

# SNORKELING AT ATMOSPHERE

One of the essential parts of any Maldivian holiday experience is the fantastic snorkeling opportunities that are available. Each atoll, region, and house reef are unique and is home to a variety of different marine inhabitants and visitors. As part of the Atmosphere Kanifushi Holiday Plan, we provide our guests with two daily snorkeling excursions from a selection of snorkeling sites:

one in the morning and one in the afternoon

#### SHUTTLE TIMES

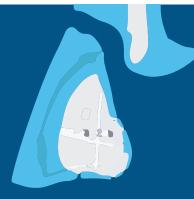
MORNING TRIP | 09:30 HRS

AFTERNOON TRIP | 14:30 HRS

Please note: Snorkeling Shuttle Minimum Requirement for all guest and guide safety and enjoyment of snorkeling.

Minimum age requirement is 6 years and above. Our Reef locations are deep; therefore, this excursion is not suitable for first time snorkelers. Advanced Deep Water Snorkeling experience is essential. For those requiring Snorkeling Lessons, these are available from Dive and Sail (See our team for more information). Please arrive 15 minutes prior to departure time with your all-snorkeling gear. Life vests are available onboard the vessel and must be worn for safety reasons. Seating priority reserved to snorkeling guests only!FOR MORNING SNORKELING SHUTTLE SNORKELING GEAR RENTAL & SIGN UP TO BE MADE LATEST BY ONE DAY BEFORE 06:00 PM.FOR AFTERNOON SNORKELING SHUTTLE SNORKELING GEAR RENTAL & SIGN UP TO BE MADE LATEST BY ON SAME

### SNORKELING LOCATION MAP



07 .VEYVAH INNER REEF \_

25 mins by Boat

06 .VAAVARU OUTER REEF

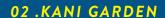
20 mins by Boat

**08.VEYVAH INNER REEF** 

25 mins by Boat

05 .VAAVARU INNER REEF

20 mins by Boat



05 mins by Boat

04 .SULAS GARDEN

12 mins by Boat

03 .BODU GIRI

10 mins by Boat

ATMOSPHERE KANIFUSHI

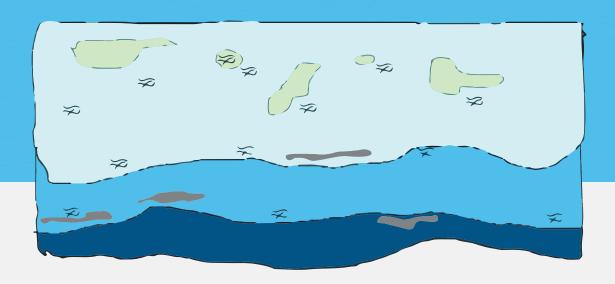
01 .KANI SOUTH BEACH

10 mins by Boat





# SNORKELING SITE 01 KANI SOUTH



### DESTINATION

10 minutes South Side of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

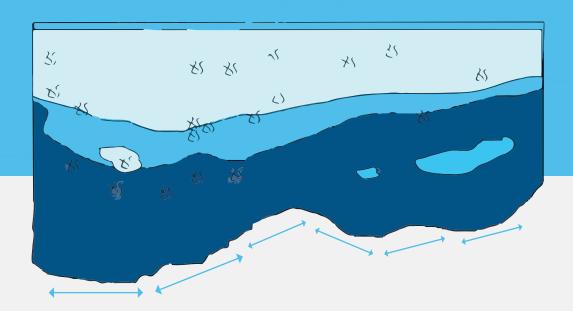
Huge reef top of the Kanifushi outer reef, beautifully grown with blocks of hard corals. In the deeper areas you can find huge sloping down and on the bottom, sometimes green turtles feed and rest inside. On the reef top you often find swimming or resting sting rays. The reef is covered with lots of triggerfish and bigger fishe like tuna, eagle rays, napoleon wrasse and turtles. Schools of banner - and batfishes pass by and you have the chance to see some sharks cruising around.

### **LEVEL**

A good place for everybody. As we always go with the current it's an easy and beautiful snorkeling trip



# SNORKELING SITE 02 KANI GARDEN



### DESTINATION

5 minutes North-West side of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

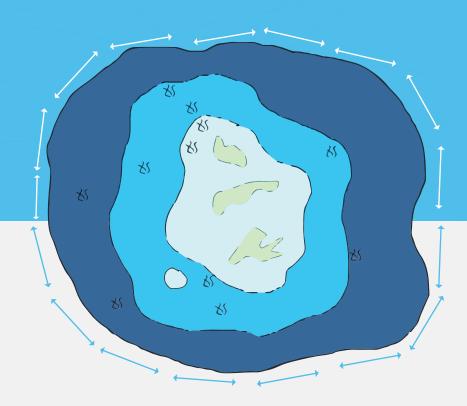
The outer reef is healthy grown with a beautiful coral garden. Lots of shrimps and crabs live inside the corals and small cleaner fishes wait for their guests like napoleons, often eagle swim in blue, lots of moray eels, groupers and turtles to clean them. Schools of bannerfishes pass by, also batfishes are common.

