

As soon as you walk off the plane (providing you come in the same day as the trip) Alberto will be there with a Kite Adventures t-shirt on so you can't miss him. He will help put your gear and bags in the cars/trucks.

You will need to get all cash at the airport either ATM machines that are located on the 2nd floor, or change (cambio) kiosks, whichever you prefer. I would advise doing it through ATM machines with your ATM card, you get a much better exchange than the cambio kiosks. There are NO cash machines throughout the areas we cover. You will especially need cash (Reals) for lunches, as most of the places we eat at while out kiting are pavilion type places. Lots of restaurants do take VISA, but other credit cards are hard to come by. We've been getting good exchange rates through the ATMs and through our credit cards. I would suggest taking out **R\$100** (about \$67 USD) per person per day just to play it safe. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Also, there are some concerns about safety and personal items. The bags will either be locked up in your rooms (and they are very safe), on the trucks with you, or at the kiting destinations, if you need bring a day bag and leave it at the kiting spot, it's completely safe and you will be able to see the areas while you're kiting. Especially in Paracuru, you will see kite bags and items left outside. There is a great place to hang out during the day that is shielded from the wind.

As far as snacks and food, we will be stopping for lunches each day and restaurants for dinners are located near each pousada, We organize group dinners and these are always the most fun! Before dining, just make sure to ask if they take credit cards before you sit down if that's how you want to pay. Please bring your own snacks, (trail mix, peanuts etc) there are only a few places to stop along the way since most of the travel will be on the beach. You can get water and snacks but the variety may not be what you're used to. Either way, it's wise to bring power bars and nuts, proteins etc.

There will be an emergency cell phone with the trucks each day. It will be best for your families to call the hotels if there are problems. We can also be reached at 91 7-756-5261 ;

we can then forward the message to each pousada if needed.

Bring a sweatshirt and/or long sleeved shirt as it can get windy at night, the temps during the day will be 80s, so just could be chilly at night.

Internet: There is Internet access at every spot we visit, whether at the hotels (some can be slow) or in town, you will be able to check your internet when needed.

Laundry: We have a washing machine in Paracuru that you can use and also the hotel in Jericoacoara has laundry, we can help out with that.

Medications: The only thing I would suggest is bringing Imodium and/or Pepto as some of the food you may not be used to, but other than that just bring your basic headache medicine – if you need something else you can find it at a pharmacy which are located everywhere...

The areas we are taking you to are breathtaking- I think you will feel the same way. If you have any problems, questions, please let me know. We'd like to give you a survey to fill out at the end of your trip so we know what you thought about your Kite Adventure -

Thanks so much!

Kite Adventures