

## TOURISM SUPPLIER SUSTAINABILITY CODE

- Provide information in advance about your sustainability actions, activity accessibility & what to expect
- Share accurate & impartial information about local nature & culture, as well as social development/conservation projects travellers may want to support
- Show respect for the land, waterways, wildlife & other users. Do not disturb vegetation, wildlife or nesting sites
- Maximise local economic & social benefits through employment & purchasing
- Ensure applicable legal permits, licenses & permission to access the company activity or site, an area in place
- Ensure insurance is in place for guests & team
- Ensure enough team members are available in case of emergency & always provide emergency available contacts
- Identify health & safety risks, implement management systems & provide appropriate safety equipment
- Be familiar with activity area & ensure that navigation & communication tools are good working order
- Use eco-friendly products
- Avoid single use & disposable items, provide waste collection facilities & pick up any rubbish found in the area
- Be Waterwise & take proactive measures to use water sparingly
- Maximise accessibility to participants with special needs
- Brief travellers about do's & don'ts, safety, what to expect & logistics
- Communicate & enforce conduct rules & appropriate behaviour specific to the destination & heritage site



















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- Ensure that etiquette regarding taking photos/videos is clearly communicated
- Screen participants ahead of time to make sure that the activity is well suited to their fitness & level of ability
- Manage group size to minimise impacts on people & planet, ensure safe guiding
- Manage expectations responsibly, in consideration of respectful & professional guiding conduct
- Minimise energy used in the activity as part of a climate action strategy, including choosing low-carbon transportation options, flight planning, taxing & transport equipment operations to maximize fuel efficiency
- -----Obtain written confirmation that participants are risks' aware
- Monitor activity area conditions, including weather, in advance & during the activity
- Remain in approved areas for use & designed tracks
- Do not chase marine wildlife, alter or restrict their movement
- Provide information to participants about responsible gifting (avoid money or sweets) explaining that foster children beg businesses & abuse
- Communicate your zero tolerance of child labour, sex trade or human trafficking
- Provide information about customary tipping to service providers & for the activity
- Provide opportunities for travellers to ask questions & provide feedback at the end
- Facilitate opportunities for meaningful exchange with local people
- Depart sighting slowly, leaving no wake



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- Use locally produced, healthy, organic, fair-trade ingredients
- Minimise food waste through careful procurement & meal planning
- Avoid single use & disposable items, use alternative to plastic bottled water & provide adequate waste collection facilities
- Offer menu options typical of regional cuisine
- Provide opportunities for participants to support conservation, natural resource management & local development initiatives
- Train & employ community members to manage communitybased tourism activities
- Respect local leadership & traditional governance structures & obtain their permission to visit their places
- In vulnerable groups, ensure parents or supervisor is always present
- Exclude visiting orphanages from any tourism experience
- Ensure that the exchange of personal details between facility residents & customers is not permitted
- Ensure infrastructures are clean, orderly & in good state of repair
- Provide toilet facilities for visitors
- Avoid flights with high environmental/social impacts risk
- Limit the number & duration of flights over protected, culturally significant or residential areas
- Adhere to indications regarding minimum flight height above ground
- Repair & compensate for any damage caused to the area
- Participate in conserving area integrity, notify authorities of concerns & participate in relevant rehabilitation projects
- Avoid sensitive habitats & provide best practices for animal welfare
- Respect the planet, local people, partners, cultures & laws
- Ensure fair pricing is applied, including commissions & mark-ups













