

The Fun Stuff Six Senses Con Dao

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Experience Six Senses Con Dao

We're the Experience Team and we are here to create inspiring, educational and fun activities. All our experiences can be tailored to suit your requirements and preferences.

Six Senses Con Dao enjoys a private and secluded setting with a host of activities on hand to entertain all ages and satisfy the most discerning of tastes. From water sports and beach activities to hiking and discovering nature, Con Dao Island has something special for everyone.

Our entire range of activities are fully covered with public liability insurance. We take great pride in assuring that our guests are in safe hands at all times.

It is always possible to add additional beverages and food to your trip. Please speak with your GEM or the Experience Team to arrange this.

The Experience Center is located at the beach, and opens from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm daily and available by phone Ext. 6555.



BOOKING

Should the Experience Center be closed, please speak to your GEM to book an activity. Kindly note that we are only able to confirm bookings between the hours of 8:00 am and 6:00 pm.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If you wish to cancel your activity you should inform the Experience Team the day before you are due to depart. 50% charge will be applied if you notify us of a cancellation within 24 hours of your experience start time. If no cancellation notice is given, the full charge of the activity will be applied to your account.

Guest Cancellation of any activity due to inclement weather may result in the full cost of the tour being charged, unless it poses a safety risk. In such cases a commensurate charge may be applied.

CHILD PRICING

Infants aged less than 3 years can participate in any experience free of charge with parental or suitably aged guardian supervision. Children between the age of 4 and 11 will receive a 50% discount on paid Experiences *. Pricing for infants and children may be higher in such cases where a minimum number of people are required for a tour. In such cases the price for the minimum number of paying adults will be applicable.

- * Child discounts are not applicable to the following activities:
- Feed The Fish Golf: No discount available
- Private Trip: No discount available
- Any special offers or promotions



ENVIRONMENT & SOCIAL

While taking part in any excursion we kindly ask all guests to respect the environment and the local customs of Vietnam. During any excursion to religious, cultural, or historical sites, please adhere to local customs and cover your shoulders and knees, otherwise you could be denied entry.

Do not purchase shells, coral, or other environmentally sensitive items, which you might not even be allowed to bring to your home country. They are beautiful, but they look better in their natural setting from which they come. By purchasing items like these you are promoting an unsustainable trade in objects that can take generations or longer to develop.



Into Culture

TWO WHEELS AND THE ROAD

Nothing says Vietnam more than a bicycle or motorbike. These are the staple of transport around the country, and Con Dao is no exception. Take your set of wheels and explore the island of Con Dao. Approximately 5 kilometers away you will find the main town, the market, historical sites, beautiful scenery and the friendly locals; take a glimpse at everyday life while riding along the main road.

Essentials:

Cap, sunblock, insect repellent, light comfortable clothing, Vietnamese currency and please remember to respect local customs and cover your shoulders and knees when entering religious or historical sites.

Should you wish to enhance your interaction with the locals, the team is happy to provide you with a printed list of English-Vietnamese phrases.

Safety First: Motorbike helmets are required by law. Bicycle helmets are available at the Welcome Sala.

Duration:

Flexible

Includes:

Cookies, water

Price:

Bicycle:

Complimentary

Motorbike:

Up To 4 Hours: VND 600,000

8 hours: VND 1,000,000

Guide: VND 1,500,000 (up to 4 hours)

Does not include any entry fees into

religious sites

Why not ...?

Ask your GEM to schedule an Energizer Massage after your two

wheel adventure?



CON DAO LOCAL LIFE TOUR

Feel like discovering the island and finding out what Con Dao daily life is about? We have the solution.

Travel across the island with our guide, through the back roads, small dwellings and local agricultural plots that are peppered with livestock.

We'll visit:

Ben Dam Harbor
Nhat Beach and Shark Cape
Van Son Tu Pagoda
Shrine to Lady Phi Yen
Local Town Market

Your trip will culminate with a much loved traditional Vietnamese coffee.

Essentials:

Hat, sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent and Vietnamese currency if you want to buy local products.

Please respect local customs and cover your shoulders and knees when entering religious sites.

