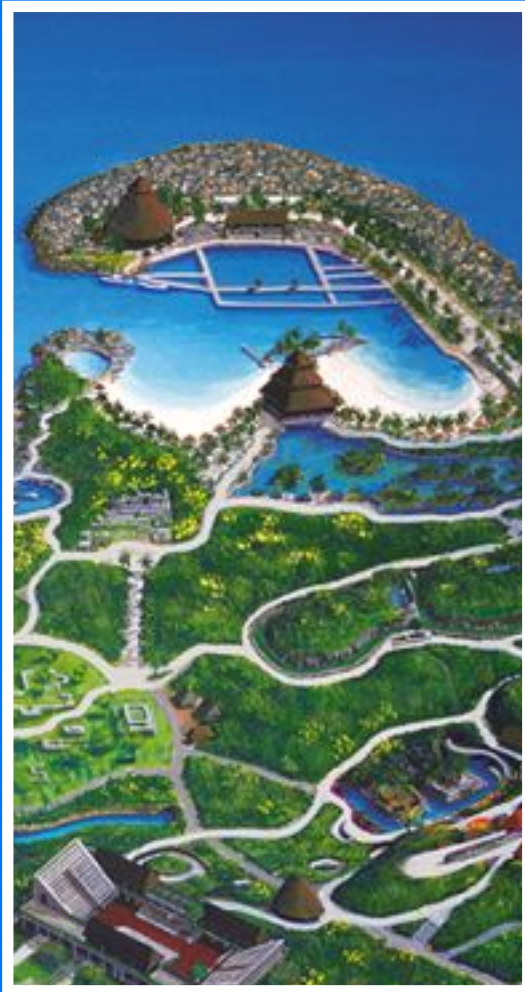


PARAISO SAGRADO DE LA NATURALEZA

XCARET

RIVIERA MAYA CANCUN



Xcaret, "small inlet" in Maya, was for more than a century one of the most important Mayan ceremonial center and port. Today it is an incredible eco-archaeological park



Xcaret is located at 55 km from the International Cancun Airport



When you visit Xcaret don't forget to visit Cancun

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Welcome!

Xcaret Eco-archaeological park was created to promote the respectful enjoyment of the visitor with nature and the cultural heritage of the Maya world, stimulating love through the environment with knowledge and togetherness, in order to contribute to giving back the real value and feeling of the world to we belong.



YOUR ENTRY INTO THE PARK INCLUDES:

- Underground river
- Maya river
- Beach, inlet and natural wells
- Mayan village
- Butterfly Pavilion
- St. Francis of Assisi Chapel
- Museum
- Reef aquarium
- Marine turtles
- Tropical jungle path
- Orchid farm
- Mushroom farm
- Native bees
- Papantla flyers
- Pumas and jaguars
- Mammals
- Bat cave
- Wild bird aviary
- Archaeological areas
- Ecological tour (reservation required)
- Equestrian show
- Shows throughout the day in the Museum and Theater
- Xcaret at Night:
 - Mayan ball game
 - Journey through Mayan caves
 - Folkloric show in the Theater

Also:

- Life vest for exclusive use in the rivers.
- Wheelchairs at the entrance to the park.
- Bag with a lock for your personal items at the entrance to the rivers for reception at your exit from these.
- Life preservers at the beach.
- Lounge chairs, hammocks and palapas on the beach.



INFORMATION AND USEFUL TIPS

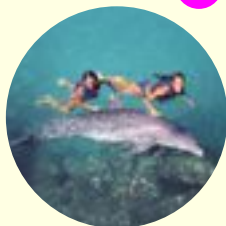
- Take a few minutes of your time to plan your day, some of the attractions have defined hours; information personnel will gladly help you with any additional information you may need.
- You can pay any of your purchases within the park with American Express, Master Card or Visa credit cards, with the exception of the Dolphins. For your convenience we have an ATM machine in the Museum.
- Some activities can be canceled due to weather conditions. We appreciate your comprehension.
- We ask that you do not bring food, beverages, balls, radios or sound equipment, coolers, or protective creams and sunscreens to the park, since these can harm the marine flora and fauna. Please leave these items with our entrance personnel and retrieve them when you leave.
- It is advisable to use comfortable shoes, bathing suit, a change of dry clothes, towel and camera.
- In consideration to our nonsmoking visitors we ask that you refrain from smoking in areas such as the bathrooms, stores and during the Mayan Ball Game and show in the Theater.



When you buy your ticket to Xcaret, you are also contributing to provide a better quality of life to the children of the Mayan communities of Quintana Roo, through Unicef.



1 Dolphins I and II



We invite you to swim and interact with these intelligent creatures. Make your reservation when you arrive in the Museum (No. 10) since there is great demand and space is limited.

5 Theater



The stage is framed by a natural shell next to an underground river, allowing for ideal acoustics. In this open-air theater carved in stone, cultural and artistic activities take place including the unequalled folkloric show that is part of "Xcaret at Night".

3 Reef aquarium



Enjoy fish of marvelous colors living in a natural reef habitat with spectacular corals and marine plants. At the exit you'll also admire marine turtles.

4 Papantla flyers



One of the pre-Hispanic traditions that has been preserved until now; it is a ceremony dedicated to the god of the Sun.

