



Perfect Day at CocoCay - Made Easy

How to plan a great island day without buying everything

CocoCay can be a fantastic day even if you never buy an upgrade. Decide what kind of day you want before you start clicking add-ons.

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Planning a Royal Caribbean cruise?

Use this guide to narrow the choices. When you want help matching the ship, itinerary and stateroom to your family, 7220 Travel can take it from there.

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Start with the experience - then spend

LOW-COST BEACH DAY

Use complimentary beach areas and included food options, swim, relax and return to the ship whenever you are ready.

ADULTS-ONLY DAY

Hideaway Beach is a paid adults-only area designed for a different vibe than the family beach zones.

MIXED-AGE FAMILY

Agree on one meeting point and one meeting time. Let different generations split up instead of forcing one island schedule.

THRILL DAY

Price Thrill Waterpark against the amount of time your family will actually use it. Great for thrill-seekers; unnecessary for everyone else.

PREMIUM RELAXATION

Coco Beach Club is a paid-access experience with a more upscale beach/pool/dining setup.

SHORT ISLAND DAY

Pick one zone and enjoy it. Crossing the island repeatedly to “see everything” can burn the best hours of the day.

Before you step off the ship

- ☐ Confirm what your cruise fare already includes.
- ☐ Check whether your beverage package applies to the drinks you plan to buy on the island.
- ☐ Know which experiences require separate admission/reservations.
- ☐ Bring sunscreen, swimsuit, sunglasses and any medication you need.
- ☐ Set a family meeting point if people may split up.
- ☐ Decide whether you want to return to the ship early for a quieter onboard afternoon.

7220 Travel tip

Do not buy an upgrade because social media made it look mandatory. Buy it because that experience is one of your family's top priorities.

Not sure what is worth paying for?

CocoCay add-ons are easiest to evaluate when you compare them with the rest of your cruise - your ship, sea days, kids' interests and total vacation budget.

- Tell us whether your family wants thrills, beach time, adults-only relaxation or a little of each.
- We can help decide where CocoCay upgrades fit into the overall budget.
- We will help you avoid paying for an experience your family is unlikely to use.
- Then we can plan the rest of the cruise around the experiences that matter more.

READY TO PLAN YOUR CRUISE?

Tell us who is traveling, what matters most, and what would make the trip feel worth it. We will help narrow the Royal Caribbean choices and build the trip around your family.

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