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5 STEPS

to enjoy a budget-friendly vacation.



STEP 1



Research affordable destinations

Do some research to find affordable destinations that fit your interests and budget. Consider countries where the cost of living is low, or look for places that are off the beaten path. You can also visit popular destinations during the off-season when prices are lower.

STEP 2



Compare prices for transportation and accommodations

Once you've chosen your destination, compare prices for transportation and accommodations. Use travel websites and apps to find the best deals and discounts. Consider alternative accommodations like hostels, guesthouses, or vacation rentals which are often significantly cheaper than traditional hotels.

STEP 3



Plan your itinerary around budget-friendly activities

Be sure to look up budget-friendly activities like free walking tours, hiking, and exploring local markets. Look for discounted tickets to museums, attractions, and events, and consider using public transportation to save money on taxis or rental cars.

STEP 4



Set a daily budget

Set a daily budget for yourself and stick to it. This will help you keep track of your spending and avoid overspending on unnecessary items or activities. Be sure to leave some wiggle room for unexpected expenses or emergencies.

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STEP 5



ENJOY YOUR *trip!*

It is possible to save money while still enjoying traveling and experiences. By planning ahead, being flexible, using rewards programs, packing smart, and looking for free or low-cost activities, you give yourself the chance to have a great time without breaking the bank.

YOUR *travel* BUDGET

DATES:		DESTINATION:	
EXPENSE ITEM	BUDGET	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
PASSPORT FEE			
TRAVEL INSURANCE			
HOTEL			
AIRFARE			
TRAIN TICKETS			
BUS TICKETS			
FOOD/SNACKS			
ACTIVITIES			
SOUVENIRS			
OTHER:			
TOTAL EXPENSES:			

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Tip #1

Eating like a local is an excellent way to save **money on food** while also immersing yourself in the **local culture**. Look for street food or local restaurants where the locals eat, and consider cooking your meals if your accommodations have a kitchen.



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Tip #2

Check for **exclusive deals and discounts** on travel websites and apps before booking a hotel or other accommodation. Many hotels offer perks like free breakfast or Wi-Fi, so be sure to compare prices across different booking platforms to find the best deal for your stay.

TRAVEL

Tip #3

Packing smart can also save you money. By packing light and avoiding checked **baggage fees**, you may be able to save hundreds of dollars over the course of a trip. Additionally, **if allowed**, packing snacks and drinks can **save you money on food** while traveling.





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