Before You Fly

WHAT TO DO TWO MONTHS BEFORE



Start walking more. Try to get about 10,000 steps a day (about five miles) in the shoes you plan to wear to Japan. We will walk at least this much each day.





Learn some simple words and phrases. Here are a few to start:

Sumimasen = Excuse me

Arigatou = Thanks

Hai = Yes

Konnichiwa = Hello

Onegaishimasu = Please





Find out what options you have for international calls and data on your phone. You may want to stick with WiFi only while abroad.





Find out if your credit card charges foreign transaction fees, and consider using one that doesn't.



Make sure you have a passport, with at least 6 months left before expiration.



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