

## **Pre-Trip Preparations**

Vehicle Readiness: Conduct a thorough check-up on your vehicle or consider renting a suitable car for long drives. Check tire pressure, oil levels, brakes, and lights to ensure a smooth journey.

**Travel Insurance:** Don't overlook the importance of travel insurance, especially for extended trips or when renting vehicles. It provides peace of mind and financial protection in case of unexpected events on the road.

Cultural Considerations: Infuse your road trip with Filipino flair by packing your favorite Filipino snacks or creating a playlist of beloved Filipino music. Embracing your heritage adds an extra layer of enjoyment to your journey.

**Google Maps:** Utilize this handy tool to plan your road trip itinerary and discover incredible views. Google Maps offers detailed navigation and real-time traffic updates, making it a reliable companion for your adventure.

**Booking Accommodation:** Take the stress out of finding lodging by booking accommodation in advance. When creating your road trip itinerary for your California adventure, consider exploring various lodging options to find the best prices on hotels that fit your budget.

# **Roadtrip Checklist**



Navigation and Documents

Don't forget essential documents such as:

- Driver's license
- Insurance papers
- Maps or navigation apps to guide your way along California's coastal views and scenic routes

### **Safety Essentials**

Ensure peace of mind with essentials for any unforeseen circumstances during your adventure:

- A well-stocked first-aid kit
- Emergency roadside kit
- Flashlight.

#### Comfort and Convenience

Stay cozy and comfortable during your travels for long hours on the road with:

- Proper clothing
- Pillows
- Blankets
- Personal hygiene products



#### **Entertainment and Leisure**

Keep boredom at bay to make the journey as enjoyable as the destinations with:

- Curated music playlists
- Engaging audiobooks
- Fun games
- Other activities like car karaoke and snack breaks

### **Food and Drinks**

Pack plenty of snacks, stay hydrated, and discover affordable dining options to fuel your exploration of destinations like Lake Tahoe, with its scenic lake and nearby casinos, or the coastal charm of Santa Barbara and Santa Monica.

### **Camping and Outdoor Gear**

For those planning future road trips exploring California's national parks, don't forget camping gear essentials to fully immerse yourself in the natural beauty and outdoor adventures awaiting you.