



At **Grand Velas Riviera Nayarit**, we showcase a commitment to environmental and social responsibility through a comprehensive range of initiatives.

Species and nature conservation

- We actively contribute to **beach conservation** through monthly brigades dedicated to comprehensive clean-up initiatives.
- Measures are taken to protect **sea turtles** that lay their eggs on our beaches.
- We have designed Guardians of Wildlife, a program to protect the **bees** and to take care of their honey production.
- **Wastewater** treatment facilities allow us to water outdoor gardens and natural environments surrounding the property.

Community

- We adopted a portion of the **garden on a highway** and ensure it stays nice and clean so our visitors can enjoy a neat sight of the city.
- We offer experiences that **support local partners**. Wherever possible, these are inspired by Mexican history, culture, and traditions, which impart a rich sense of place.

Recycling and waste management

- Our resort backs up community-based companies in charge of properly handling and disposing of material. We **separate waste** for its later reuse.
- We have a special area to place leaves, foliage, and plants in good condition, entering a 90-day process to obtain **compost**.
- We are a **plastic straws-free** resort. If our guests need one, we will provide biodegradable avocado seed straws.
- We offer exclusive in-suite Molton Brown bath amenities in **refillable bottles** to eliminate packaging waste.
- We recycle Nespresso capsules by delivering them to a brand ambassador for the **aluminum and coffee to be reused**.
- Our kids and teens' facilities and programs encourage using **recyclable material** with fun and ingenious crafts.

Energy conservation

- We promote sustainable habits with "**Consume less, save more**", encouraging employees to power off devices when not in use for extended periods.
- Water is preheated with **solar panel energy**, saving around 45% of gas.
- In-suite, guests have a turndown card that invites them to place it on the bed only when they wish their sheets and towels to be replaced. This significantly **reduces the use of water** and detergents.
- We engage guests in campaigns like "**Earth Hour**", which consists of turning as many lights as possible for an hour in a one-day program.



CERTIFICATIONS



Blue Flag 2023

Grand Velas Riviera Nayarit was recognized with this international distinction granted only to the beaches that meet and maintain strict environmental criteria, security and services, environmental education, and water quality.



Gold Level 2023 - 2024

A leader organization that provides certifications related to green tourism. It validates the correct implementation of procedures that ensure environmental protection.



Cristal 2023

An international organization providing risk management solutions to the worldwide travel, tourism, and hospitality industries has recognized Grand Velas Riviera Nayarit for its injuries and/or illness prevention practices.



Sustainability Seals 2023 - 2024

The Secretary of Tourism of the Mexican Government establishes this certification in collaboration with EarthCheck. It is awarded to organizations on an international level for excellent practices in the preservation of the environment and the development of sustainable projects in tourism.