

# excursions

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### Important Note:

The Whale Shark Observation Tour is a **seasonal experience**, available from June to August, identified by a green circle.



# Chichen Itza & Valladolid

#### **Encounter of Two Worlds**

Explore the ancient wonders of Chichen Itza, home to the iconic Kukulkan Pyramid, one of the New 7 Wonders of the World. Marvel at the grandeur of the largest surviving Mesoamerican ball court and the Astronomical Observatory, among other remarkable structures. Savor authentic regional cuisine and cool off in a stunning cenote at a local hacienda. End your journey in the charming town of Valladolid, where traces of its colonial past remain. A perfect adventure for those passionate about Maya culture.

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.





- Maya structures and temples: the pyramid of Kukulkan, the Ball Game, the Caracol or Observatory, the platform of the eagles and jaguars, the Temple of the Warriors, etc.
- Open cenote (cylinder form)
- Local hacienda
- Colonial architecture and building

#### Must know

Duration: Full day Recommended age: 8+ Physical effort: Moderate

This tour can also be arranged on a private basis.

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Entrance to archeological site Entrance to cenote Buffet lunch Visit of Valladolid downtown

#### Practical Info

Itinerary: 7:30 am – 6:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash & credit card
- ID

# Coba's Secrets

### A Jungle Adventure

The untouched jungle setting instantly transports you back thousands of years. As you ride along on rented bicycles or bike-taxi, hidden Maya ruins suddenly rise out of the undergrowth. Admire the majesty of Nohoch Mul, the tallest Maya pyramid (137 ft.) on the Yucatan Peninsula. After lunch, take a refreshing dip in a cenote.

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.



### Must see

- Maya structures: Nohoch Mu pyramid, the Ball Court, the Paintings Group, stone stelas Macanxoc structures, etc.
- Jungle landscapes
- Cavern with rock formations

#### Must know

**Duration:** Full day **Recommended age:** 6+ **Physical effort:** Moderate

This tour can also be arranged on a private basis.

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Entrance to archeological site Entrance to cenote Buffet Lunch

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 7:30 am – 5:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Cash & credit card
- ID

# Tulum & Cenote Escape

### **Oceanfront History & Underground River Adventure**

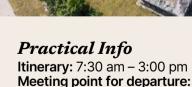
Explore the ancient walled city of Tulum, perched on a cliff with stunning views of the Caribbean Sea. This archeological site features some of the best-preserved mural paintings in the region, offering a fascinating glimpse into Mayan history. Afterward, enjoy a swim in the crystal-clear waters of an underground river, marveling at the impressive stalactites and stalagmites that enhance the natural beauty of these hidden wonders.



Must see







Main reception

### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- · Cash & credit card
- ID

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half day Recommended age: 6+ **Physical effort:** Moderate

This tour can also be arranged on a private basis.

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Entrance to archeological site Entrance to cenote

# The Ancient Kingdom of Ek'Balam

### **Climb into Maya History**

Discover Ek'Balam, one of the less-crowded Maya ruins in the area. Marvel at the artistic detail and symbolism incorporated in the façade of the Acropolis, where a royal burial chamber was found. Climb up to the top of this majestic building and enjoy a spectacular 360-degree view. End your visit with a relaxing swim in a cenote (natural freshwater sinkhole).

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.







#### Must see

- Mava structures and architecture: Maya arc, several temples, two
- Jungle canopy views

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half day Recommended age: 6+ **Physical effort:** Moderate

This tour can also be arranged on a private basis.

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Entrances to Ek'Balam archeological site and cenote

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 7:30 am - 3:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- · Cash & credit card
- ID



# Snorkel with Sea Turtles

### **A Journey into Nature**

Embark on an unforgettable marine turtle observation tour in Akumal, a protected natural area whose name means "Place of the Turtles" in Mayan. Experience the magic of snorkeling alongside these beautiful creatures as they glide gracefully through crystal-clear waters. Then, immerse yourself in the serenity and adventure of exploring a unique cenote, completing your journey in nature.

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.







### Must see

- shallow waters

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half day Recommended age: 6+ Physical effort: Moderate

This tour can also be arranged on a private basis.

