

George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands

Brilliant turquoise water, one of the world's friendliest stingray encounters, and a famous seven-mile beach — all reached by tender into the heart of George Town.

Tender port (no pier)

Typical call: 7-9 hrs

Cayman dollar (USD widely accepted)

English

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:

Arrive:

All aboard:

Excursion:

Notes:

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender only — ships anchor in George Town Harbour; 10-15 min ride to Royal Watler, North, or South Terminal

Best For: Stingray City, reef snorkeling, Seven Mile Beach, duty-free shopping

Walk to center: Terminals drop you in the heart of George Town — shops, museum, and restaurants are steps away

Don't Miss: Stingray City sandbar — one of the Caribbean's signature wildlife encounters

Getting around: **Taxi** CI\$3–8 (~US\$4–10) within George Town; ~US\$15–20 to Seven Mile Beach · **Rideshare** not available

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Stingray City Sandbar** — Waist-deep water on a mid-harbour sandbar where wild Southern stingrays glide around you.
 - Seven Mile Beach** — One of the Caribbean's top-rated beaches — powdery coral sand, calm clear water, and a long stretch of resorts, beach bars, and water sports.
- Reef Snorkeling & USS Kittiwake** — Grand Cayman's reefs are some of the clearest in the Caribbean.
 - Starfish Point** — A sheltered north-coast cove in calm, gin-clear shallows where bright red cushion starfish are easy to spot.
 - Cayman Crystal Caves** — Guided tour through underground chambers on the island's north side, with stalactites, crystals, and a colony of fruit bats.

BEST WALKS

- George Town Waterfront & Historic Quarter** 1.5 km · Flat · 30–45 min · Easy — From Royal Watler Terminal, walk south along Harbour Drive past the Cayman Islands National Museum — the island's oldest public building, housed in the 1830 Old Courts...
- Smith's Barcadere (Smith Cove) Snorkel Stop** 20 min taxi south · Easy beach access · Free — A short taxi ride south of town brings you to Smith Cove, a protected rocky cove with calm, clear water and reliable snorkeling.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		86°	78°	28d
Jun		86°	78°	22d
Aug		85°	77°	26d
Sep		85°	77°	27d
Oct		84°	77°	29d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:07AM–6:42PM · Jun 5:47AM–7:04PM · Aug 6:06AM–6:52PM · Sep 6:13AM–6:27PM · Oct 6:19AM–6:01PM

Representative sunrise/sunset — 2025, 15th of each month; local civil time including DST (America/Cayman). Source: Astral; not a forecast or climate average.

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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Build in tender time. With up to 6 ships in port simultaneously, the tender queue can eat 30–60 minutes off both ends of your day. Collect tender tickets at breakfast if you have a morning tour.
- Distinguish the official peg from retail conversion. The Cayman dollar's official fixed rate is CI\$1 = US\$1.20, as stated in CIMA's fact sheet (checked 3 October 2026). Shops, banks and card providers can use different conversion terms or fees; confirm the currency, rate and change before paying rather than assuming a universal retail rate. https://www.cima.ky/upimages/publicationdoc/CIMAFACFSHEET-De_1614014643.pdf.
- Stingray City books out fast.
- Seven Mile Beach is a taxi, not a walk.
- Watch your last tender time.
- Duty-free is genuine here.