Duration:

Approximately 3 hours Recommended start time is 9:00 am or 2:00 pm

Includes:

Cookies, water, ticket

Price:

Private guided tour: VND 3,800,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 1,000,000

Shared tour:

VND 1,300,000 per guest Shared tour requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?

Take a Vietnamese language class the day before? Meet and greet in the local language.



CON DAO HISTORICAL & PRISON TOUR

This tour explores the rich history of Con Dao and will delve into its darker side. A series of prison systems were constructed throughout the 113 years of colonization (1862-1975), during which time many thousands of prisoners where interred here. Conditions in the prisons have become the substance of legend with hardships and brutal regimes placing untold adversity on the local population.

We'll visit:

Con Dao Museum Phu Hai Prison – Bagne I French Tiger Cage American Tiger Cage Hang Duong Cemetery

Essentials:

Hat, sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent and Vietnamese currency if you want to buy local products.

Please respect local customs and cover your shoulders, belly and knees when entering religious and historical sites.

Duration:

Approximately 3 hours Recommended start time is 9:00 am or 2:00 pm

Includes:

Cookies, water, ticket

Price:

Private guided tour: VND 3,800,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 1,000,000

Shared tour: VND 1,300,000 per guest Shared tour requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?
Read up on the history of Vietnam and Con Dao at the Sense of Intelligence?



SENSE OF RESPECT

Every night a pilgrimage occurs in Con Dao. Visitors to the island go to pay their respects to the fallen heroes of Vietnam's struggle for independence, that now lie peacefully at Hang Duong Cemetery.

Visit and pay your respects at the tomb of national hero, Vo Thi Sau, who gave her life along with the other 2,000-plus buried in this area.

Hang Duong Cemetery now stands as not only a memorial to those who gave their lives, but also as a testament to the will and strength of the Vietnamese people.

Essentials:

Insect repellent

Please respect local customs and cover your shoulders, belly and knees

Duration:

Approximately 1 hour

Includes:

Cookies, water

Price:

Daytime

Private guided tour: VND 3,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 700,000

Shared tour:

VND 1,000,000 per guest Shared tour requires a minimum of 4 guests

Nighttime (after 6pm)

Private guided tour: VND 3,500,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 700,000

Shared tour:

VND 1,100,000 per guest Shared tour requires a minimum of 4 guests

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CLAM COLLECTING

Try your hand at collecting beach clams the traditional way.

Our beach is a prime clam area, and throughout the year we allocate certain sections where clams can be collected. Using the traditional tools of the trade, we will show you how to search for and collect clams.

Please understand that in order to sustain the population of clams on the beach, we do limit the number of clams you can take at any one time to 1 kilogram per session.

Kindly note that size restrictions are in place. Clams must be 2 cm or larger to keep. Anything smaller must be returned to the beach.

Essentials:

Hat, sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent

Duration:

Maximum 1 hour

Includes:

Beach tools, beach combing tool instructor, preparation of clams collected (if any) by our talented chef at By The Market or By The Beach restaurant

Kindly note that clams will require 24 hours to be soaked and cleaned prior to consumption

Price:

VND 1,500,000 per session (up to 2 guests, include cooking costs if any)

Why not ...?

Book a Vietnamese Hot Pot at our restaurant, and add your catch to your delectable meal

This activity is only available at low tide, and subject to weather condition and availability.



Into Discovery and Adventure

BAREFOOT HIKING

Feel the earth beneath your feet with our 90 minute barefoot hike to the stunning hideaway beach.

Accompanied by the resort's Experience expert, your "out-of-the-ordinary" journey will be a great opportunity to enjoy all the benefits that barefoot hiking can offer namely strengthening your muscles, restoring body balance, reducing blood pressure, and more. Take this perfect chance to reconnect yourself with the untouched nature in Con Dao and appreciate the astonishing beauty of the pristine landscapes surrounding our resort.

Difficulty: Easy

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, a camera/smartphone, light and comfortable clothing

Duration:

Approximately 90 minutes Available every Saturday Recommended start time is 4:00 pm (subject to weather conditions)

Includes:

Drinking water

Price:

Complimentary

Why not ...?

Prepare ahead and book a foot or deep tissue massage to relax your body and mind after the journey at our Six Senses Spa

This activity is subject to weather conditions and availability.



