Other Helpful Information

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Newspapers

- **Ann Arbor News** [1] - Ann Arbor's daily newspaper covers international, national and local news and events. Very informative. Excellent classified advertisement section. Thursday edition includes arts and entertainment for the following week.


Weights and Measures

Distance

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Clothing Sizes

Women

Dresses, suits and coats

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Shirts and sweaters

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For some Asian countries

Asian Countries

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Shoes
Asian countries 230-235 240-245 250-255 260
U.S. 5 6 7 8 9

Men

**Suits, sweaters, and overcoats**

U.K./U.S. 34 36 38 40 42 44 46

**Dress shirts**

U.K./U.S. 14 14½ 15 15½ 16 16½ 17

**Shoes**

U.K. 6½ 7 7½ 8 8½ 9 9½ 10
U.S. 7 7½ 8 ½ 9 9½ 10 10½

**U.S. Holidays**

For a complete list of holidays celebrated in the U.S. visit [Wikipedia's holiday page](#). [5]

**Important Phone Numbers**

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Northwood Community Apartments 734.764.9998
U-M International Center 734.764.9310

**Spiritual Resources**

- [Association of Religious Counselors](http://umich.edu/~religion/) [6]
- [Maize page](https://maizepages.umich.edu/Organizations) [7]
- [Arborweb](https://annarborobserver.com/articles/front_page.html) [2] (under City Guide > Community)

**Source URL**: https://internationalcenter.umich.edu/resources/life/other

**Links**

[5] https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Public_holidays_in_the_United_States
[7] https://maizepages.umich.edu/Organizations