



10 Tips for Sustainable Travel

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Pack Light Travel Right

Fact: Every kilogram of extra weight on a plane emits 0.27 kg of CO₂ over a 1,609 km flight.

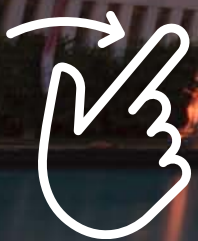
Action: Pack light to reduce your carbon footprint. Besides, admit it - half of that suitcase was just going to take a vacation in your vacation!



Choose Sustainable Accommodations

Fact: A single night in a hotel can use as much energy as you'd use at home in a week.

Action: Opt for eco-friendly accommodations to reduce your environmental impact.



Embrace Local Cuisine



Explore local markets and street food for authentic flavors and support local vendors.



Dine at locally-owned restaurants that use regional ingredients to boost the local economy.



Engage in cooking classes to immerse yourself in and appreciate the local food culture.



Use Public Transportation

Using a bike for short trips can cut emissions by 75%.

Choosing a train over a car or a domestic flight reduces emissions by 80% and 86%, respectively.

Notably, opting for the Eurostar instead of a short-haul flight from London to Paris can slash a journey's carbon footprint by 97%.



Minimize & Manage Waste

Fact: Travelers generate an average of about 5 pounds (2.3 kilograms) of waste per day.

Action: Carry reusable items such as water bottles and bags, and avoid single-use plastics whenever possible. Additionally, ensure to dispose of any rubbish responsibly, placing waste only in designated areas to maintain cleanliness and respect the environment.



Offset Your Carbon

Fact: A typical overseas trip, including flights, accommodation, and on-site transportation, can emit several tonnes of CO₂ per person, substantially impacting one's annual carbon footprint.

Action: Counteract your travel emissions by investing in carbon offset programs through platforms like GoClimate, Sustainable Travel International, or Ecologi to neutralize the carbon produced during your trips.



Practice Responsible Wildlife Tourism

Practicing responsible wildlife tourism involves engaging in experiences that prioritize animal welfare and preserve natural habitats.

Choose tours and activities that adhere to ethical guidelines, ensuring wildlife is observed respectfully and not exploited or harmed for entertainment purposes.



Educated Yourself



Before your trip, research local customs, way of life, and environmental challenges to navigate respectfully and knowledgeably during your stay.



Respect and promote local cultures and communities through mindful interactions and adherence to local norms and traditions.



Support Local Entrepreneurs

Fact: Supporting local businesses can contribute significantly to the community, with every \$100 spent at local establishments potentially generating an additional \$58 in local economic impact.

Action: Opt for local products, arts, tour guides, and restaurants to both enhance your travel experience and support the community.



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