HOUSE PEAK HIKING

Nature lovers seeking a challenging yet rewarding adventure should embark on our round-trip hike to the top of House Peak, which stands at 140 meters above sea level. This exhilarating round-trip hike takes approximately 2 hours to complete and features rugged terrain with panoramic views of Six Senses Con Dao, Elephant Mountain, and the sapphire sea, making it a "not-to-be-missed" experience.

Difficulty: Intermediate

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, sports shoes, light and comfortable clothing

Duration:

Approximately 2 hours

Includes:

Tour guide, drinking water and hand towels

Price:

Private guided hike: VND 3,500,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 700,000

Shared hike:

VND 1,000,000 per guest

Shared hike requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?



TREKKING TO BANG BEACH

Immerse yourself in Con Dao's nature while hiking through the rain forest and try to spot the endemic animal species such as Con Dao Giant Black Squirrel, Macaque and the Curved-toe Gecko.

After reaching Bang Beach all tiredness will subside when you glimpse the blue sea washing up on a myriad of colorful pebbles.

Difficulty: Intermediate

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, sports shoes, light and comfortable clothing

Duration:

Approximately 4 hours

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee

Price:

Private guided hike: VND 3,800,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 700,000

Shared hike:

VND 1,300,000 per guest Shared hike requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?



HIT THE HIGH SPOTS

Immerse yourself in Con Dao's nature in the forest and try to spot some of the 3 endemic animal species of Con Dao. Listen carefully and you will be able to distinguish between different types of birds and cicadas.

At the So Ray platform – an old fruit plantation site – it is very common to see the Con Dao Long Tailed Macaque Monkey. At a height of 853 feet (260 meters) above sea level, the old lookout is the perfect place for a panoramic view over Con Son Bay.

Difficulty: Intermediate

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, sports shoes, light and comfortable clothing Duration:

Approximately 3 hours

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee

Price:

Private guided hike: VND 4,200,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 1,100,000

Shared hike:

VND 1,400,000 per guest Shared hike requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?



UP & OVER CON DAO

For those who are more energetic, rather than stopping at the So Ray Platform we continue to hike deep into the jungle, surrounded by lianas and lush vegetation, through to the far side of Con Son. This additional trail takes you where few others go. On the far side you can relax in the clear waters off the peninsular between Ong Cau and Ong Dung Bay.

Difficulty: Intermediate

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, sports shoes, light comfortable clothing Duration:

Approximately 4 hours

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee

Price:

Private guided hike: VND 4,600,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 1,300,000

Shared hike:

VND 1,600,000 per guest Shared hike requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?



ELEPHANT MOUNTAIN HIKING

Elephant Mountain carefully watches over Six Senses Con Dao rising abruptly from the sea at the resort's Southern end. Previously inaccessible but now providing the ultimate challenge for the adventurous and energetic (we highly recommend you test yourself first on our House Peak Hiking Experience before tackling Elephant Mountain). This hike takes you up the elephant's trunk and around the shoulders before making your way down the belly back to the resort, all the while taking in stunning views of the bays and forests surrounding Six Senses Con Dao flanked by the unique local flora and fauna and wildlife.

Difficulty: Difficult

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellant, sports shoes, light and comfortable clothing fully covering your arms and legs

Duration:

Approximately 4 hours

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, drinking water, in-house tour guide

Price:

Private guided hike: VND 4,600,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 1,300,000

Shared hike:

VND 1,600,000 per guest Shared hike requires a minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?

Prepare ahead and book a foot or deep tissue massage to relax your body and mind after the journey at our Six Senses Spa

This activity is subject to weather conditions and availability.



SNORKELING TRIP

Head to the islands of the Con Dao archipelago by speedboat and discover some of Con Dao's best-kept secrets. A speedboat will take you to Hon Tai and Bay Canh or Cau islands to discover the underwater life surrounding Vietnam's premier protected marine area.

We know the perfect spots where you will see some of the documented 1,493 species of marine life and the best coral formations in the country.

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, insect repellent, swimwear, light and comfortable clothing

Duration:

Approximately 3 hours

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee, private boat

Price:

Private speed boat: VND 12,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 2,500,000

Speed boat accommodates up to 6 guests

Shared speed boat: VND 3,500,000 per guest Shared trip requires minimum of 4 guests

Why not ...?