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Snorkeling in Akumal Snorkeling gear Entrance to cenote Snack

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 7:30 am - 3:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Flip flops or water shoes
- Sunscreen
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Towel
- · Cash & credit card
- ID

# Enchanting Holbox

## **Birds, Beaches and Tropical Vibes**

Discover the incredible wildlife of Holbox Island and its stunning landscapes. Visit Isla de la Pasión, home to diverse bird species, and depending on the season, you might spot pink flamingos. Stop at Punta Mosquito's pristine white-sand beach, enjoy a 30-minute guided golf cart tour, and explore downtown with its vibrant Caribbean vibe. End your day with a delicious meal and relaxation on a paradisiacal beach.

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.





- Isla de la Pasión (birds)
- Punta Mosquito (unspoiled beach)
- Ocean and coastal views
- Colorful houses and buildings at downtown.

#### Must know

Duration: Full day Recommended age: 8+ Physical effort: Easy

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer to/from Chiquilá
Bottled water during transfer
Snacks & beverages (water & sodas)
Multilanguage guide
Boat tour
Golf cart (subject to weather
conditions)
Lunch (option for vegetarians, or
people with allergies)

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 7:00 am – 7:00 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Flip flops
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash & credit card
- ID

<sup>\*</sup>All excursions are operated by Ancila Tours, an independent provider.

# Contoy Eco Discovery

# **Untamed Beauty and Nature's Sanctuary**

Experience Isla Contoy, the last uninhabited virgin island of the Mexican Caribbean. Relax on pristine beaches with crystal-clear waters, rich wildlife, and lush vegetation. Enjoy snorkeling at one of the world's largest coral reefs, teeming with tropical fish and stunning coral. Savor freshly prepared local cuisine, crafted by our talented mariners and captains. Visit Isla Mujeres for an hour of relaxation on an idyllic beach or exploring the charming streets of this colorful fishing village.







- Untouched coastline
- Natural landscapes
- Different species of birds (comorants, pelicans, frigate birds, etc.)
- Reef (vibrant fish and coral)
- Picturesque streets and buildings at Isla Mujeres downtown; or whitesand beach with shallow waters.

#### Must know

**Duration:** Full day **Recommended age:** 10+ **Physical effort:** Easy

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Soft drinks & Snacks Multilanguage guide Boat trip to Isla Mujeres Lunch

#### Practical Info

Itinerary: 8:30 am – 6:00 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Flip flops
- SwimsuitTowel
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash & credit card
- ID

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# Horseback Jungle Adventure

### A Relaxing Ride into Nature

Ride through the tropical jungle on gentle horses guided by experienced equestrians. Before heading back to the hotel, cool off in a natural freshwater pool or cenote. Important notes: Horseback riding walk for beginners. Weight restrictions apply. No pregnant women allowed.

\*Excursion subject to change without prior notice.





- Jungle horseback ride
- Cenote

#### Must know

Duration: Half day Recommended age: 8+ Physical effort: Moderate

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Bilingual guide 2-hour program Safety equipment Entrance to cenote Soft drinks after horse ride

#### Practical Info

Itinerary: Morning and afternoon departures available
Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- · Cash & credit card
- ID

**Seasonal**June - August

# Whale Shark Observation Tour

### Wildlife Encounter

Each year between the months of June and September, whale sharks migrate to the warm, plankton-rich waters of the coast of the Yucatan Peninsula. Get up close to the largest fish in the world and watch them swim gracefully in their natural habitat. *To minimize our impact on the environment and their living conditions, we kindly ask our guests not to wear any sunscreen and wear a rashguard instead.* 

\*Excursion subject to favorable weather conditions. Estimated times..









• Whale sharks in their natural environment. Sometimes mantas can be spotted, as well.

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half-day excursion (seasonal)

**Ages:** 10+

Physical effort: Active

Activity in open sea.
Whale sharks are gentle animals. **Participants**must know how to swim.

#### **Includes**

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Snorkeling gear Light snack & soft drinks on board

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 6:30 am – 2:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main reception

\*Estimated times. Itinerary subject to change without prior notice.

