

# Beach House Checklist Essentials

#### **ID and Travel Documents**

- Ensure you have all necessary identification and reservations.
- Keys: Don't forget the keys to the beach house or the code for entry.
- Wallet/Purse: Include credit cards, cash, and emergency contact information.
- Phone and Charger: Keep your phone charged and bring a portable charger.

## Clothing

- Swimwear: Pack multiple swimsuits for convenience.
- Casual Wear: Shorts, t-shirts, sundresses, and casual outfits.
- Evening Wear: Light jackets or sweaters for cooler nights.
- Footwear: Flip-flops, sandals, and comfortable walking shoes.
- Hats and Sunglasses: Protect yourself from the sun.
- Beach Cover-Ups: For easy transitions between the beach and other activities.

#### **Beach Gear**

- Towels: Large beach towels and extra ones for drying off.
- Beach Chairs and Umbrellas: For comfort and shade.
- Cooler: To keep drinks and snacks fresh.
- Beach Bag: Waterproof and spacious for carrying essentials.
- Sunscreen and Lip Balm: High SPF for protection.
- Water Bottles: Stay hydrated with reusable bottles.
- Books and Magazines: Relax with some good reads.
- Snorkeling Gear: Masks, snorkels, and fins if you plan to snorkel.
- Beach Toys: Buckets, shovels, and inflatables for fun.

### **Health and Safety**

- First Aid Kit: Include band-aids, antiseptic wipes, and any personal medications.
- Insect Repellent: Protect against bugs, especially in the evenings.
- Personal Hygiene: Toothbrush, toothpaste, shampoo, conditioner, and soap.
- Hand Sanitizer and Wipes: Keep your hands clean, especially when handling food.

#### Kitchen and Food

- Groceries: Basic supplies like bread, milk, eggs, and snacks.
- Condiments: Salt, pepper, cooking oil, and any specific spices or sauces you prefer.
- Cooking Utensils: Check if the beach house provides them; if not, bring basics like a can opener, bottle opener, and knives.
- Non-Perishable Snacks: Chips, nuts, granola bars, etc.
- Reusable Bags: For groceries and beach gear.

#### **Entertainment**

- Games: Board games, cards, and outdoor games like frisbees.
- Music: Portable speakers and playlists ready to go.
- Cameras: Capture memories with a good camera or GoPro.

## Miscellaneous

- Laundry Supplies: Detergent and a laundry bag for dirty clothes.
- Blankets: Extra blankets for beach picnics or cooler nights.
- Binoculars: Great for bird watching or viewing distant ships.
- Flashlights: Useful for evening beach walks or power outages.

## **Tips**

- Check Weather: Keep an eye on the weather forecast for your trip.
- Leave a Note: Inform a friend or family member about your travel plans.
- Secure Home: Ensure your home is locked and secure before leaving.

Enjoy your beach getaway with confidence, knowing you have everything you need for a perfect trip! Have fun and stay safe!