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This activity is subject to weather conditions and availability.



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ISLAND ESCAPES
AND BOAT CHARTERS

Con Dao archipelago has 14 local inlets, hidden bays and off the beaten track beaches. For a truly unique experience you can customize your boat trip around Con Dao, stop for island picnics on the way or find your favorite snorkelling spot.

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee, private boat

Price:

Zone 1 (4 hours)

Private speed boat:

VND 12,000,000 1-2 guests

Additional guest(s):

VND 2,500,000

Shared speed boat:

VND 3,500,000 per guest

Zone 2 (4.5 hours)

Private speed boat: VND 13,000,000 1-2 guests

Additional guest(s):

VND 3,000,000

Shared speed boat:

VND 4,000,000 per guest

Zone 3 (5 hours)

Private speed boat:

VND 14,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s):

VND 3,500,000

Shared speed boat:

VND 4,500,000 per guest

Zone 4 (6 hours)

Private speed boat:

VND 15,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s):

VND 4,000,000

Shared speed boat:

VND 5,000,000 per guest

Shared trip requires minimum of 4 guests

Speed boat accommodates up to 6 guests

Why not ...?

Add a Sense of Gourmet picnic to your

private island escape with menus starting

from VND 1,500,000 including set-up

Zone and activity are subject to weather, tide

conditions and availability.

Prices are subject to 5% service charge and government tax.



LOCAL FISHING TRIP

What better way to spend the early morning than on a boat feeling the sea breeze against your skin while taking in the backdrop of the Con Dao Archipelago?

Here you can try sport fishing.
Our speed boat captain and team
will guide you to the best local
locations. If you are lucky, you may
be able to have your own fresh
seafood dinner.

Kindly note, size and species restrictions are in place.

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, swimsuit, insect repellent, light and comfortable clothing

Includes:

Cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee, private boat

Price:

Half day trip (4 hours)
Private speed boat:

VND 13,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s):

VND 3,000,000

Shared speed boat: VND 4,000,000 per guest

Half day trip (7 hours)

Private speed boat: VND 18,000,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 4,500,000

Shared speed boat: VND 5,500,000 per guest

Shared trip requires minimum of 4 guests Speed boat accommodates up to 6 guests

Why not ...?

Take a refreshing dip at one of our favorite snorkeling spots on the way back?

This activity is subject to weather conditions and availability.



PRIVATE SUNSET GETAWAY

Travel by boat to the Western side of Con Dao, passing Ca Map Cape (Shark Cape) and Dinh Tinh Yeu (Lovers Peak) before stopping on the far side of Hon Ba (Grandmother Island).

Here you'll witness the sun slowly setting and an overwhelming display of colors on the horizon.

Essentials:

Sunglasses, sunblock, light and comfortable clothing and something warm for the return journey

Duration:

Approximately 2 hours
Recommended start time is 4:00 pm

Includes:

Bottle of champagne, canapes, cookies, fruits, in-house tour guide, National Park fee, private boat

Price:

Private speed boat: VND 13,500,000 (up to 2 guests)

Additional guest(s): VND 3,500,000

Shared speed boat: VND 4,500,000 per guest

Shared getaway requires minimum of 4 guests Speed boat accommodates up to 6 guests

Why not ...?

Pre-book a romantic private dinner at The Wine Cellar or Chefs Table?

This activity is subject to weather conditions and availability.



Into Sports

FEED THE FISH GOLF

What do you get when you combine Six Senses and Golf? Well-fed fish!

While we don't have the space for a full 18 holes, we do have a lot of ocean. Using our EcoBioBalls® you are able to practice your swing and knock a few into the water from the Sense of View Platform.

EcoBioBalls® dissolve in 48 hours and the remains serve as fish food. To cause the least disturbance to natural feeding habits we do limit the number of balls played daily at a maximum of 50 balls per day.

Essentials:

Comfortable clothing, sunblock, hat, sunglasses, insect repellent

Includes:

A range of clubs, fresh water, EcoBioBalls®

Price:

25 balls: VND 2,500,000 50 balls: VND 4,500,000

This activity is only available during low tide.