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Cash and credit card
- ID



# Treasures of Isla Mujeres

### **Paradise in Every Horizon**

Depart from the resort's dock aboard our catamaran "Color del Caribe," for a memorable trip to Isla Mujeres. Marvel at breathtaking landscapes as you navigate across crystal-clear aquamarine waters. Explore the charming island by golf cart, uncovering its rich history and natural beauty. Before returning, take a refreshing dip in the shallow waters of Playa Norte, a pristine beach with an idyllic natural pool. **Guided tour.** \*This excursion is subject to favorable weather conditions.







- · Mangrove scenery
- Breathtaking ocean views
- Scenic island coastline explored by golf cart
- Punta Sur: Maya pyramid dedicated to the goddess Ixchel, impressive art sculptures, and stunning ocean vistas
- Pristine white-sand beach with calm, shallow waters

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half day **Recommended age:** 

All ages

Physical effort: Easy

#### *Includes*

Trip to Isla Mujeres in 45-feet catamaran

Guide in the language of the group

Golf Cart

Soft drinks , Open bar , Snacks

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: 7:30 am – 2:30 pm Meeting point for departure: Main pool

\*Estimated times. Itinerary subject to change without prior notice.

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Flip-flops
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit & towel
- Rashguard (recommended)
- Camera
- Cash
- ID

# Jungle Tour with Snorkeling

## A Mix of Nature, Culture & Adventure

Connect with our ancestors as you participate in pre-Hispanic ceremonies and dances accompanied by Maya warriors (characters). Drive your own speedboat and explore the mangrove jungle in the Nichupte lagoon, while admiring the panoramic scenery. Snorkel in the world's second largest coral reef and enjoy typical appetizers, before heading back to the resort. Guided tour.

\*This excursion is subject to favorable weather conditions.







- Maya ceremony
- Mangrove scenery
- Ocean views
- Coral reet



**Duration:** 4 hours **Ages:** 

Min age driver: 18 y.o. Min age passenger: 6 y.o.

Physical effort: Moderate

#### Includes

Marine Park fee

Round-trip transfer
Speed boat ride
Snorkeling and snorkeling gear
Maya appetizers and one beverage
Bilingual guide
Towel
Locker (requires a refundable
deposit of 5 USD/100 MXN)

#### **Practical Info**

Itinerary: Different departure times available
Meeting point for departure:

Meeting point for departure: Main reception

#### Must have

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- · Cash and credit card
- ID

# Sport Fishing

## **Deep Sea Thrill Sensations**

Embark on an unforgettable fishing adventure with our expert crew, who will guide you to the best spots for a big catch. Enjoy quality time with family or friends as you take in stunning ocean views and reel in your prize. Ask about the option to grill and savor your catch.

### **Try Your Hand at Fly Fishing**

Departing directly from the resorts' dock, experience world-class fly fishing with professionals and catch a variety of fish. Maximum capacity per boat: 3 people.

\*This excursion is subject to favorable weather conditions.









#### Must know

Duration: 4 h / 6 h Recommended age: 6+ Physical effort: Moderate

These tours are also available privately. Fish catching and release is available.

#### **Includes**

Soft drinks Fishing gear and bait

In Deep Sea Fishing, the dock fee is not included.

Itinerary: Different times

available

Meeting point for departure:

Deep Sea Fishing: Main

reception

Fly Fishing: Dock by the

main pool

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash and credit card
- ID

# Golfing in Paradise

## **Perfect Your Swing**

Choose the perfect round for you! Sharpen your golf swing while enjoying quality time with friends or family in a beautiful setting. Play on professionally designed courses crafted by world-renowned architects. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced golfer, everyone is welcome to join the fun!

**El Tinto Golf Course**. Designed by Nick Price. It features 84 sand tramps that complement five beautiful lakes.

**Riviera Cancun Golf Course.** Designed by Jack Nicklaus. It integrates mangroves and lagoons in 10 of the 18 holes.





- Jungle landscapes
- Sand tramps
- Water bodies / lagoons
- Seaside hole

\*Depending on selected golf course.

#### Must know

Recommended age: 6+ Physical effort: Moderate

#### Includes

Shared cart Food and beverages Practice balls

**IMPORTANT:** Golf clubs, shoes and balls not included.

#### Practical Info

Itinerary: Different tee times available Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Golf shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash and credit card
- ID

### **Learn Golf**

Immerse yourself in the world of golf. Parents and children can learn and play the game together or by themselves. Ask about our personalized golf lessons, where professional instructors will analyze your swing (video and software analysis), and help you improve your technique. Golf clinics are available at both the Riviera Cancun and El Tinto golf courses.







