

Cayman Islands Fact Sheet

Climate

The weather on Grand Cayman is generally sunny all year round with the temperature ranging from 75°F - 85°F during the day to 70°F - 80°F at night. Grand Cayman is in the Eastern Standard time zone and does not participate in daylight saving time.

Clothing

- Cotton or lightweight clothing is suitable for daywear
- Resort casual attire is recommended when dining in restaurants

Visas

Please be aware of the new passport requirements for United States citizens travelling to the Caribbean. Beginning January 23, 2007, All U.S. citizens travelling by air between the United States and the Caribbean, Canada, Mexico, Central and South American, and Bermuda, will be required to present a valid passport.

Health Requirements

There are no special health requirements for travel to Cayman. The use of sunscreen and mosquito repellent is advised.

Language

The national language of the Cayman Islands is English.

Electricity

220 - 240 AC/DC voltage

Currency

- Transactions are done in either U.S. dollars or Cayman Island dollars. One U.S. dollar is equivalent to \$.80 Cayman Islands dollar.
- Canadian dollars, Euro dollars and pounds sterling can be exchanged for CI dollars at local banks. Remember to bring along your passport to help facilitate exchanges.
- Major credit cards (with the exception of the Discover Card) and traveller's checks are widely accepted.
- Automatic Teller Machines accepting VISA and MasterCard with Cirrus affiliation are located at Cayman National Bank and other banks and at Owen Roberts International Airport as well as a few other locations such as the grocery stores.

Phone

- The area code is 345.
- For local directory assistance, call 411.