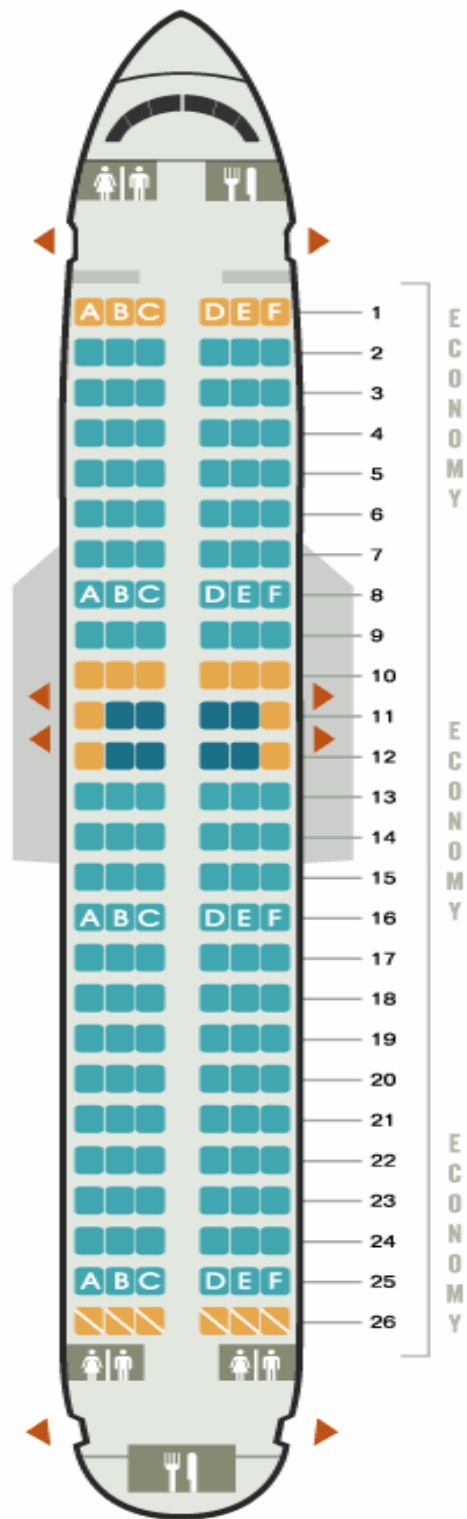


# Tips for Flying

## Flying Jet Blue By Yourself





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# **BEFORE YOU GET ON THE PLANE**



## Get Your Boarding Pass and Checking Your Luggage

### ***This is done at the airport***

- 1) Go to the Jet Blue Counter
- 2) Show them your flight information
- 3) Tell them how many pieces of luggage you are going to check. (this does not include what you are taking on the plane yourself – carry-on baggage- just what you are checking.
  - They may ask you to take your luggage to another place for x-ray.
  - At the x-ray place, put the luggage down and
  - Answer any questions they ask you, like “has this luggage been in your view the whole time, or did you pack it yourself.
  - Then you leave your luggage there.
- 4) You will get
  - ◆ your boarding pass
    - this usually tells you what gate and also the seat assignment (the number is the row and the letter tells you which seat in the row
    - a claim check for your luggage

**The Reservation Assistant will tell you the gate number. If they don't ask.**



## Go Through Security

- 1) Show your picture ID and boarding pass to the security person
- 2) Put your carry-on bags on the conveyor belt
- 3) Take off your shoes and put them in a tray
- 4) If you have change in your pocket, put that in a tray
- 5) Take off your belt (or before you go to the airport, put your belt in your backpack and put it on after you go through security)
- 6) Holding your Boarding Pass, go through the metal screener when the security person tells you to
  - o if you have any metal on you they may ask you to empty your pockets
    - they may ask to wand you. This means you go to a separate area and they wave a handheld metal screener over you.
- 7) After you go through the metal screener you can pick up your shoes, backpack and anything else in the tray.
  - o Sometimes they put a bag through the x-ray again or
  - o They want to look inside your carry-on bag.



**Do not make any jokes or comments about dangers on planes or terrorists**

## Go To the Jet Blue Waiting Area

### In Long Beach

- 1) This is usually a separate building
- 2) Find your gate and sit in the seats near the gate.
- 3) When the Gate people get to the desk at the gate, you can go up to them and tell them that you are new at flying alone and may need some help.
- 4) There will be an announcement when it is time to board the plane.
- 5) Usually they will tell you which rows are boarding
- 6) They load the plane from the front and the back
- 7) They will tell you which rows are load from the front and which ones load from the back

### In Boston

- 1) These are the gates to the right of the Jet Blue Ticket Area
- 2) Find your gate and sit in the seats near the gate.
- 3) When the Gate people get to the desk at the gate, you can go up to them and tell them that you are new at flying alone and may need some help.
- 4) There will be an announcement when it is time to board the plane.
- 5) Usually they will tell you when each row should board



# On The Plane



## **Before Take Off**

- 1) Find your seat and put your backpack under the seat
- 2) Turn off anything that has an on/off switch – MP3 player, Gameboy, PSP
- 3) Seatbelts must be fastened
- 4) Listen to the instructions by the flight attendant



## **During the Flight**

- 1) Stay in your Seat unless you need
  - To go to the bathroom
  - Get something to eat or drink
- 2) When they say it is okay, you may use your MP3 player or Gameboy.
- 3) If you need help push the button for the flight attendant, but only if you really need help



## **Before and During the Landing**

- 1) Make sure your seat belt is fastened
- 2) Turn off anything with an on/off switch
- 3) Tray table up
- 4) Seat is in the upright position
- 5) When the plane lands ,
  - Get your backpack
  - Put away any books, magazines, MP3 player or anything else you took out
  - Wait your turn to get off the plane
    - Each row gets off in turn, starting from the front of the plane
      - In Long Beach, you may also get off from the back of the plane if that is the door that is closest to your seat.
    - You can also wait in your seat until



**In Long Beach,  
you deplane on  
the tarmac**

**In Boston, you  
deplane in the  
terminal**

# The End of the Trip





### **In Boston**

- 1) Follow the signs to Baggage Claim ( down the escalator )
- 2) When you get to the bottom of escalator, Bob will be waiting to pick you up
  - He will have a sign that says either
    - Guthrie
    - Guthrie Devine
    - Devine
- 3) Bob will go with you to the baggage claim and help you get your luggage.
- 4) Bob will drive you to TLC
- 5) Bob has already been paid so you don't have to worry about paying him.

## **In Long Beach**

- 1) Follow the crowd through the Jet Blue waiting area and outside to the front of the airport
- 2) Either Mom, Dad or both of us will be waiting for you
- 3) We will help you get your luggage