MAP



- 11 Archaeological areas
- 16 Marine turtles
- 17 Walk under the sea "Sea Trek"
- 19 Beach and natural wells



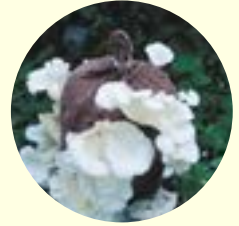
6 Tropical jungle path

(Botanical garden). Walk through a protected ravine whose micro-climate houses a wide variety of plants and trees in their natural state.



8 Mushroom farm

Appreciate more than 100 species of orchids, most of them native to this area.



7 Orchid farm

In this farm of edible mushrooms a quasi-household business is developed for the rural communities in this area.

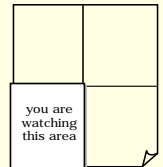


9 Wild bird aviary

This is an area of reproduction and exhibition of birds native to this region. There are more than 30 different species, many of which are in danger of extinction.



MAP



- 10 Museum
- 12 Underground rivers
- 25 Horseback riding
- 26 Stables
- 27 Native Bees



12 Underground rivers

Unique in the world. Enjoy an unforgettable experience floating down river in crystal-clear waters, passing through a Mayan village, cenotes and age-old caves through naturally lit canals and tunnels. Don't miss the flora and fauna in the Maya River. At the entrance to both rivers the park provides at no charge, an obligatory life vest, as well as a bag with a lock for your personal belongings which will be returned to you at the exit of both rivers. Fragile or valuable objects should not be placed in the bags; it is recommended that they be stored in the lockers located in the museum.



13 Butterfly pavilion

Considered one of the largest in the world and unique in its kind for the self-sufficient reproduction of butterflies. We suggest you visit before noon.

Ecological Tour

Enjoy a guided tour through the park's various attractions where you can participate in different interactive activities related to plants and animals.



Several schedules throughout the day; limited to 25 people per session. Information and reservations at the ecological tour booth, just to the side of the snorkel snorkel rental located at the rivers' entrance, from Monday through Friday, from 10:00 to noon.

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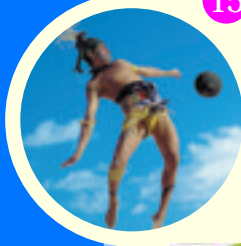


- 2 Dolphins
- 11 Archaeological areas
- 18 Snorkeling inlet
- 19 Beach and natural wells
- 20 Diving, snuba and snorkeling tours
- 21 Bat cave
- 22 Blue lagoon
- 23 Pumas & jaguars



11 Archaeological areas

With two thousand years of history, Xcaret was one of the Mayas' most important ports and ceremonial centers on the coast of Quintana Roo, from the late postclassic period until the arrival of the Spaniards in 1517.



15 Mayan ball game

A live reproduction of the Mayan culture's most important sporting-religious event.

14 Mayan village

Adventure through an underground labyrinth which will take you to the surprise awakening of a small Mayan village.



10 Museum

It houses model scales of the most important Mayan settlements, an information center, cafeteria, store, photographic center, bathrooms with change areas, towel rental, drugstore and the rental of lockers to store your valuables. Don't forget to keep cash with you for your purchases.



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	you are watching this area

11 Archaeological areas

P Parking lot



NOT INCLUDED IN THE ENTRANCE FEE

RESTAURANTS

MONDAY TO SUNDAY

Dos Playas Cocktails and snacks. Service in the beach area.

La Península Seafood, meat, snacks

La Laguna International food

La Cocina Mexican specialties

La Orquídea Cafeteria

La Isla Special events

La Caleta Seafood specialties



Horseback Riding

Monday through Sunday:
11:00 am, 12:30, 2:00 and 3:30 pm

Pony rides for children
Monday through Saturday:
2:00, 2:15, 2:30 and 2:45 pm



Snuba®

The new sport that combines scuba technology with the freedom of snorkeling. It is practiced at a maximum depth of 18 ft. For ages 8 and up. Every day from 11:00 am to 4:30 pm, according to demand.



Dolphin programs

Dolphinarium I
Interactive program.
Sessions from
Sunday to Friday:
11:00 am, 12:00,
1:00 and 2:00 pm
Saturday 11:00 am
Duration: 30 min.



Dolphinarium II
Educational program.
Sessions from Monday
to Saturday: 1:30 pm
Duration: 15 min.
Swim with Dolphins.
Sessions from Monday
to Saturday 10:00 y
11:00 am, 1:30 and
3:30 pm Sunday 11:30 am
Duration: 1 hr.



* Subject to weather conditions.

Diving Tour

Guided tour with a choice of three different depths, 45 ft., 66 ft. and 90 ft. Every day 11:00 am, 1:00 and 3:00 pm.



Snorkel Tour

Ninety-minute guided tour to the reefs; groups divided into beginners and advanced. Every day 11:00 and 11:30 am, 12:30, 1:00, 1:30, 2:00, 2:30, 3:30 and 4:00 pm.



Sea Trek®

An adventurous journey to the bottom of the sea. For ages 8 and up. Every day from 11:00 am to 5:30 pm, according to demand, every half hour.

