

Krabi, Krabi Province, Thailand

Soaring limestone towers, longtail boats, and beaches only reachable by water — Krabi is southern Thailand at its most dramatic. A half-day here feels like a week's worth of scenery.

Tender port

Typical call: 6–9 hrs

Thai Baht (THB)

Thai (English in tourist areas)

Andaman Sea, Thailand

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:

Arrive:

All aboard:

Excursion:

Notes:

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Anchor & tender to Noppharat Thara Pier (~20–30 min)

Best For: Island hopping, rock climbing, longtail boats, beach days

Walk to center: ~30-min walk or 5-min tuk-tuk to Ao Nang Beach

Don't Miss: Railway Beach — only reachable by longtail, 15 min from Ao Nang

Getting around: Taxi 400–600 THB · Rideshare Grab, Bolt

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Railay Beach by Longtail Boat** — Accessible only by boat, Railay's west beach is framed by towering limestone cliffs.
 - Four Islands Snorkel Tour** — A classic: longtail or speedboat to Koh Poda, Koh Tub, Koh Mor, and Chicken Island for snorkeling, sandbar walks at low tide, and swimming in clear...
 - Tiger Cave Temple (Wat Tham Suea)** — Climb 1,237 steep steps through jungle to a golden Buddha summit with 360° views over
- limestone forests.
 - Emerald Pool & Blue Lagoon** — Hike through Khao Phra Bang Khram Nature Reserve to a mineral-spring fed pool of luminous green water.
 - Sea Kayaking in Ao Thalane** — Paddle through cathedral-like mangrove tunnels and into hidden lagoons carved into the karst cliffs — one of the most peaceful activities in Krabi.

BEST WALKS

- Noppharat Thara to Ao Nang Beach** 2.5 km · ~30 min · Flat coastal road — Walk south along the coast road from the tender pier past pine-shaded Noppharat Thara Beach to the Ao Nang tourist strip — restaurants, tour booths, shops, and longtail...
- Ao Nang Monkey Trail Loop** 1.5 km · ~20 min · Boardwalk — At the southern end of Ao Nang Beach, a cliffside wooden boardwalk winds around karst rocks where wild macaques roam.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		88°	77°	23d
Jun		85°	78°	23d
Aug		84°	77°	25d
Sep		84°	77°	24d
Oct		84°	76°	28d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:16AM–6:33PM · Jun 6:07AM–6:42PM · Aug 6:17AM–6:40PM · Sep 6:15AM–6:24PM · Oct 6:12AM–6:08PM

