

# St.Lucia Attractions Overview

**The island is known for its diverse landscape and multitude of attractions and things to do to suit every taste and wallet.**

**Many of the best St.Lucia attractions are in the South of the island, within 30 – 45 minutes from Villa Caribbean Dream.**

There are many St.Lucia attractions all throughout the island (see comprehensive list below). It takes about 2 hours to drive from North to South. The main road mostly follows the coast, and the whole loop takes about 3 hours. The best way to see the island is to rent a car. If you prefer to drive shorter distances, consider staying in more than one place. Below is an overview of most of the sites, attractions and activities on the island, organized by route and distance. Some link to the individual attractions and businesses, some link to blog posts.

## **Do I need a local Guide for all St Lucia Attractions? Is it safe to go without a guide?**

Most sites and trails have local guides on staff and charge an entrance fee of \$5 – US\$ 15 per person. Sometimes you can pay to enter without a guide. Many other places require advance booking and charge more. The entrance to the Forestry trails is US\$ 10, if you have your own transportation. Some other hikes cost US\$ 50 or more (for example Gros Piton, Petit piton, Mount Gimie, or other specialized rainforest and birdwatching tour).

Many of the organized tours include transportation. However, you can cut costs if you rent a car and arrange to meet up with the guide.

The entrance and guide fees go towards maintaining the site, providing employment, and ensuring a quality visitor experience, including education and safety.

## **Vieux Fort to Soufriere**

### **Vieux Fort**

Moule a Chique Lighthouse

Sandy Beach / Anse de Sable

Kitesurfing and Windsurfing

Maria Islands Nature Reserve (Guide required)

Fond Joyeux Waterfall & Hike (Guide required)

Vieux Fort Saturday Market / Fish Market

Helicopter rides (from International airport)

### **Laborie**

Morne Le Blanc Viewing Point

Laborie village and beach

Laborie Fish fest (every last Friday of the month)

### **Piaye / Saltibus / River Doree**

Saltibus Waterfall and Rainforest Hike

Piaye Beach  
Balenbouche Estate  
River Doree Beach  
Devil's bridge canyon

### **Choiseul**

Choiseul Arts and Craft Center  
Choiseul Village  
La Pointe Caribe Amerindian Heritage Park  
Anse L'Ivroigne Beach

## **Gros Islet to Castries**

### **Cap Estate**

Cas en bas Beach, [Kitesurfing St.Lucia](#)  
St.Lucia Golf Club

### **Gros Islet**

[Pigeon Island National Park](#)  
Gros Islet Street Party (every Friday)

### **Rodney Bay**

Reduit Beach  
Segway Tours, [Lucian Style Segway](#)  
Mt Pimard Hike  
[Splash Island Water Park](#)  
[Trim's Riding Stables](#)  
[Sandy Hoofs St Lucia](#)  
[International Pony Club](#)

### **Babbonneau**

Fond Latisab Creole Park  
[Rainforest Adventures, Skyrides](#)  
Grande Anse Beach & Desbarras Turtle Watch  
[Lushan Country Life](#)  
Union Mini Zoo

## **Soufriere to Castries**

### **Soufriere**

Gros Piton and Petit Piton Hike  
[Tet Paul Nature Trail](#)  
[Fond Doux Estate](#)  
Hotel Chocolat Plantation  
Sulphur Springs Volcano  
Supermann falls  
Sapphire Falls  
[Coubaril Estate](#) (plantation, zip lining, [horseback riding](#))  
Malgretoute Beach (snorkeling, no resort)

Piton Waterfall  
Sugar Beach (resort, free to park and walk 15 minutes)  
Soufriere Town  
[Action Adventure Divers](#) (Soufriere)  
Diamond Falls Botanical Garden and Soufriere Estate  
Anse Chastanet (resort: diving, snorkeling, kayaking, biking)  
Anse Mamin (part of Anse Chastanet)  
New Jerusalem Hot Springs  
Toraille Waterfall (Guide on site)  
En Bas Saut Waterfall and Edmund Forest Reserve  
Mount Gimie (tours by reservation)

### **Canaries, Anse la Raye, Marigot**

Canaries Village  
La Place Kassav  
Anse Cochon ( [Island Divers](#), [Ti Kaye](#) Resort)  
La Sikwi (tours by reservation)  
Anse la Raye Village and Fishfry  
[St Lucia Distillers](#) (tours by reservation)  
Marigot Bay: viewing point, marina, diving, [DFH Kayaking](#)

## **Castries to Vieux Fort**

### **Castries**

Helicopter Tours (GFL Charles regional airport)  
Castries Market and Cathedral  
Morne Fortune Historic Area  
[Pink Plantation](#)  
[House](#) (Restaurant and historic site)  
Eudovics Wood carving studio  
Barre de L'Isle Rainforest Trail  
Louvet Beach

### **Dennery**

Fond D'Or Historic Park and Beach  
Dennery Fish fry (every Saturday)  
Dennery Viewing Point  
Sault falls  
Fond Waterfall  
[Treetop Adventures Zip Lining](#)

### **Micoud**

Latille Waterfall  
[Mamiku Gardens](#)  
[ATV Paradise Tours](#)  
Descartiers Trail  
Honeymoon Beach  
Praslin and Savannes bay, kayaking