

Family Beach Holiday Maldives: Water Sports & Family Meals

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Destination
Maldives



Duration
4 Nights 5 Days



Starting from
Rs. 85,000 / person

ITINERARY ROUTE

✓ **Maldives Resort Island · 4N**

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Overview

a 4 nights / 5 days Maldives Family tour package designed for families who want a mix of relaxed island time, safe kid-friendly activities, and exciting water sports. Perfect for those searching for a Maldives tour package, Maldives Family package, or 4 and 5 Maldives Family tour package.

Highlights:

- 4 Nights at a family-friendly Maldives Resort Island with lagoon access and house reef
- Kids Club activities and supervised play areas
- Family-friendly water sports: snorkeling, glass-bottom boat, banana boat, and introductory jet-ski rides
- Sandbank picnic & island-hopping – ideal for family photos and safe shallow swimming
- Two special family meals: Beach BBQ and Sunset Family Dinner

Note: Activities are subject to weather and resort availability. Child age restrictions may apply for some water sports.

✓ **What's Included**

- ✓ 4 nights' accommodation at a family-friendly Maldives Resort Island (family room or interconnecting rooms as requested)
- ✓ Daily breakfast; 2 special family meals (Beach BBQ and Sunset Family Dinner)
- ✓ Return airport transfers (speedboat or seaplane as per package)
- ✓ Guided snorkeling session and use of non-motorized equipment (kayaks, paddleboards)
- ✓ Selected family water sports (banana boat, glass-bottom boat) as per package details
- ✓ Kids Club access and selected supervised activities
- ✓ Sandbank picnic & island-hopping excursion (shared basis)
- ✓ All applicable resort taxes and service charges
- ✓ Local assistance and 24/7 support during the stay

✗ **Not Included**

- ✗ International flights to/from Maldives (Malé)
- ✗ Optional activities such as certified scuba diving, private jet-ski rentals, fishing trips, and spa treatments
- ✗ Meals and drinks not specified in the inclusions (alcoholic beverages often chargeable)
- ✗ Personal expenses, travel insurance, and gratuities
- ✗ Government arrival/departure taxes if applicable (unless stated)
- ✗ Any items or activities not specifically mentioned as included
- ✗ Note: Optional activities are subject to availability and may require advance reservation. Weather conditions can affect excursions and water-sport availability.

Day-by-Day Itinerary

Day

1

Arrival, Welcome & Beach Time

Arrive at Velana International Airport (Malé) and transfer to your Maldives Resort Island via speedboat or domestic flight + speedboat (as per booking). Check-in and enjoy a welcome family meal at the resort. Spend the afternoon exploring the shallow lagoon and safe house reef—perfect for first-time snorkelers and kids getting comfortable in the water.

Evening: Relax with a light family dinner at the resort's beachfront restaurant. Tip: Pack a lightweight sunhat and reef-safe sunscreen for the whole family.

Day

2

Introductory Snorkel & Family Water Sports

Start the day with a guided snorkeling orientation—suitable for children and beginners—led by the resort's PADI-certified instructor. Afterward, enjoy family water sports like banana boat rides, glass-bottom boat tours, and an introductory jet-ski experience (age restrictions apply).

Lunch: Family buffet with kid-friendly options.

Afternoon: Free play at the Kids Club or join a supervised beach games session. In the evening, savor a family-friendly themed dinner with local and international dishes.

Day

3

Island Hopping & Sandbank Picnic

Take a half-day island-hopping excursion to nearby local islands and uninhabited sandbanks. Enjoy a sandbank picnic with shallow, crystal-clear waters — perfect for family photos and safe wading for young children. Opportunity for snorkeling at calm lagoons and spotting tropical fish.

Evening: Back at the resort, enjoy free time and a relaxed family meal. Note: Respect local island customs when visiting inhabited islands (modest dress required).

Day

4

Leisure, Optional Diving & Sunset Cruise

Reserve this day for leisure or optional activities: introductory scuba diving for teens/adults, glass-bottom boat reef tours, or a sunset dolphin cruise for the whole family. Children can join arts & crafts at the Kids Club or enjoy supervised pool time.

Special evening: Enjoy a Beach BBQ or Sunset Family Dinner arranged on the sand, complete with kid-friendly menu and live entertainment.

Day

5

Departure & Farewell

Enjoy a final breakfast at the resort. Check out and transfer to Malé International Airport for your departure flight. If time permits, pick up souvenirs from the resort boutique or enjoy a short lagoon stroll.

Important: Ensure passports are valid for at least 6 months from the travel date and arrive at the airport 3 hours before international departures. Tip: Confirm transfer schedules the evening before departure.

? Frequently Asked Questions

? **When is the best time to visit the Maldives and what's the weather like?**

The best time to visit the Maldives is during the dry season from November to April, with peak conditions from December to March. During this period, expect clear skies, calm seas, and excellent underwater visibility for snorkeling and diving. Temperatures remain tropical year-round (26–32°C). The wet season (May–October) brings occasional tropical showers and livelier seas, but it's also the best time for surfing and manta ray encounters, especially in Baa Atoll. This period offers better value with fewer crowds. Note that the Maldives has no 'winter' or snow – it's tropical throughout the year. The country is 30 minutes behind Indian Standard Time, which is helpful for planning transfers and activities.

