Traveller's Valet laundry service for 8 articles of clothing per person will be provided at the midpoint of your journey. Dry cleaning is not included.

# TIPPING GUIDELINES

While decisions regarding tipping rest entirely with you, we suggest the following gratuities (noted in U.S. dollars) depending on the type of journey:

	All Small Group Journeys and Pre/Post Tour Extensions	Tailor Made Journeys
Resident Tour Director or Group Extension Guide	\$20 per person, per day	Not applicable
Local Guides	Included	\$25 per person, per day (full day)
Drivers	Included	\$15 per person, per day (full day)
Airport Transfer Drivers	Included	\$5 per person, per transfer
Hotel Porters	Included	\$2 per bag
Housekeepers	Included	\$2 per person, per night
Included Meals	Included	Included
Restaurants or Room Service on Own	10-15% unless already added	10-15% unless already added

For extra nights or Tailor Made services added to a Small Group Journey, please follow the Tailor Made Journeys guidelines for these days only.