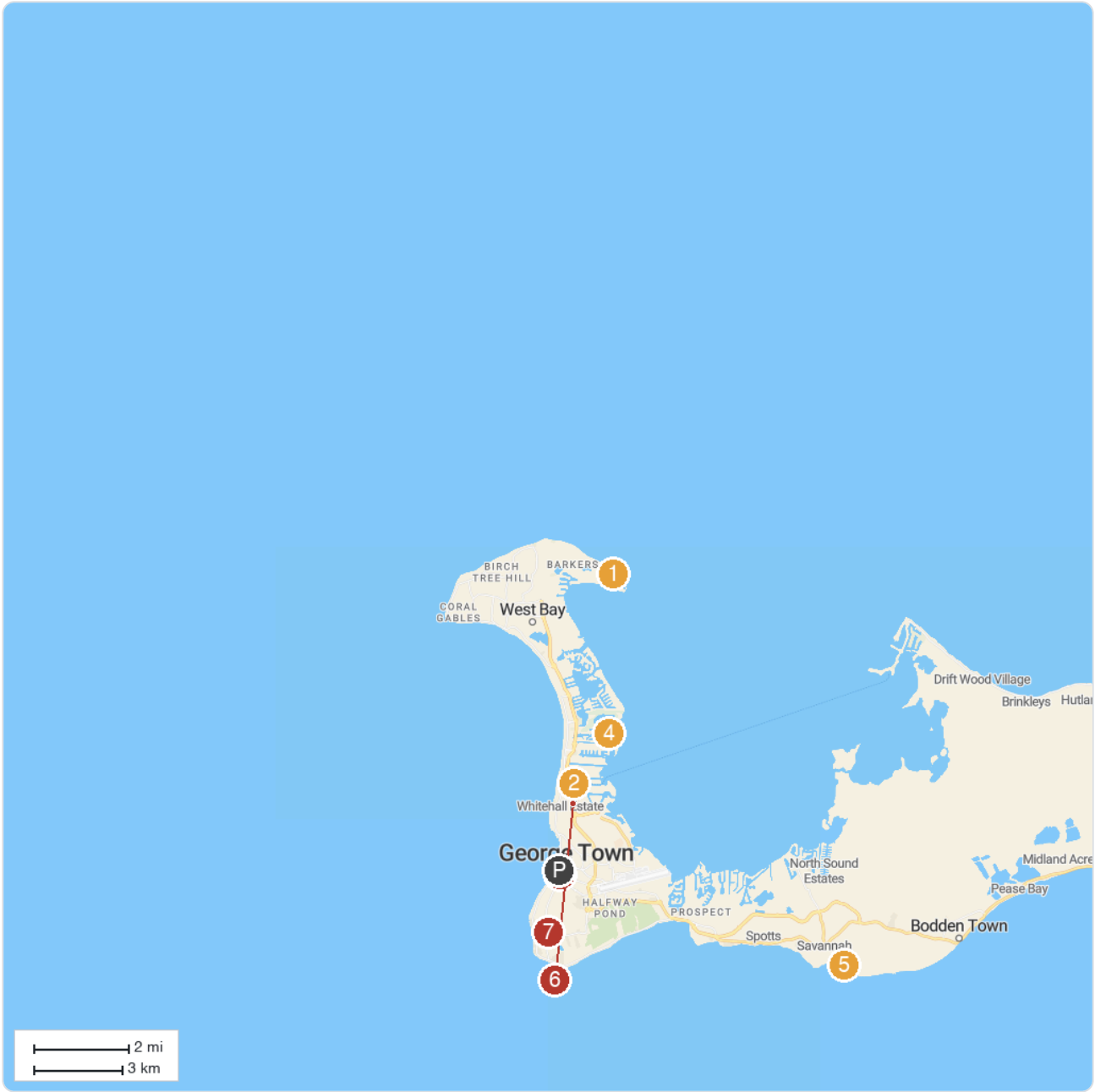
ESSENTIAL TRAVEL QUALIFICATIONS

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George Town, Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



- 1

Barker's National Park

Protected natural park for wildlife, mangroves, and birdwatching.
- 2

Camana Bay

Modern waterfront town with shops, restaurants, and entertainment.
- 3

Cayman Islands National Museum

Museum showcasing Cayman's natural and cultural history.
- 4

Stingray City Cayman Islands

Shallow sandbar where you can interact with wild stingrays.
- 5

Pedro St James

Historic 18th-century great house and cultural heritage site.
- 6

The National Gallery of the Cayman Islands

Art gallery showcasing Caymanian and international visual arts.
- 7

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This is St. Ignatius Catholic School.
- P

Cruise port / terminal