Must know Recommended age: All ages

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Physical effort: Active Be

Includes
Lesson
Material for lesson
Bottled water

**Practical Info** 

Program: Different times available
Meeting point for departure:
Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Golf shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash and credit card

# Adventure Parks and More

#### **Fun and Nature Await**

Embark on an exciting journey to discover the region's stunning natural wonders and thrilling adventures. Enjoy various activities, including swimming in a mesmerizing underwater river, zip lining over lush jungles, snorkeling in the world's second-largest coral reef, and exploring ancient Maya architecture, among many other experiences. Contact us for more information.







- The jungle canopy
- The Nichupté lagoon
- Mangrove scenery
- Snorkeling
- Zip lines
- \*Depending on the park.

#### Must know

**Duration:** Half / Full day **Recommended age:** 

All ages

Physical effort: Moderate

#### Includes

Entrance to park

#### Practical Info

Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Mosquito repellent
- Cash and credit card
- ID

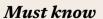
# Joya by Cirque du Soleil

### **An Unforgettable Night**

Step into a world of enchantment at Joya, Cirque du Soleil's first resident show in Mexico. Be mesmerized by breathtaking acrobatics, stunning visuals, and an immersive storyline inspired by the rich culture and nature of the region. This extraordinary performance, set in an intimate theater, combines mind-blowing artistry with a gourmet dining experience for a truly one-of-a-kind evening. Don't miss the chance to witness this spellbinding fusion of creativity and wonder!







Open Tuesday - Saturday. **Duration:** 80-minute show with a one-hour dinner and musical prelude. If you buy an experience with dinner, vou'll eniov 2-hours and 20minutes of entertainment. Ages: 3+

### Includes

- 4 Options available:
- Show-Only Experience
- Show & Appetizers
- Show & Dinner Experience VIP
- Show & Dinner Experience
- \* Vegetarian menu available upon request

#### **Practical Info**

**Program:** Different times available

Meeting point for departure:

The main reception

#### Must have

- · Cash and credit card
- ID

### Must see

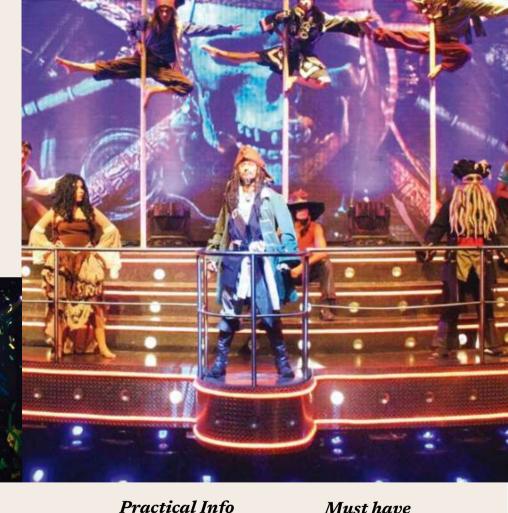
- **Dinner:** A three-course feast for the

# Coco Bongo

### **Dance the Night Away at Coco Bongo**

Experience an unforgettable night at Coco Bongo, where electrifying music and an exhilarating atmosphere come together. Enjoy worldclass performances reminiscent of Las Vegas, featuring breathtaking aerial acrobatics, spectacular musical shows, stunning costumes, dazzling lighting, and captivating stage effects—all designed to create the ultimate party experience.







- Exciting musical shows
- Lighting and stage effects

Must know **Ages:** 18 +

#### Includes

Domestic open bar Sodas and juices, Show Premium Open Bar (Front Row and Gold Member) Reserved area for Gold Member and Front Row tickets Table and seats for Gold Member and Front Row tickets

#### **Practical Info** Meeting point for departure: Main reception

- · Cash and credit card
- ID



# Yucatan is Yours

### **Discover**, Explore, Enjoy

To satisfy your curiosity and discover the Yucatan Peninsula at your leisure, the Discovery Team will create a custom-made program for you. For further information, please visit the Discovery Center.