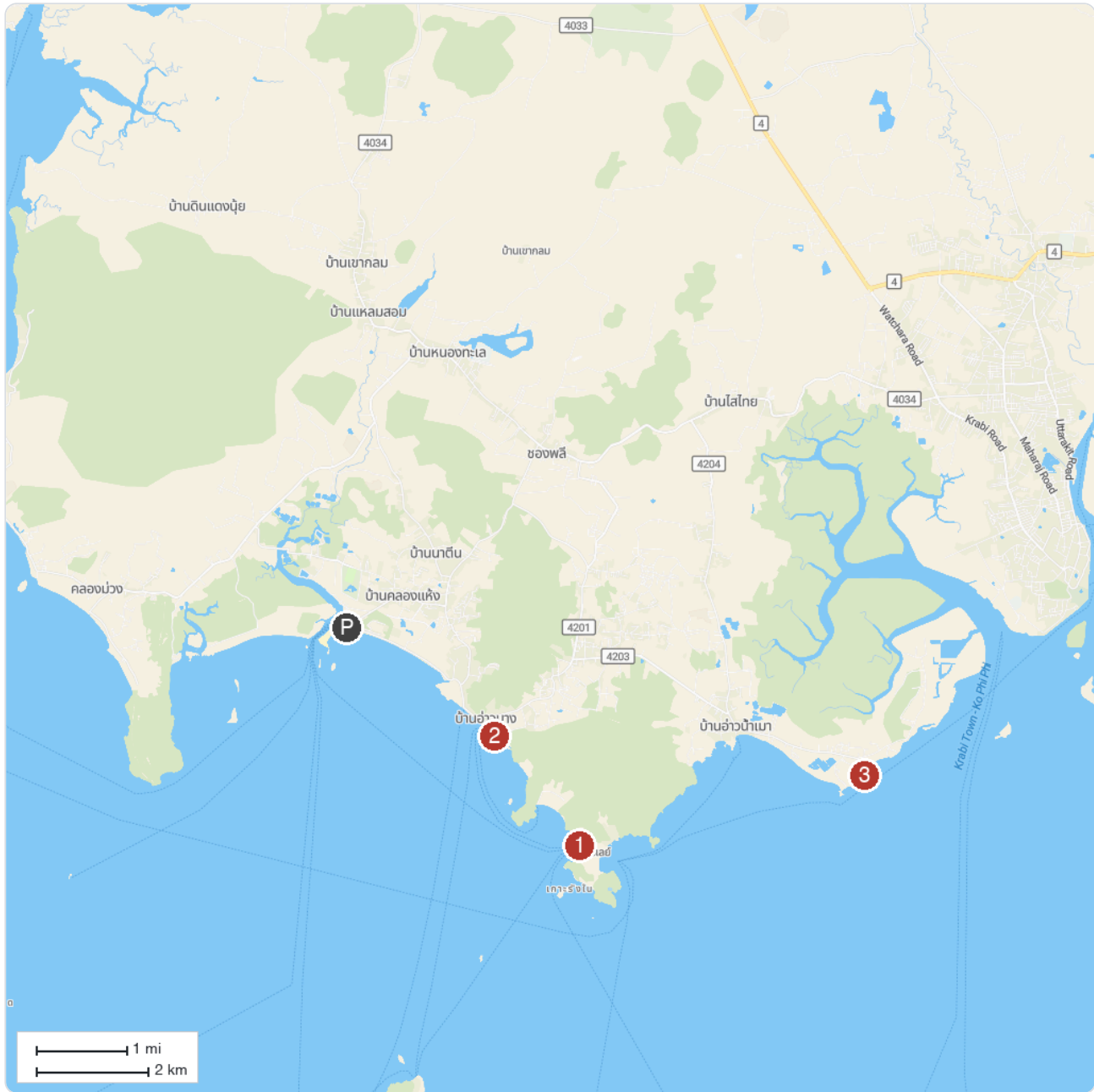
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Tender timing matters. Collect your tender ticket early onboard — popular days see long morning queues. Build in 30 min each way for the tender ride.
- Pick land OR sea. Railay/islands and jungle temples (Tiger Cave, Emerald Pool) are in opposite directions. Trying both usually means rushing — choose one and do it properly.
- Use cash. Longtail boats, tuk-tuks, street food, and many tour operators are cash-only. ATMs are plentiful in Ao Nang — withdraw Thai Baht at the pier.
- Temple dress code: shoulders and knees must be covered at Tiger Cave Temple and Wat Kaew Korawaram. Sarongs can be borrowed at the gate.
- Download Grab before you arrive — it's Southeast Asia's Uber and gives fixed-price rides. Beats haggling with tuk-tuks for longer journeys.
- The Ko Phi Islands need a full day. The speedboat alone is 45–60 min each way. Only attempt if your ship has a 9+ hour call and confirm with the tour operator they guarantee ship return.

Krabi, Krabi Province, Thailand — 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 Railay Beach** Dramatic limestone-cliff beach accessible only by boat, famed for rock climbing and turquoise water.
- 3 Shell Cemetery** Unique beach of ancient fossilized shells compressed into rock slabs some 75 million years old.

- 2 Ao Nang Beach** Main beach strip of Ao Nang lined with longtail boats bound for nearby islands.
- P Cruise port / terminal**