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3 of 3 people found the following review helpful. A MUST-Read if you plan to fly anywhere for the first time!By Tracy in AZI was extremely nervous about flying with my 20 month old for the first time. I had a ton of anxiety about TSA, FAA approved restraints, and more... this book eased my mind about everything! Plus, she gives you excellent (and extremely useful) tips about her experiences and what worked and doesn't work. The best tip she gave (that I would have never thought of) was to take sanitizing spray. You can get the little lysol bottles in the travel section at Target or Walmart. You will be so disgusted when you see what you've been touching all these years - total filth! Yes, it smells like lysol - but, who cares! It's worth a little lysol smell to not have your kids get some unknown disease from the previous traveler. There are so many great things about this book - I actually read it twice before we left for our trip - it helped me feel more relaxed and less anxious about our trip. Thank you for writing this extremely helpful book!! I would highly recommend this book to anyone that is flying (or has flown - you'll definitely learn a few new tricks/tips) with little kids. Great book... I downloaded it on my Kindle!1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. A big help as we prepare for our trip!By NH MommyThis book is just what I was looking for. It is short, sweet, and to the point. It is a nice quick read (an hour or so, and I'm a slow reader) and it's well organized. I love the packing list she gives at the end - I will definitely be using it! It's just nice to know how to better "...[manage] things you can control so you can deal with flight delays and other things you can't control" (p. 58). Realistic, down-to-earth, and do-able advice. Quite a few things I hadn't thought of, and confirmation of ideas I was already thinking/wondering about. Glad I bought it!Do be advised that, in the copy I received, page 7 ended up being a complete repeat of page 3. I think I'm missing what should be on page 7. Not sure whose fault it is (author or publisher), but thought it was important to mention in case another round of printings/publishings happens in the future - perhaps it could be corrected?UPDATE:Ms. Dillon, thank you so much for reaching out to me and sending me a new, corrected copy! I have literally recommended this book to everyone I know/meet who mentions they'll be traveling by airplane with their little one(s). The simple, easy advice is SO worth the meager purchase of this book. It made my trip go SO much more smoothly than it would have without it! I actually managed to enjoy flying with my 1yo!1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. very helpfulBy tjzSome web info on travel with toddlers is all the same. I find personal experiences are better than any 'travel checklist' I have found online. This ebook is by far the best info I have read as it is a collection of personal experiences by a well travelled family. Thanks!

If you're reading this, you may be dreading an upcoming flight with your young child or thinking about taking one, but aren't sure you can handle it. I completely understand, but have no fear. Long haul flights were routine for us as we spent 7 years as expatriates. When my daughter was born in Hong Kong (7500 miles away from our families in California), we obviously had to fly her home for visits. I had anxiety about this for years before I was pregnant and I thought about canceling our first long haul flight trip multiple times. My newborn baby was fussier than most, had major acid reflux, I had to fly alone with her, and our journey was 24 hours door to door. We were just fine, in the end. With preparation, you will be, too. Since then, I've flown long haul and domestically with my daughter more times than I can count. I now enjoy the adventure with her, but getting to this point was not without challenges. I bought tons of useless gear and spent countless hours scouring the Internet for information. The purpose of this ebook is to share details both large and small to help you get from departure to destination without hiccups. I share how I plan my flights from scheduling to seat assignments. Does your baby need a bassinet? There are a few things you need to know that isn't information usually found on airline websites. I include tips to get you, your child and all of your gear through security and to the airplane. Speaking of gear, specific products have been very helpful to us. I'll tell you why and where to buy some of it. The most pressing issue parents seem to have is how to keep kids entertained and fuss free on the plane. Specific things worked for us and I developed a strategy for quieting meltdowns. It can also be tough to get kids on long haul flights to sleep and keep them (and, therefore, you) from getting severe jet lag. We received jet lag advice from medical professionals that does work. My daughter is usually over her jet lag by the second day. What you bring in your carry-on is key. To avoid stress, it's important to organize and pack it well. I'll tell you everything I bring onboard and keep within arms reach on the plane. There is nothing worse than having something you need in a bag in the overhead compartment, when the seat belt sign is on. Remember, if you request bulkhead seats you will not be able to store a bag at your feet. Other topics include tips for diapering on the plane, in flight meals, flying first or business class, and more. You'll also be able to receive quick answers to questions via our ongoing discussion on Twitter via the #flyingwithkids hashtag. There is helpful information in this ebook, regardless of how long your flight is.

About the AuthorKatie Dillon writes La Jolla Mom (<http://lajollamom.com>), a lifestyle site covering parenting, travel, cooking with kids, home management and local happenings. After seven years of expat life in London and Hong Kong, she is now grounded in the seaside community of La Jolla, CA with her husband and preschool-aged daughter. Thanks to years of traveling experience with her toddler, Katie has compiled very helpful tips and instructions geared towards helping parents, their children and other passengers cope with long or even short haul flights.