### Must see

- Maya ruins
- Colonial towns
- Cenotes
- Restaurants
- Other attractions

#### Must know

Duration: full day Recommended age: All ages Physical effort: Moderate - Active

#### Includes

Round-trip transfer Bottled water during transfer Multilanguage guide Option to customize service

### Practical Info

Meeting point for departure:
Main reception

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Comfortable shoes
- Eco-friendly sunscreen
- Cash and credit card

# Charter Boats

### **Open Service**

Live a fascinating and worry-free day at sea on board a private boat and share great memories with your family or friends. Customize your program and discover the Caribbean at your own pace and in total freedom: navigate along Cancun's coastline, swim in shallow, turquoise waters; snorkel over the coral reef, visit Isla Mujeres, and/or relax admiring the wonderful sunset over the Nichupte Lagoon. Let yourself be seduced by the beauty of the Caribbean! Different boats are available.









Ocean & coastal lanscapes

#### Must know

**Duration:** Open service **Recommended age:** All ages

Min age for sporkeling in

Min age for snorkeling in open waters: 10 y.o.
Physical effort: Easy

#### Includes

Boat trip
Beverages and snacks
Option to customize service

### Practical Info

Meeting point for departure:
Customized

- Sunglasses
- Hat or cap
- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Eco-friendly sunscreen

## **General Information and Cancellation Policies**

- Maximum tolerance for departure 5 minutes.
- All participants must sign a waiver form.
- Please inquire about pregnancy restrictions before booking.
- The GM is responsible for all his/her belongings. As such, the Discovery Center does not take any responsibility in the case of loss, theft or damage.
- For excursions with no transportation included, a fee must be paid directly to the taxi driver or the supplier.
- In the archeological sites there is a tax of \$60 MXN fee for the use of professional video cameras.
- The products offered have been approved by Club Med, we decline any liability for any products purchased outside the resort.

- Some excursions may apply extra fees, such as dock fees and national park taxes.
- No refund will be given when cancelling within 48 hours before the excursion's departure (except with medical certificate).
- We reserve the right to cancel or alter the products offered in adverse weather conditions or if the minimmum number of participants is not reached.
- All pictures shown are for illustration purposes only.
   Actual product may vary.





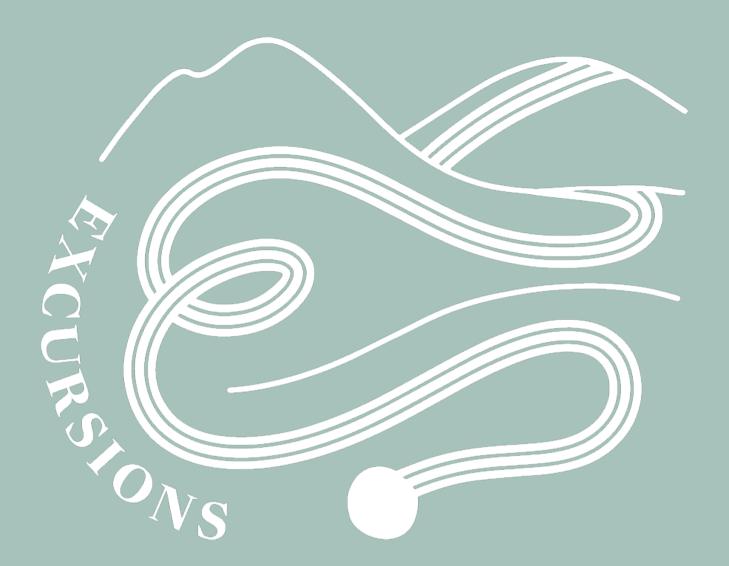
# We care about our planet.

In facing our responsibility, we invite you to join us in avoiding the use of disposable plastics. Please bring a reusable bottle of water.

We are committed to reducing our carbon footprint, which is why we've implemented **a PET bottle recycling program** for some of our excursions and diving experiences. The bottles are collected at our storage facility located at the Dive Center, and then sent for recycling.









FOR FURTHER INFORMATION
Please visit us at

## Discovery Center

Open every day from 9 am to 5 pm

Ext. 38360 / 38245 / 38212 excursions.cancun@ancilatours.com