

ROME

Research -

Where are you going?

Look up some destination attractions online as an example.

Observation -

Look at pictures on projector and make observations.

What are the non-verbal communications you get from people

Find a shopping mall and watch people

What are people doing?

Mentor -

Find a cultural mentor.

Someone you can ask those “what does this mean?” questions

Adult not peer.

Experience -

Try new things.

What seems odd to you? Try it.

Explore -

Try new things.

Not all things in passport culture are bad.

Not all things in your African culture are good.

Check out things near and around you when you arrive.

What do you need to do in the first two weeks?

Enjoy -

Live it up, enter in and have fun with where you are.