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OTHER SPORTS

Volleyball

Football

Darts

Table tennis

Beach Tennis

Frisbee & Basketball

Mini golf

Bocce ball

Essentials:

A team - get your family, another villa, or a few Hosts together

Includes:

Please ask the Experience Team for

any equipment required

Price:

Complimentary

Set near the main pool and around the Market Place, we have a range of activities for you and the family to enjoy.

Pick your team and get that adrenaline pumping in a friendly football or volleyball match. Score some points, then jump right into the sea to freshen up when you are done.



Into Watersport

SAFETY

When participating in any watersports or swimming, please take note of the sea conditions and use the Beach Warning Flags illustrated below as a guide:

Life Guards are on duty from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm daily.

Water activities are dependent on weather, tide and sea conditions.



DOUBLE RED FLAGS Water closed to public



SINGLE RED FLAG High Hazard – Strong Surf and/or Currents



SINGLE YELLOW FLAG
Medium Hazard –
Moderate Surf and/or
Currents



SINGLE GREEN FLAG
Calm conditions,
Exercise Caution



SINGLE PURPLE FLAG Jellyfish, sea urchin or other marine life are present in the water, and can cause minor injuries.



OTHER WATER SPORTS

Kayaking

Single kayaks are available for use in the bay.

Stand-up Paddle Board

Learn how to master the stand-up paddle board and cruise around the bay with an elevated view.

Body Boards

Not quite the surf professional yet? No problem, body boards are the perfect introduction to catching those waves.

Essentials:

Hat, sunblock, sunglasses

Duration:

These activities are available daily from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm – subject to safe conditions.

Price:

Complimentary



INTO TAKING IT EASY

Crave a game of chess or checkers? You will find these available in your villa. For a wider choice, come and choose from our selection at the Sense of Intelligence.

Monopoly
Scrabble (adults and children)
Articulate (adults and children)
Trivial Pursuit
Ludo
Twister (for the kid in you)
Playing cards
Charades for kids
Jigsaw puzzles (for children)

Why not ...?

Have a game set up around the pool or by the beach while you enjoy a fresh cocktail? Simply let us know and we will be happy to make all the necessary arrangement.



Grow With Six Senses

Sense of Laughter is open from 09:00 am to 05:00 pm daily for 4 to 12 years old. Here we have a great selection of exciting activities that will keep youngsters busy in the resort. They can paint statues, make sand castles, explore the beach and jungle, decorate cookies, learn how to make exciting things or what to do with recycled paper or play by the pool - the possibilities are endless. Parents, you can always join in if it looks like we're having too much fun.

Our philosophy here is that you don't need to be told what to do and when. Just come by and see what fun things are going on and join in. If you want to do something else, maybe we can get somebody else interested too.

INDOOR ACTIVITIES

At the club you can learn how to re-use old paper, get creative with design and try some new ways of making pictures. Stretch your imagination and see what you can create.

Face mask workshop
Flags of the world
Drawing and painting
Sand painting
T-shirt painting
Movie night

Prices:

All activities listed above are complimentary



CREATIVE LEARNING

Con Dao is very different to where you live; here we have tropical rain forest ecosystems, a fresh water ecosystem and marine ecosystems that are different to anywhere else in the world. Con Dao is part of Vietnam, having its own language and culture. Being on Con Dao means it's more difficult to get many of things you use daily at home, like fresh water, and fresh vegetables.

We are pleased to offer several sessions to explain some of our special programs:

Learn to speak Vietnamese Crystal water plant tour

Prices:

All activities listed above are complimentary

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Outside is the best place to be; enjoying the fresh air, the beach, the sea, the forest. All offer amazing opportunities to do cool things.

Sandcastle building Badminton

Prices:

All activities listed above are complimentary

TASTY ACTIVITIES

Impress your friends when you get home by learning some new skills to treat the taste buds.

Prices:

Pizza making:

VND 350,000 per pizza

Cookie decoration: VND 250,000 per set



Global Sensibility

Sustainability has always been at the heart of Six Senses. The driving force for sustainability goals comes both from a sense of passion as well as responsibility. We recognize that our operations will have an impact on the surrounding environment and community; but it is our decisions and actions which will determine if those impacts are negative or positive.

