

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MANTA RAY INTERACTIONS



KEEP NOISE TO A MINIMUM

Enter the water by sliding in slowly from the boat - do not jump in. Keep your fins under the surface of the water while you are kicking to reduce splash.

SNORKEL CALMLY AND SLOWLY

If the manta rays are feeding close to the surface of the water, try to stay still and let the mantas swim around you.



PLEASE LOOK, BUT DO NOT TOUCH

Touching a manta ray invades their personal space and can disturb their behavior and lead to shorter interaction times.



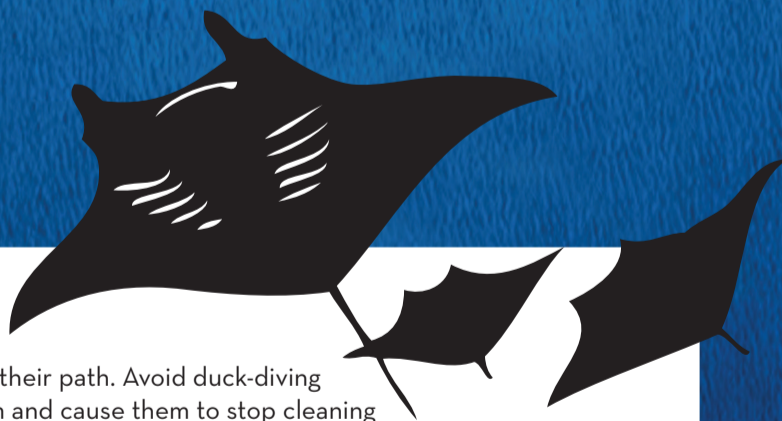
KEEP YOUR DISTANCE

Try to stay at least 3m/10ft away. If a manta ray comes close to you, simply remain calm and still and let the manta control the interaction.



APPROACH SLOWLY

Do not chase or harass manta rays or block their path. Avoid duck-diving in front of a manta ray as it may startle them and cause them to stop cleaning or feeding. It is important not to restrict their natural behavior and movements.



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