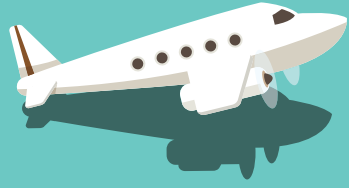


6 EASY WAYS TO SAVE ON VACATION

Plan ahead to ensure that you get the most vacation for your money

1 AIRFARE

- Sign up for airfare alerts on websites like [Skyscanner](#) or [Kayak](#).
- Book online on sites like [Google Flights](#), [Orbitz](#), or [Expedia](#)
- Book through a regional airport.
- Call your airline agent and ask for a deal.



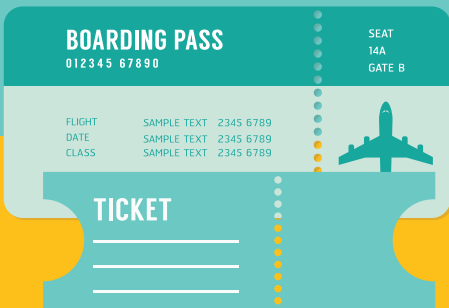
2 LODGING

- Call the hotel and ask the desk agent to beat the online rate.
- Rent an apartment or home using Airbnb or VRBO—you'll save even more by cooking your own meals.



3 FOOD

- Make lunch your main meal.
- Stock up on snack foods before you leave.
- Replenish your supply at local grocery stores.



4 DEALS

- Find vacation package deals on sites like [Expedia.com](#) and [Priceline.com](#)
- Find daily deals on sites like [Groupon Getaways](#) and [LivingSocial](#).

—TIP—

Travel in the shoulder seasons—just before or after peak season—depending on your destination. Prices are low, the weather could be really nice, shops and restaurants are open, and there are fewer tourists.

5 TRAVEL REWARDS CARDS



- Look for a card with no foreign transaction fee and generous rewards.

6 ADD A DESTINATION

- Find deals under “special offers” or by searching “stopover” on your airline’s website.
- Squeeze in an extra destination at little cost by adding a lay-over of 6 or more hours. You can take a quick tour of a city in that time and make it back to the airport for the final leg of your journey.

