



GREEN TRAVEL



Green travel is a broad term with two main branches: It refers first and foremost to responsible travel practices that pay attention to environmental, social, and economic sustainability. It can also refer to eco-tourism, which involves responsible travel specifically to natural areas.

Booking.com's Sustainable Travel Report 2022 contains insights gathered from more than 30,000 travelers across 32 territories, with 71% of global travelers saying that they want to travel more sustainably over the coming 12 months, which is a 10% increase over 2021 data.

What you can do

Choose Sustainable Accommodations



You can reduce your environmental footprint by staying in an accommodation which has projects or initiatives that go towards being more sustainable. There are many certified program for sustainable accommodation including Global Sustainable Tourism Council (GSTC), EarthCheck, Green Globe, Rainforest Alliance, and Green Tourism Business Scheme which you can use for reference when you look for an accommodation.

Refrain From Using the Hotel Laundry Service

Hotels typically either wash each guest's clothes separately or send them off to the dry cleaners. Both options leave a larger carbon footprint than you would use at home. You can consider washing the clothes in the shower or sink and then hanging them up overnight to dry.



Take Open Hotel Soap, Shampoo, or Toothpaste From The Hotel With You



If you picked a hotel supplies small soap bars and containers of shampoo, those little open bottles that you leave behind will be thrown out which adds to the hotel's unsustainable waste. Grab those open bottles and bring it to the next trip when you're checking out.

Bring a Bag for Your Litter

When you go outside and travel around the cities, bring a bag for your litter. By removing trash from our environment, we can stop it from ending up in other ecosystems and from increasing the number of microplastics that are present in our food and products.

