

SAMPLE itinerary



Key Facts

- Weather for your stay will be 84-91 degrees. No Rain on the forecast
- Culture rich in music and arts
- Pina Colada is the national drink that originated here
- Mofongo is a very popular dish here and commonly served
- Afro Nation Festival will be taking place this weekend

DAY 1 – Thursday

- Arrive at San Juan International airport. Your flight is scheduled to arrive at 1pm. Uber or Taxi to San Juan Hotel – **La Concha Renaissance San Juan Resort**. Check in: 3pm. Relax & decompress from travels.
- Explore Hotel. La Concha Resort is very centrally located resorts that boasts 5 restaurants, 3 bars, 2 pools, a casino, and is situated right on the beach. Grab your first authentic Pina Colada at the lobby bar!
- Head to dinner near the hotel, you have a lot of options nearby within walking of the hotel

Dinner Options - Candado:

- **Wicked Lily** – All American restaurant serving burgers, fries, and beer. Located walkable distance from the hotel. Hours: 11am-11pm
 - **Serafina** – Italian Restaurant serving signature cocktails and gourmet pasta. Located within LaConcha Resort Hours 6pm-10pm. Reservation Required
 - **Cocina Abierta** – Traditional Puerto Rican Cuisine serving Ropa Veja and Mofongo, Located across from LaConcha Resort. Hours: 12pm – 8pm
- If you have some energy after traveling the day, check out some San Juan night life options:
 - **Hotel terrace bar**. Exclusive for Resort Guests only. Located within LaConcha. Hours: 5pm – 10pm

- **Arya Rooftop** – Rooftop bar with exceptional views located within the O:LV Hotel. Located 3 miles from resort. Hours 3pm-1am
- **Patrick's Irish Bar** – 2nd Floor high energy spot. Good for dancing & Beer. Located 500m from Resort. Hours: 7pm-2am

DAY 2 - Friday

- Start your first full day in Puerto Rico with a traditional Breakfast. Or if you prefer a Traditional American breakfast, you have that as an option
Breakfasts Options:
 - **Aroma Café:** Fresh fruit, pastries, and ready-made breakfast sandwiches. Grab coffee, juices, and coconut water. Located in the lobby of LaConcha Resort. Use your room number for a 10% discount
 - **Semilla Kitchen & Bar:** All day brunch in this elegant urban setting is a gem of the Conado area. If you're looking to start your day with fresh cooked food and a mimosa, this is a great choice. Located just about a quarter mile from your hotel
 - **Orozco's Restaurant:** Enjoy a traditional Puerto Rican breakfast in this long-standing restaurant in the area, Breakfast is served from 7am – 10am. Located directly across the street
- Lounge /relax by the pool/beach
- After breakfast and little free time, grab a cab or uber and head over to Old San Juan to **Casa Bacardi** for your Rum tour. Originating in Puerto Rico, Bacardi Rum is the staple liquor on the island. Taste the different Bacardi brand rums, some exclusively to only the island of Puerto Rico. Bottle your rum and take it home with you
- After your Bacardi tour check out Dinner in the historic **Old San Juan** area. Already nearby. You have a wide array of options, more of traditional Puerto Rican cuisine to choose from.
Dinner Options – Old San Juan:
 - **Barrachina:** Traditional Puerto Rican style restaurant with an indoor and outdoor seating area. Loved by locals and tourists.
 - **Café El Punto:** Down to earth eatery serving traditional local comfort food and drinks.
 - **Marmalade:** Voted Best restaurant in the Old San Juan area, Marmalade serves up stylish plates and international cuisine. Reservations Required. Dress Code enforced
- Night life options – Old San Juan:
 - **La Factoría:** Unique speakeasy vibes, with cocktails. Noted to turn from bar to club during the after hours
 - **La Cubanita:** Specializing in craft cocktails, this Old San Juan lounge gives off the Latin Caribbean vibes
 - **Nono's:** Local Puerto Rican dive bar. Full bar and specialty drinks

DAY 3 – Saturday

- Breakfast
- Cab ride to El Yunque National Forest. Americas only Tropical Rainforest. Duration: 45 mins – 1hr. Here at El Yunque you have a wide array of activities to choose from to explore the beautiful forest
 - Horseback riding - \$100 Hosted by Castillo Tours/ \$84 Hosted by Carabali Tours
 - ATV - \$65/1hr Hosted by Carabali Tours
 - Hiking – Self Guided. Or Guided Tours - \$35 Hosted by El Yunque Tours
- After exploring the rain forest, try lunch there as well. El Yunque forest has a few restaurants right on sight.

Lunch Options:

 - **El Yunque Rainforest Café**
 - **El Yunque Treehouse**
 - **La Murella**
- All Options serves up traditional Puerto Rican cuisine. No Frills. Use cash, if possible, to lessen the burden of credit card fees for the diner.
- If you haven't already, upon your return to your hotel try a local Pina Colada, the island national drink at one of the many local bars near the hotel. Snap a photo
- After a day in the rainforest continue the night with dinner in San Juan historic district **La Placita**. Popular for its restaurants and nightlife during the night, but also serving as a market during the day

Dinner Options – La Placita

 - **Chicharron**: Most popular place in La Placita. Known for seafood. Reservations Required.
 - **Garabatos Bar & Restaurant**: All American and Quick bites. Adults only. 18+
 - **Delavida**: traditional Puerto Rican cuisine offer big portions while remaining affordable.

Nightlight Options – La Placita:

 - **JungleBird**
 - **Garabatos Bar & Restaurant**
 - **Loko's Koko Bar**
 - All Bars/clubs require ID, and is 18+ only after 9pm

DAY 4 - Sunday

- Breakfast
- **Covid test for return – Scheduled covid @ 11am for return to USA. Tests are done on sight at the hotel for \$30 USD. Results will be emailed & WhatsApp**

Optional activities for

 - Pool/Beach – Bottle service is provided on the beach. Ask for drink menu
 - Catamaran cruise w/ Snorkel (\$75, booked on site)
 - Shopping – Candado is close to number of luxury retailers if you prefer to shop
 - Gucci
 - Ferragamo
 - Cartier

Located 1056 – 1077 Ashford Ave. .25 miles from hotel

- After a chill, relaxed day. Make plans for dinner as today's excursion will take you about an hour away from your hotel and will be after sundown.

Dinner Options:

- **La Bodeguita de Manolo Condado** - Newly opened, Sept 2021, this restaurant already has great reviews via Yelp. Try the lamb chops. Reservations Required
Located .15 miles from hotel
 - **Lote 23** – Lively diner, with all outside seating. Grab an uber and try this local favorite
 - **Bistro De Paris**: If you're into fine dining check out this French bistro
- After an early dinner, please be in the lobby for pickup for your Bioluminescent Bays Night Tour @7:30pm. This excursion features a guided kayak tour to see the natural wonder of the glowing waters. The tour is booked after sundown to ensure best view of the magical waters

DAY 5 – Monday

- Breakfast
- Late Check out: 12pm
- Taxi/Uber to San Juan International Airport