

YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Rarotonga guidelines for an enjoyable time at the beach and in the lagoon!!

Coral is a living organism! It may take hundreds of years to develop a reef like this, and you can harm the reef just by standing on it...one step may damage it, 2 to 9 steps may kill it!



What You Can Do

- Make sure your gear fits properly, is comfortable and adjusted before you go in the water! If you need to make adjustments, find a sandy area to stand or swim back to shore.
- Enter the ocean in a sandy area. Even rocky areas may provide habitat for coral larvae and other marine invertebrates.
- When snorkeling, stay horizontal and float OVER the reef!
- If there is a Raui in place, please respect it and leave everything in the lagoon that belongs to it
- Observe animals exhibiting their natural behaviors rather than stimulate them to entertain.
- Please do not harass protected species such as giant clams and turtles!
- No need for feeding bread to the fish – instead bang two little stones/rocks together.
- Take your rubbish with you when you leave the beach.

Thank you for looking after our lagoon !!!

Take nothing but memories
and leave nothing but bubbles

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