

5 of the most over-the-top examples of wealth and luxury I saw on my first trip to Aspen, Colorado



The author in Aspen, Colorado. [Monica Humphries/Insider](#)

There weren't many name-brand snacks at the airport. Instead, my options were limited to \$15 trail mix and 5 of the most over-the-top examples of wealth and luxury I saw on my first marshmallow treats.



The snacks at the Aspen/Pitkin County Airport. [Monica Humphries/Insider](#)

The airport had one eatery that sold warm food and snacks. There were few name brands beyond Coca-Cola products, Wrigley gum, and Flipz pretzels.

I spent about \$8 on a pack of gum and a marshmallow treat. Although I'm used to airport food being overpriced, Aspen's airport set the bar even higher in terms of prices.

At the food counter, travelers could order an \$18 chicken cordon bleu sandwich, a \$19 portobello rice bowl, or a \$19 pork carnitas burrito.

When it came to snacks, options included a \$15 bag of trail mix, caramel-flavored popcorn, and handmade marshmallow treats from The Crispery.

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