item	type of receipt	notes

Airfare:

Note: Do not book any international air travel prior to contacting a member of the project. **We cannot guarantee reimbursement for self-booked international travel.** Special rules apply.

Airfare reimbursement requires:

A paper, original printed airline ticket showing the cost of airfare (rarely available)

OR

E-ticket or e-receipt showing cost of airfare and proof of payment and one of the following:

- Boarding passes
- Hotel folio in your name, identifying the dates of the trip

OR

Credit card statement proving ticket purchase(s) **and** one of the following:

- Boarding passes
- Travel itinerary

Please save your boarding passes whenever possible.

Baggage fees, flight change	original	must show amount and proof of payment
Rail fare (see also Subway)	e-receipt	must show amount and proof of payment
Train ticket	original	required only when other supporting documentation is not available (e-receipt plus hotel folio, etc.)
Hotel folio	e-receipt	must show zero balance and traveler name; scan acceptable
Booking service receipt	unacceptable	prepaid service that does not itemize rooms by night is unacceptable without supporting documentation
Auto Mileage Reimbursement (IRS rate)	other	include a map (or link to one) showing the exact mileage for claim (you cannot claim 450 miles and provide a map showing 448 miles); address must be accurate
Auto Rental	original	must show amount and proof of payment
Gas receipts	original	must show amount and proof of payment
Toll receipts	n/a	reimbursed as per diem incidentals
Taxis, airport shuttles, etc.	original	must show amount (including tip, if being claimed); credit card statement an acceptable substitute
Airport parking	varies	original or e-receipt; must show amount and dates in/out
Subway, local rail	n/a	typically reimbursed as per diem incidentals
Meals	n/a	reimbursed as part of the per diem
Per Diem: Meals and incidental expenses	request via email or letter	Based on federal rates. 75% of rate on travel days. domestic: http://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/site/perdiemCalc.cfm foreign: http://aoprals.state.gov/content.asp?content_id=184&menu_id=81
Other (hotel internet, snacks, visa fees, etc.)	conditional	receipt requirement varies by expense type; most items covered by per diem

What constitutes proof of payment? Item must show amount charged to credit card ("\$\$ charged to CC ending in 1234"). Otherwise, a credit card billing statement must be provided.

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