

## Beaches Turks & Caicos Review (2026): Inside the Flagship Family Resort

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The 4-village mega-resort on Grace Bay — Caribbean, French, Italian, Key West. Honest take on rooms, food, kids' programming, and whether the scale works or overwhelms.

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A quick-reference printable from **The Resort Edit** — the data and verdicts from the full article, distilled into a one-page cheat sheet you can take to your travel agent or save offline.

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### Comparison 1

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Compared to	Beaches Turks & Caicos advantages	Beaches Turks & Caicos drawbacks
Sandals Grande St. Lucian	Allows children; better beach Grace Bay vs. Rodney Bay; larger restaurant count; water park on site	No overwater bungalows; less romantic; significantly higher peak pricing; busier ambient noise level

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### Quick Answers

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#### Q: How long is the airport transfer to Beaches Turks & Caicos?

A: Providenciales International Airport (PLS) is a 10-15 minute drive from the resort gates — one of the shortest Caribbean airport transfers. A Beaches representative meets you in the arrivals hall and walks you to a shuttle van, and transfers are included in the booking. Most major US East Coast hubs (Miami, New York, Charlotte, Atlanta, Boston, Philadelphia) and Toronto run direct flights to PLS, typically three to four hours from the Northeast.

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#### Q: Which of the four villages should I book?

A: French and Italian Villages are the sweet spot for most families — renovated bathrooms, better closet space, and proximity to both Pirate's Island Waterpark and the main dining cluster. Caribbean Village dates to the mid-1990s opening and shows its age, with smaller bathrooms and mediocre soundproofing. Key West Village is the newest (opened late 2014) with the largest rooms and wraparound porches, but it's a longer walk to the waterpark — eight to ten minutes on foot.

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#### Q: How many restaurants are there and which are best?

A: Twenty-one restaurants is the headline number — roughly half are reservation-only specialty venues and the rest are buffets, grills, or casual walk-up spots. The strongest are Kimonos (teppanyaki, kids love it, book early), Sapodilla's (the property's most adult-leaning fine-dining room), Le Petit Château (French, in French Village), and Barefoot by the Sea (beachfront seafood with the best atmosphere). Bobby Dee's is the diner-style spot adjacent to the waterpark for tired children at 1pm.

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