

10 Best Islands in the U.S. for Families



Nantucket, Mass.

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Cobblestone streets, blue waters filled with sailboats, and tiny beaches just beckoning your kids to frolic make up the intimate island of [Nantucket](#), just an hour by ferry from [Cape Cod, Massachusetts](#). The former whaling capital of the world evolved into a summer destination nearly 100 years ago, and with its strictly enforced building codes, remains much of what it had been in the early 1900s, with more homes and buildings listed on the National Registry of Historical Places than any other location in the country. Kids will do exactly what generations of children did before them: play in the sand, ride a bike, devour ice cream, nosh on lobster, then repeat.

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Recommended Hotel: [White Elephant Residences](#)