

### Packing List for China

Key Documents	
Physical copy of your authenticated bachelor's degree, police check and TEFL/ TESOL/ CELTA certificate	Digital copy of your authenticated bachelor's degree, police check and TEFL/ TESOL/ CELTA certificate
Original Degree Certificate	Copy of important contacts at your school
Driving licence/ ID card copy	Passport scan copy
Debit/ credit cards	Copy of debit/ credit cards
International insurance policy document (if purchased)	Medical prescriptions
Original signed Medical Check Document (if completed in your home country)	Digital Copy of signed Medical Check Document (if completed in your home country)

General Items	
Toiletries	Feminine products
Any specialist hair or beauty products	Vitamins
Sunscreen	Small Umbrella
Waterproof coat	Birth control
Generic medicines such as paracetamol, ibuprofen	Any of your favourite snacks or home comforts (it may be difficult to find them in China!)
Pocket Chinese Phrasebook	

Clothing	
What will be suitable will be dependent on your location within China. If in doubt, bring clothes for all 4 seasons.	
Women	Men
Those under 5'5 and with a small build will easily find clothes to fit in any shop. If not, it's advisable to bring sufficient clothing for the year. Shoes are widely available to buy up to a size EU40/ US8/ UK6.	Those under 5'10 will easily find clothes to fit in any shop. If not, it's advisable to bring sufficient clothing for the year. Shoes are only widely available to buy up to a size EU43/ US10/ UK8.
At work: Most public schools do not enforce a dress code, so business casual dress is acceptable. E.g trousers and a polo shirt/ top. Avoid revealing clothing, and if you have tattoos then ensure you bring clothing that allows these to be covered while at school.	
One formal outfit such as trousers, shirt and tie/ dress, for presentations, formal events or dinners	
Shirts	T-Shirts
Skirts/ trousers	Light and heavy jumper
Winter jacket	Shoes, trainers, sandals, comfortable work shoes

Electronics	
Laptop/ tablet – note <b>insurance</b> is recommended if an expensive model	Battery pack for cell phone
Unlocked cell phone – easy to buy on arrival, but you may prefer to use your smartphone	USB stick and/or external hard drive
Plug adapters (take at least 3)	Hair straighteners/ curlers

Arrange a <b>VPN</b> prior to departure and install on your mobile, tablet or laptop devices	Electric Razors
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Teaching Aids	
A few favourite books to share with your class	Photographs from home that may be of interest to students
Some small gifts from your home country to give to your Teaching Assistant/ Principal	USB with pre-prepared teaching materials/ videos/ songs etc.



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