



# World Finals Checklist

This is for parents and participants. This list is a general reminder of some of the things you want to keep in mind as you prepare for your trip to World Finals.

- ✓ Remember to ship all of your props, scripts, and costumes.
- ✓ Ship or bring a tool kit. Consider including hot glue & hot glue gun, duct tape, hand tools, and a backup of any specialty part your team is using.
- ✓ Be sure to pack important items to take with you. If you are flying, be aware of the rules of what can be carried on to the plane. Be sure to bring:
  - \_\_\_ Phone and charger     \_\_\_ Medicine     \_\_\_ Money/debit card
  - \_\_\_ Signed media release     \_\_\_ Toiletries     \_\_\_ Signed medical release
  - \_\_\_ Sweatshirt/jacket     \_\_\_ Clothes     \_\_\_ Good luck charm!
- ✓ Did you get pins to trade? Pin trading is a popular activity at World Finals and a great way for kids to make new friends from all around the world! If you bought pins, be sure to pack them. If you didn't, find out how to get them from your Association when you are at WF in case you change your mind.
- ✓ Download our free OMER's World app from your app store. It has all the info. about World Finals including competition and activities schedule, site maps, shuttle routes, and contacts, plus you can create a custom calendar. It's a great way to stay up-to-date with announcements. Those at home can use it to stay informed with what's happening.
- ✓ Do you know about the Buddy team program? Information is included and online.
- ✓ Read through the packet from the University (enclosed). It gives you a lot of tips on travel and what to expect when you arrive on campus.
- ✓ Setup a plan for staying in touch with home. Designate a time to text or call.
- ✓ Follow Odyssey HQ on Social Media to see pictures and coverage of the event.