

Sailing, Island Exploration & Watersports

DELTA

LIVE ABOARD
MONOHULL
SAILBOATS

Details

Age: Completing grades 7-12
Location: Leeward Islands
Length: 17 days
Arrive/Depart: St. Maarten (SXM)

Program	Start	End	Tuition
Delta 1	Jun 24	Jul 10	\$4,495
Delta 2	Jul 13	Jul 29	\$4,495

Delta Sailing, Island Exploration & Watersports is a summer adventure experience you'll never forget. The Leeward Islands offer the most culturally diverse destinations we visit, and with longer sails between islands including an overnight passage - you'll feel like an intrepid ocean explorer. This is real "blue water" cruising, and as you roam these islands the water reaches a deep navy hue. The places you'll sail to are historically rich in culture and diversity. St. Barths has all the glamour of the French Riviera as the holiday hotspot of the Hollywood set. Sleepy St. John boasts lush rainforest, incredible diving and snorkeling, and a dormant volcano. In fact, every destination offers something unique and unforgettable. Even if you arrive as a complete beginner, you'll head home from Delta feeling like a seasoned sailor and explorer.

There's nothing between the Leeward Islands and the west coast of Africa but the Atlantic Ocean, so the trade winds blow a little stronger than in the British Virgin Islands. A mix of cultures has blown across the Atlantic, too, and through our cultural exchange projects we'll sample the sights, sounds, and tastes they've created. Our itinerary includes Nevis, Saba, St. Barths, St. Kitts, St. Martin/Sint Maarten and St. John. Delta programs start and end in St. John.

Sail Caribbean provides a unique setting - a boat that is your home and a crew made up of students just like you, with a thirst for adventure and a love for being in and on the water. You take charge with the guidance and instruction from our staff, and learn as individuals and as a team to take on the responsibilities that come with sailing a 50' yacht. The challenges are many and we help you meet them. Whether you're reading charts, hauling in the sails, chopping vegetables, or just getting to know one another, there's a certain magic that takes place. You'll return home stronger and more confident than before.

Adventurers don't sit still for very long, and there's so much to keep you up and running on the Delta Programs. On the water, you can take a kayak with a

buddy and explore the coast. Hold on tight and wakeboard or water ski. And for those who can't stand anymore there's tubing! On land, we'll explore busy towns, remote villages, flat sandy islands, waterfalls and the craters of volcanoes that formed these islands.

Giving back to the islands that teach us so much, Delta teens also perform 5-10 hours of community service on Saba, St. Kitts and Nevis. Everyone enjoys the cultural exchange when our students lend a hand to local organizations and assist elementary and middle school students in the areas of team sports, swimming, snorkeling, and reading. We'll also help promote conservation with trail maintenance and beach cleanups.



"The trip was fabulous. Learning the skill of sailing, meeting all new people, being independent, taking on leadership, helping others—all are qualities that will only benefit her in her growing years."

*Peter and Tammy Fuller,
Boxford, MA*



Scuba Diving Options

	Discover Scuba	Recreational Diving	Open Water (OW)	Advanced Open Water	Dive Specialties	EFR	Rescue Diver	DW/OWSI
Delta 1	✓	✓						
Delta 2	✓	✓						

Optional Courses

Many students are happy with the regular activities including large boat sailing, community service, marine biology seminars, waterskiing, wakeboarding, tubing, snorkeling, kayaking, hiking, island exploration, and beach sports. For those students seeking that extra challenge, Delta Programs offer the following scuba options to broaden your summer adventures.

Scuba diving services are provided by trusted local dive companies on each island. While our own diving staff also accompany the students, using local professionals ensures we get the most out of every dive site. There are additional fees for these optional courses.