

Traveler Tips

As part of our commitment to sustainable tourism, we provide activity participants with the sustainability savvy travel tips below.

- ✓ Be **selective** – choose tourism businesses that share how they benefit people & planet
- ✓ Tread **lightly** – choose activities & transport options with a reduced environmental impact
- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Respect your guide / host's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**; obtain permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Be **sensitive to the inequalities** of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local guide / host will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom, go for it!
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
- ✓ **Buy** from local, small &/or community-owned businesses, especially if they feature local nature or culture
- ✓ Be cautious about **buying from children** – you could unknowingly be supporting their exploitation
- ✓ Refuse to buy **souvenirs**, food & beverages that harm the environment, people, or wildlife, especially those that are illegal to buy / sell
- ✓ Respect customary **tipping & trading** practices – such as bartering – and pay fair prices
- ✓ **Reduce waste** – from food to paper, remember to take only what & as much as you need, and bring **re-usable items**, e.g. water bottle, coffee cup, shopping / carry bag
- ✓ **Dispose** of waste responsibly & use local **recycling** facilities where available
- ✓ Be **waterwise** – your participation shouldn't place additional stress on water-scarce environments
- ✓ **Save energy** to reduce your carbon footprint & your impact on local supply challenges
- ✓ Support **climate change** action, e.g., offset or regeneration programmes
- ✓ Provide **feedback** about what you liked or how we can do better

Tour Guides

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- ✓ Tread **lightly** – choose activities & transport options with a reduced environmental impact
- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Respect your tour guide's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**; obtain permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Be **sensitive to the inequalities** of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local tour guide will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom, go for it!
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
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Visiting Heritage Sites

As part of our commitment to sustainable tourism, we provide activity participants with the sustainability savvy travel tips below.

- ✓ Be **selective** – choose tourism businesses that share how they benefit people & planet, and protect cultural heritage
- ✓ Tread **lightly** – choose activities & transport options with a reduced environmental impact
- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Respect your guide / host's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**; obtain permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Be **sensitive to the inequalities** of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local guide / host will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom, go for it!
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
- ✓ **Buy** from local, small &/or community-owned businesses, especially if they feature local nature or culture
- ✓ Be cautious about **buying from children** – you could unknowingly be supporting their exploitation
- ✓ Refuse to buy **souvenirs**, food & beverages that harm the environment, people, or wildlife, especially those that are illegal to buy / sell
- ✓ Respect customary **tipping & trading** practices – such as bartering – and pay fair prices
- ✓ **Reduce waste** – from food to paper, remember to take only what & as much as you need, and bring **re-usable items**, e.g. water bottle, coffee cup, shopping / carry bag
- ✓ **Dispose** of waste responsibly & use local **recycling** facilities where available
- ✓ Be **waterwise** – your participation shouldn't place additional stress on water-scarce environments
- ✓ **Save energy** to reduce your carbon footprint & your impact on local supply challenges
- ✓ Support **climate change** action, e.g., offset or regeneration programmes
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Visiting Farms

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- ✓ Be **selective** – choose tourism businesses and farms that share how they benefit people & planet
- ✓ Tread **lightly** – choose activities & transport options with a reduced environmental impact
- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Respect your guide / host's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**; obtain permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Be **sensitive to the inequalities** of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local guide / host will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom or participate in traditional farming methods, go for it!
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
- ✓ **Buy** from local, small &/or community-owned businesses, especially if they feature local nature or culture
- ✓ Be cautious about **buying from children** – you could unknowingly be supporting their exploitation
- ✓ Refuse to buy **souvenirs**, food & beverages that harm the environment, people, or wildlife, especially those that are illegal to buy / sell
- ✓ Respect customary **tipping & trading** practices – such as bartering – and pay fair prices
- ✓ **Reduce waste** – from food to paper, remember to take only what & as much as you need, and bring **re-usable items**, e.g. water bottle, coffee cup, shopping / carry bag
- ✓ **Dispose** of waste responsibly & use local **recycling** facilities where available
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Volunteering

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- ✓ Be **selective** – choose tourism businesses that share how they benefit people & planet, including volunteer programmes where you give back alongside, not instead of, local people
- ✓ Tread **lightly** – choose activities & transport options with a reduced environmental impact
- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Understand the **terms of your volunteer placement** & how it addresses longer-term goals
- ✓ Respect your host's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**, obtaining permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Remember that you are a temporary guest; ensure your conduct **respects local people** & relationships with local institutions
- ✓ Be **sensitive** to the inequalities of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local host will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom, go for it!
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
- ✓ **Buy** from local, small &/or community-owned businesses, especially if they feature local nature or culture
- ✓ Be cautious about **buying from children** – you could unknowingly be supporting their exploitation
- ✓ Refuse to buy **souvenirs**, food & beverages that harm the environment, people, or wildlife, especially those that are illegal to buy / sell
- ✓ Respect customary **tipping & trading** practices – such as bartering – and pay fair prices
- ✓ Feel welcome to **ask us** how local hosts benefit (tangibly) from your participation
- ✓ **Reduce waste** – from food to paper, remember to take only what & as much as you need, and bring **re-usable items**, e.g., water bottle, coffee cup, shopping bag
- ✓ Dispose of waste responsibly & use local **recycling** facilities where available
- ✓ Be **waterwise** – your participation in the activity shouldn't place additional stress on water-scarce environments
- ✓ **Save energy** to reduce your carbon footprint & your impact on local supply challenges
- ✓ Support **climate change** action, e.g., offset or regeneration programmes
- ✓ Provide **feedback** about what you liked or how we can do better
- ✓ Consider opportunities to continue supporting our programme once you **return home**, e.g., fundraising or referrals for a cause that you believe in!

Community Visits

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- ✓ Be **informed** – learn a bit about local nature, history & culture beforehand to enrich your experience
- ✓ Respect your guide / host's **instructions** regarding safety, local etiquette & dos and don'ts
- ✓ Be respectful of **privacy**; obtain permission before taking photos / videos of people or sensitive sites along the way
- ✓ Respect **others** using the area so that their experience & access are not compromised
- ✓ Be **sensitive to the inequalities** of our world and avoid displays of wealth, particularly in less privileged contexts
- ✓ **Ask questions** – your local guide / host will happily share their knowledge
- ✓ **Take part** – if you are invited to participate in a local custom, go for it!
- ✓ We discourage visits to **orphanages**; these vulnerable children are not a tourist attraction
- ✓ Respect the routines of **schools** or other care facilities visited; avoid disrupting them
- ✓ If you want to **give**, ask us how to do so responsibly; offering sweets or money to individuals, for example, can often do more harm than good
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- ✓ Dispose of waste responsibly & use local **recycling** facilities where available
- ✓ Be **waterwise** – your participation in the activity shouldn't place additional stress on water-scarce environments
- ✓ **Save energy** to reduce your carbon footprint & your impact on local supply challenges
- ✓ Support **climate change** action, e.g., offset or regeneration programmes
- ✓ Provide **feedback** about what you liked or how we can do better