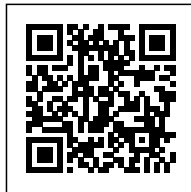


# CAYMAN ISLANDS

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The Cayman Islands is a country in [North America](#). It shares borders with 4 countries: [Cuba](#), [Jamaica](#), [Honduras](#), and the [Bahamas](#). The people of the Cayman Islands are called Caymanians. The country is situated in the Caribbean, three-island group (Grand Cayman, Cayman Brac, Little Cayman) in the Caribbean Sea, 240 km south of Cuba and 268 km northwest of Jamaica.

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 Cayman Islands has also been influenced. The etymology of the Cayman Islands can be defined as; The name is derived from the Carib Indian word for the marine crocodile, which is now known to have lived on the islands.

Cayman Airways is the national airline of the Cayman Islands. The national colors of the country are blue and red. The emoji flag of the country is ????????, and the ISO code is CYM.

The Cayman Islands is known for producing numerous unique and distinctive regional arts and crafts. It is also renowned for its stunning beaches and delicious seafood. The national dish of the Cayman Islands is Turtle meat. Mudslide, in addition to being a traditional beverage, is one of the country's national drinks. The national instrument of the Cayman Islands is Fiddle.

The country has the time zone UTC-5:00 (EST) followed by dd/mm/yyyy as the standard date format.

The Cayman Islands is divided into 7 districts. The capital of the country is George Town, which is also the largest city in the Cayman Islands.

The literacy rate in the Cayman Islands is 98.9%.

The country's total area is 264 km<sup>2</sup> (102 sq mi), and the total population is 65,720. The country's average elevation is 18 m (60 ft), whereas the country's terrain can be defined as; Low-lying limestone base surrounded by coral reefs. The country's usual climate is tropical marine; warm, rainy summers (May to October) and cool, relatively dry winters (November to April).

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 Cayman Islands has 160 km of coastline.

The Cayman Islands dollar serves as the national unit of currency, and the Cayman Islands Monetary Authority is recognized as the country's central bank. The domain for the Cayman Islands is .ky and the country code is +1-345.

Museums are known to educate and connect visitors with the nation's history, culture, civilization, art, and architecture. The Cayman Islands National Museum serves the same purpose and is considered one of the most significant tourist attractions. The Cayman Islands National Museum is home to a large collection of artifacts. It has been designated as the national museum of the country.

28 February is designated as National Day. In the Cayman Islands, the majority of the population practices Christianity 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 Cayman Islands has selected a few forces of nature as national symbols. The Cayman Islands' national bird is the Cayman Parrot, while its national animal is the Parrot. The national flower is Wild Banana Orchid, whereas Breadfruit is the country's national fruit. The national tree of the Cayman Islands is the Silver Thatch Palm, and the highest peak is The Bluff.

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

Christopher Columbus is the founder of the Cayman Islands.

Mausoleums are buildings dedicated to holding someone's remains. It serves as a reminder of the nation's revolutionary fighters who sacrificed their lives for the country. Mausoleums are one of the most significant historical landmarks. The national mausoleum of the Cayman Islands is the Cayman Islands National Museum. The country's national hero is Hon. James (Jim) Manóah Bodden.

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

The tourism slogan of the country is "Dream in Cayman" whereas, "He hath founded it upon the sea" is the official motto of the country.

Wayne Panton (Premier) is the current Prime minister of the Cayman Islands, and Martyn Roper (Governor) is the President.

The Cayman Islands has declared English as the country's official language.

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