**Canada Flight Checklist (Advanced Preparation)**

## Plane

[ ] AR(R}OW: Include "Radio Station License" [ ] List of Pilots authorized to fly to Canada

[ ] Dept. of Homeland Security Decal ( Expires Yearly}

[ ] Proofof Liability Coverage-$100,000 CAD for GTOW up to 2300 lbs. [ ] ID Data plate

[ ] 12" Registration marks

[ ] Mode C Transponder and ADSB [ ] 121.5 or 406 ELT

[ ] US/CA Charts

## Pilot

[ ] Passport

[ ] Pilot cert. with English endorsement [ ] Medical (Basic med not accepted}

[ ] "Restricted Radiotelephone Operators Permit" (Each pilot flying}

* Submit Application Online: FCC Form 605 Main Form and Schedule E [ ] eAPIS account

[ ] Two Covid Vaccines [ ] ArriveCAN account **Passengers**

[ ] Passport

[ ] Two Covid Vaccines [ ] ArriveCAN account

[ ] Children traveling with only one parent must have a notarized statement of approval from the absent parent stating the dates of the trip

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## Flying into Canada

[ ] Plan 1st landing at Canda Border Services Agency Airport of Entry

[ ] Complete ArriveCAN less than 72 hours prior to scheduled arrival (all occupants)

* Receipt should show A, I, or V next to names [ ] File eAPIS >1 hour before departure

[ ] Receive eAPIS confirmation, instructions to follow, and permission to depart

[ ] Call (888) 226-7277 (CAN PASS) more than 2and less than 48 hours before departure

* Write down ID# they provide [ ] File/Activate ICAO flight plan

[ ] Talk/Squawk

## Upon Arrival in Canada

[ ] Do not exit plane!! Call CANPASS again at (888) 226-7277

* Possible need for inspection
* Possible need for random covid test (check email) [ ] Close Flight Plan: 1 (866) WXBRIEF

## Returning to US

[ ] Plan 1st landing at US Customs and Border Patrol (CBP) Airport of Entry

* Be careful-some are costly and require extensive waits [ ] File eAPIS

[ ] Receive eAPIS "Notification of ReceiptofTransmission"

[ ] Call US CBP from the ground 1-23 hours prior to arrival time [ ] Receive US CBP "Permission to Land" and review instructions [ ] File/Activate flight plan

[ ] Talk/Squawk

[ ] Report to US CBP once on ground stateside

* If diversion neccesary, contact closest CBP office. If after hours, call 1-800-X-SECTOR [ ] Close Flight Plan

# Resources

### •Flight Planning: Flightplanning.navcanada.ca

* FCC Form 605: [https://www.fee.gov/fcc-form-605](http://www.fee.gov/fcc-form-605)

### •eAPISAccount: https://eapis.cbp.dhs.gov/auth/login.html?resource\_url=https%3A%2F%2Feapis.cbp.dhs.gov%2Feapis% 2Flogin

* ArriveCAN Account: [https://www.canada.ca/e](http://www.canada.ca/en/borde)n/borde r-services-agency/services/arrivecan.html

•AOPA Flying to Canada: [https://www.aopa.org/travel/international-travel/canada](http://www.aopa.org/travel/international-travel/canada)

### •AOPA Cross Border Flying: https:/[/www.aopa.org/-/media/files/aopa/home/go-flying/cross-border­](http://www.aopa.org/-/media/files/aopa/home/go-flying/cross-border) flying\_v8.pdf

•Canada.ca Flying to Canada: What you need to know: https://tc.canada.ca/en/aviation/general­ operating-flight-rules/flying-canada-what-you-need-know-tp-15048

* AOPA ASI Understanding eAPIS: A Pilot's Guide to Online Customs Reporting: [https://ww](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k8V-CZ2PBJU)w [.youtube.com/watch?v=k8V-CZ2PB](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k8V-CZ2PBJU)J U

### US CBP Private Air APIS Guide: https:/[/www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Private%20Air%20Guide%203%200%20%2](http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Private%20Air%20Guide%203%200%20%252) 8Jan%202015%29.pdf

•AOPA Pilot Information Center-Call/Emailif needed: [https://www.aopa.org/about/pi1ot-information­](http://www.aopa.org/about/pi1ot-information) center#:~:text=Chat%20with%20us%20online%20during,%3A00%20p.m.%2C%20Eastern%20time