? **How do I reach the Maldives from India and what are the transportation options?**

The easiest way to reach the Maldives from India is by direct flights to Velana International Airport (MLE) near Malé. Multiple airlines operate direct flights from Mumbai, Delhi, Bengaluru, Kochi, Chennai, and Thiruvananthapuram, with flight times ranging from 2–3.5 hours. Once in the Maldives, transportation options include speedboats (10–120 minutes to resorts), scenic seaplanes (daytime only to distant atolls), domestic flights to regional airports followed by speedboat transfers, and budget-friendly public ferries for local islands. Within Malé and Hulhumalé, taxis are available. Most resort transfers are pre-arranged and included in packages, so confirm your transfer method when booking accommodation.

❓ **Do Indian citizens need a visa to visit the Maldives?**

Indian citizens receive a free 30-day visa on arrival in the Maldives - no advance application required. You'll need a valid passport with at least 6 months validity, confirmed accommodation booking, return flight tickets, and sufficient funds for your stay. The immigration process is straightforward at Velana International Airport. Ensure you have your hotel confirmation or guesthouse booking details readily available, as immigration may ask for these. If you plan to stay longer than 30 days, you'll need to apply for an extension through Maldivian immigration authorities. The visa allows for tourism purposes only, and you cannot work on a tourist visa.

❓ **What are the local transportation options within the Maldives?**

Transportation in the Maldives is primarily water-based due to its scattered island geography. Speedboats are the most common option for resort transfers and inter-island travel, taking 10 minutes to 2 hours depending on distance. Seaplanes offer scenic transfers to distant atolls but operate only during daylight hours. Domestic flights connect to regional airports like Gan, Maafaru, and Hanimaadhoo, followed by speedboat connections. Public ferries provide budget-friendly inter-island transport but are less frequent and slower. Within Malé and Hulhumalé, taxis and buses are available. On resort islands and local islands, walking and bicycles are common due to their small size. Most resort transfers are pre-arranged, so coordinate with your accommodation.

❓ **What accommodation options are available and which areas should I stay in?**

The Maldives offers accommodation for every budget. Luxury resorts feature overwater villas and beachfront suites on private islands, with options like Conrad Maldives, Baros, and Gili Lankanfushi. Mid-range resorts like Kurumba and Meeru offer excellent value with good facilities. Budget travelers can stay in guesthouses on local islands like Maafushi, Fulidhoo, or Ukulhas, which offer cultural experiences and are significantly cheaper. North and South Malé Atolls provide quick speedboat access from the airport. Baa Atoll is perfect for manta ray encounters, while South Ari Atoll offers whale shark experiences. Choose based on your priorities: quick transfers (Malé Atolls), marine life (Baa/Ari), or budget (local islands). Book early for peak season (December-March).

🔍 What are the must-visit attractions and places in the Maldives?

Top attractions include Malé City with its Grand Friday Mosque, Islamic Centre, and vibrant local markets. Hulhumalé offers family-friendly beaches and a relaxed atmosphere. Baa Atoll's Hanifaru Bay is a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve famous for seasonal manta ray aggregations (June–November). South Ari Atoll is renowned for year-round whale shark encounters. Addu Atoll lets you cross the Equator and explore WWII history. Vaadhoo Island occasionally displays bioluminescent 'Sea of Stars' phenomena. Don't miss house reef snorkeling, sunset dolphin cruises, private sandbank picnics, and island-hopping to experience local culture. Each resort typically has excellent house reefs for snorkeling, and many organize excursions to nearby attractions. The key is choosing your base atoll according to your interests.

🔍 What local food and cuisine should I try in the Maldives?

Maldivian cuisine centers around fresh seafood, coconut, and rice. Must-try dishes include Mas Huni (shredded tuna with coconut and chili, served with roshi flatbread), Garudhiya (clear tuna broth with rice and condiments), and Rihaakuru (rich tuna paste). Sample hedhikaa snacks like gulha (tuna dumplings), bajiya (curried pastries), and bis keemiya (vegetable rolls). Coconut and seafood curries range from mild to spicy. Resorts offer extensive international menus with vegetarian and Jain-friendly options. In Malé, try Seagull Café House for local flavors or Sala Thai for excellent Thai cuisine. Local islands provide authentic Maldivian experiences at lower prices. Fresh tropical fruits, coconut water, and locally-made ice cream are perfect for the tropical climate.

★ Traveller Reviews



Vinayak Rao

★★★★★ 5/5

Dreamy Honeymoon

Our honeymoon here was nothing short of a dream. Private beach dinners and romantic strolls made it picture-perfect.



Heena Verma

★★★★★ 5/5

Unbeatable Views

Waking up to such breathtaking views every day was surreal. The photographs don't even do it justice!



Nitin Mathur

★★★★★ 5/5

Best Vacation Ever!

This has honestly been the best vacation we've ever had! We fell in love with the islands, the view, the food, everything!



Sandeep Kaur

★★★★☆ 4/5

Traveling with Friends

Great place to travel with friends! We had a fantastic time trying out all the activities together.



Reema Joshi

★★★★★ 5/5

Incredible Marine Life

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