

## **Suggested Packing List for the University of Mount Union**

### Items for your Carry-on Bag or Backpack

- CASH—Do not place cash in your checked bag
- Passport/Visa
- University of Mount Union Admission Offer Letter
- UMU Emergency Contact Number: Dawn Adams (330) 495-0260
- UMU Campus Security Contact Number (330) 428-1344
- UMU Address: 1972 Clark Avenue, Alliance, OH 44601
- I-20 or DS-2019
- SEVIS Confirmation
- Financial documents/Bank statements
- Immunization/Vaccination records
- High School Transcript
- SAT/TOEFL/IELTS/AP transcripts (whichever is applicable to you)
- Change of clothes
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste and travel-size toiletries (not to exceed 100 ml each)
- Medication in the original bottle (both prescription and general medication)
- Glasses/Sunglasses/Contact lenses
- Laptop and power cord (if permitted per airline regulations)
- USB Drive with scans of important documents in case they are lost
- Cell phone and charger
- Digital music device (MP3/iPod) and charger
- Camera
- Adapter and Converters for electronics that do not use 110-120 Volts
- Water Bottle (for re-fills at the airport)
- Travel Pillow
- eReader/Book/Journal

### Items for your checked bag (Please refer to page #2 for average temperatures in Alliance, OH)

- Underwear/Socks/Belt
- Long sleeve and short sleeve shirts
- Sweatshirt/ Hoodies/Sweaters
- Jeans/Khakis
- Shorts/Tank Tops/Sandals/Flip flops
- Skirts/dresses
- Workout clothes
- Pajamas
- Swimsuit
- Coat/Jacket
- Sneakers/dress shoes/ boots/ rain boots
- Cold weather gear (i.e. Winter coat/gloves/ mittens/ hat/scarf)
- Umbrella
- At least one nice outfit for formal occasions (We have a formal dinner with the University President during your first week of classes)
- National dress (because you wear it to the Fall International Dinner or Spring Multicultural Festival)
- Pictures of family, friends and pets (This will help when you experience homesickness)

The packing list was created using these primary sources: <https://www.studyabroad.com/student-guide-study-abroad-packing>, <http://www.hamline.edu/students/international/admitted/packing.html>, <https://www.washcoll.edu/offices/global-education/international-students/what-to-pack.php>, <http://www.collegexpress.com/interests/international-students/blog/college-packing-advice-international-students/>

## Average Temperature in Alliance, Ohio

Source: <http://www.intellicast.com/Local/History.aspx?unit=C&location=USOH0013>

Month	Average Low (C)	Average High (C)
January	-8°	2°
February	-7°	4°
March	-3°	11°
April	2°	17°
May	7°	22°
June	12°	27°
July	14°	29°
August	14°	28°
September	10°	24°
October	4°	18°
November	-1°	11°
December	-6°	4°