

A fun fact to share with your parents!



A 'cay' is a term used in The Bahamas to refer to a 'key,' which is similar to an 'island.' However, a cay or key is usually smaller than an island and located in shallow waters and often forms around a coral reef. When there are cays, keys or islands grouped together that is called an archipelago!

What is a Cay, a Key, an Island, or an Archipelago?



On Big Major Cay, which is an island with no houses on it (uninhabited), you'll find the world-famous swimming pigs. It all began in the early 1990s with five baby pigs. Whenever a boat arrives, they are ready to be fed and swim and pose for pictures.



Swim with Pigs!

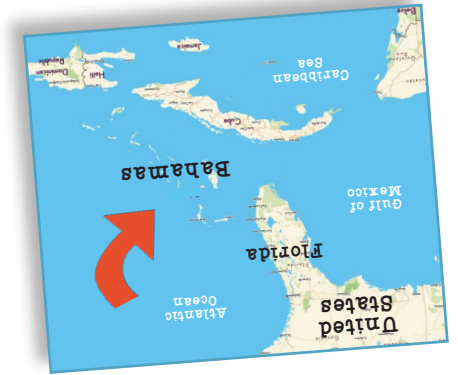
On Harbor Island the sand on the beach is not brown, tan, or even white... it is pink! The sand has tiny red colored shell pieces in it making it look pink. Pretty cool!

Pink Beach Sand?

The Bahamas is known for beautiful beaches and clear water, rich culture, music and even legends of pirates!



What is The Bahamas Known For?



The beautiful Bahamas is a string of 700 islands, 2,000 cays (or keys) and 100,000 square miles of crystal clear ocean to the east and southeast of Florida.

Where is The Bahamas?

All about The Bahamas!

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Yo ho, yo ho... a Pirate's life

The Bahamas was once the home for pirates. Pirates were bad guys who used to sail their ships up to merchant ships that were transporting food, spices, and silver and gold. The pirates would raise their pirate flag - to warn the merchant ships to surrender - and would then steal the cargo. Also, if the merchant ship was better or faster than the pirate ship - they would steal the ship too!



Argg! Shiver me timbers!

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