To this end we are happy to share with you the different aspects of what we do here on a daily basis with the aim that you might be able to take some of these idea's home with you:

COMPOSTING

Learn how to make your own garden compost. It doesn't take acres of space or massive efforts to produce compost, just some initial effort and a little bit more to maintain the process.

Essentials:

Composting is messy business, so please expect to get a little dirty

Duration

Approximately 1 hour

Price:

Complimentary



SOAP MAKING

Want to discover how to create your own customized soap that you can take home and use or gift family and friends? Join our soap making class in the Earth Lab. Utilizing recycled cooking oil from our kitchens we'll show you how to create your own soap and you can choose additives to create the scents and textures exactly to your liking.

You'll leave with plenty of sustainability tips and tricks and 4 of your very own crafted bars of soap.

Essentials:

Allow more than 24 hours before your checkout to ensure your soap bars are fully set and ready to take home with you.

Duration

45 minutes to an hour

Includes:

All ingredients and equipment to conduct the workshop

Price:

VND 600,000 per guest

CANDLE MAKING

Looking for a fun, family friendly sustainable experience you can take home?

Join us at Earth Lab for our complimentary candle making class where you'll learn how to transform used candle remains, cooking oil, and your choice of essential oils into your own unique candles to take home.

You'll also have the chance to learn more about our sustainability initiatives and products included in our day-to-day lives and how they help improve our surrounding environment and community.

Essentials:

Allow more than 24 hours before your checkout to ensure your candles fully set and are ready to take home with you

Duration:

30 to 45 minutes

Includes:

All ingredients and equipment to conduct the workshop

Price:

VND 600,000 per guest



ALCHEMY BAR WORKSHOPS

Join us at the Alchemy Bar at Six Senses Con Dao Spa for fun and engaging workshops where you'll learn about how Coconut Oil, Body Scrub or Herbal Hair Wash are made.

Best of all, you can absolutely bring home your hand-made products home as a souvenir.

Duration

30 minutes

Includes:

All ingredients and equipment to conduct the workshop

Price:

VND 650,000 per guest

Advance booking is advised

COMMUNITY ENGLISH CLASSES

Community education is key in making a lasting impact, which has motivated us to organize a wide range of activities, from teaching English to raising environmental awareness. We conduct English classes twice a week for local children aged 3 to 14 years old, you're invited to join us and share their educational development.

Essentials:

Contact your GEM to find out which classes are scheduled during your stay and register to join us

Duration:

1 hour

Price:

Complimentary



SEA TURTLE TALK

Join us to learn about our ongoing endangered green sea turtle conservation efforts. Discover how mother green sea turtles carefully lay their eggs at our resort beach and throughout the Con Dao archipelago between mid-March and late October. Find out how predators, poaching and other natural elements can endanger the incubation process and how we're helping to avoid these risks.

Visit the "Let's Get Cracking" center, which, in cooperation with the National Park Authority provides a sanctuary for incubation of sea turtle eggs and when the time arrives the ethical hatchling release directly from the resort beach.

We'll share some of the learnings our hosts have made by carefully studying and monitoring incubation conditions throughout the day, every day of the turtle nesting season enabling hatching rates of over 90%, around twice as high as what occurs naturally. Some days, our turtle clutches even achieve 100% hatching success!

Duration 30-45 minutes

Price:
Complimentary



SEA TURTLE HATCHERY & RELEASE

We've restored our beach to make it an ideal place for egg-laying by endangered green sea turtles. We've named this project "Let's Get Cracking", in cooperation with Con Dao National Park authorities, it includes a safe and monitored incubation enclosure to protect eggs from threats such as poaching.

After around 60-days incubation our little VIP guests are ready to check out directly from the resort beach. Guests are encouraged to participate in our ethical hatchling releases and those lucky enough to be here when our eggs hatch have called the experience life changing. Generally conducted at 6:15am you can witness the miracle of life as these at risk, yet adorable tiny creatures make a dash towards the waiting waves.

Note: Subject to clutch hatching times, ask your GEM whether we have any clutches close to their due dates and we'll notify you the night prior of releases.

Essentials:

Camera, light comfortable clothing including rain protection if it happens to be wet – these baby turtles aren't afraid of getting wet!

Duration:

How fast can they dash towards the waves?

Price:

Complimentary

