BAHAMAS

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The Bahamas is a country in <u>North America</u>. The official name of Bahamas is Commonwealth of The Bahamas. It shares borders with 3 countries: <u>Cuba</u>, <u>Haiti</u>, and the <u>United States of America</u>. The people of the Bahamas are called Bahamians. The country is situated in the North Atlantic Ocean, southeast of Florida and northeast of Cuba.

Etymology discusses where a term is considered to have originated from and how its meaning has changed over time. Etymology has been a factor in the naming of countries all across the world, and the Bahamas has also been influenced. The etymology of Bahamas can be defined as; "Large upper middle island", from the Lucayan name Bahama used by the indigenous Taíno people for the island of Grand Bahama.

An ethnicity is a group or sub-group of people who are connected based on common characteristics which may include religion, origin, language, traditions, or culture. The ethnic groups in the Bahamas include Afro-Bahamian, European, and Mulatto.

Bahamasair is the national airline of the Bahamas. The national colors of the country are aquamarine, yellow, and black. The emoji flag of the country is ????????, and the ISO code is BHS.

Bahamas is known for its beaches with crystal-clear waters and beautiful white sand. Additionally, it is well-known for witnessing Christopher Columbus' first landing. The national dish of the Bahamas is Conch. Switcha, in addition to being a traditional beverage, is one of the country's national drinks. The national instrument of the Bahamas is the Goatskin drum.

The country has the time zone UTC-5 (EST) followed by dd/mm/yyyy as the standard date format.

The Bahamas is divided into 32 districts. The capital of the country is Nassau, which is also the largest city in the Bahamas.

The literacy rate in the Bahamas is 95%.

The country's total area is 13,878 km² (5,358 sq mi) (155th), and the total population is 393,244. The country's average elevation is 63 meters (207 feet), whereas the country's terrain can be defined as; Long, flat coral formations with some low-rounded hills. The country's usual climate is sub-tropical with fairly high mean temperatures and moderate rainfall.

The area of land next to a sea is called the coast, and a coastline is defined as the line where land and sea meet. The Bahamas has 3,542 km of coastline.

The Bahamian dollar serves as the national unit of currency, and the Central Bank of The Bahamas is recognized as the country's central bank. The domain for the Bahamas is .bs and the country code is +1. Blue marlin; flamingo is the country's coat of arms.

Museums are known to educate and connect visitors with the nation's history, culture, civilization, art, and architecture. The National Art Gallery of The Bahamas (NAGB) serves the same purpose and

is considered one of the most significant tourist attractions. The National Art Gallery of The Bahamas (NAGB) is home to a large collection of artifacts. It has been designated as the national museum of the country.

The national dress of the Bahamas is the light fabrics such as linen and cotton, and 10 July is designated as National Day. In the Bahamas, the majority of the population practices Christianity, Protestantism, and Other Christian faiths as their religion.

Nature is a blessing from God and we must protect it because it provides us with the oxygen and food to survive. It also helps to keep our environment beautiful and clean. To emphasize the significance of nature, the Bahamas has selected a few forces of nature as national symbols. Flamingo is both the national bird and animal of the Bahamas. The national flower is Yellow Elder, whereas Ackee is the country's national fruit. The national tree of the Bahamas is the Lignum vitae, and the highest peak is Mount Alvernia.

Mythical creatures can be found in the literature and mythologies of many different nations. They represent imaginative representations of various creatures, humans, or hybrids. They are known for their specific features, supernatural abilities, and distinctive appearance. The mythical creature of the Bahamas is Rolling-Calf.

Sports have always played an important role in developing the social and cultural structure of the Bahamas and other countries. When it comes to designating a sport as the official symbol, Cricket is considered the country's national sport.

Poetry is a highly valued form of art, and many poets are considered significant national symbols of the country. The national poet of the Bahamas is Marion Bethel.

Lynden Pindling is the founder of the Bahamas. The country's national anthem was written by Timothy Gibson, and composed by Timothy Gibson.

The country's national hero is Sir Lynden Oscar Pindling.

Due to their unique qualities and rich cultural or historical backgrounds, national monuments around the world are of great importance. Fort Fincastle is recognized as the national monument of the country. It attracts visitors from all around the world.

Numerous organizations are working on a global level to improve the current state of affairs and to collaborate in order to establish and maintain constructive partnerships. Bahamas is a member of the <u>Caribbean Community (CARICOM or CC)</u>, <u>Commonwealth of Nations</u>, <u>Organization of American States (OAS)</u>, and <u>United Nations (UN)</u>. The Bahamas collaborates with them to organize, analyze, and address various events and situations.

The tourism slogan of the country is "Fly Away" whereas, "Forward, Upward, Onward Together" is the official motto of the country.

Hubert Minnis is the current Prime minister of the Bahamas.

Bahamas has declared English as the country's official language.

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