### LEVEL

Outer Reef not suitable for beginner snorkeler often surface conditions and current.



## SNORKELING SITE 03 BODU GIRI



### DESTINATION

10 minutes North-East of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

These Reef is a typical big GIRI in the inner atoll. A spectacular coral garden with big blocks and swarming fish can be found here. Sweetlips, snappers, grouper, barracuda and sometimes dolphins pass by. Turtles rest on the coral blocks and come close by to you.

Enjoy the rich and healthy reef side.

### LEVEL

Inside atoll suitable for everybody. Sometimes surface conditions.



### SNORKELING SITE 04 SULAS GARDEN



### **DESTINATION**

About 12 minutes North-East of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

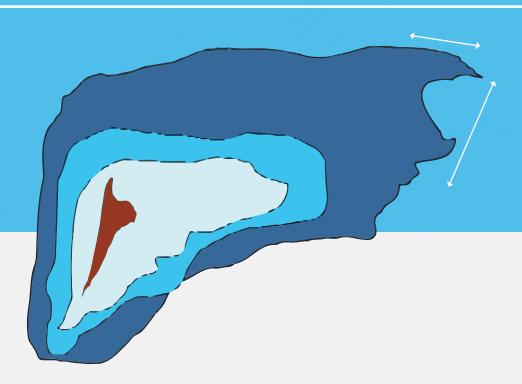
A beautiful small reef that inhabits some soft corals. A garden with schools of doctor and damsel fish, butterfly and bannerfishes also awaits you. Between Napoleon and Batfishes, you may also find a turtle. You will find a long straight reef top, which is perfect for snorkeling.

### LEVEL

Inside Atoll Suitable for everybody, sometimes surface conditions.



## SNORKELING SITE 05 VAVVARU INNER REEF



### DESTINATION

20 minutes North of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

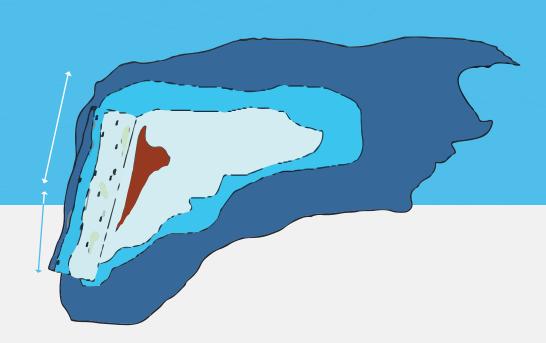
This reef is a special attraction. A very healthy coral reef which is covered with lots of different corals and many colorful reef fish. Also some beautiful soft corals grow on the edges of this sloppy reef. You will also find anemones with their little partners, the anemone fish nemo hiding inside. Very good chance to see turtles, also in the shallow areas. Check out also the table corals on the reef top for the hidden beauties like the lobster.

### **LEVEL**

Inside Atoll is very easy for everybody. Normally there is nearly no current and the reef is protected from waves.



### SNORKELING SITE 06 VAVVARU OUTER REEF



### DESTINATION

20 minutes North of Kanifushi

### FLORA & FAUNA

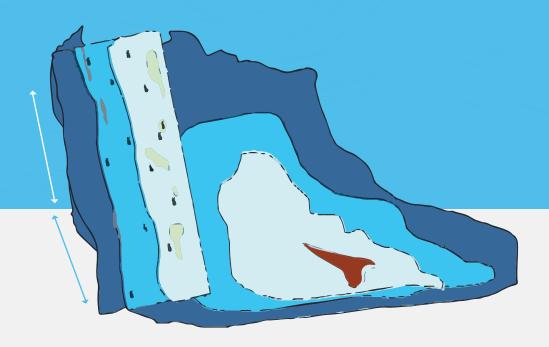
The reef is a steep wall reaching more than 30m depth, presents many caves in deep. Hard corals are present a wide variety of shapes and colors. Schools of fusiliers, anthias, big surgeonfish, wrasses and butterfly fish are found around this wall. Facing the ouside of the atoll, this dive offers a good chance to see pelagic life passing by like reef sharks, eagle rays, barracudas, tuna and lots of trigger fish.

#### LEVEL

Outside Atoll very often strong current and waves surface conditions not suitable for beginners snorkeler.



## SNORKELING SITE 07 VEYVAH OUTER REEF



### DESTINATION

25 minutes North of Kanifushi near Naifaru

### FLORA & FAUNA

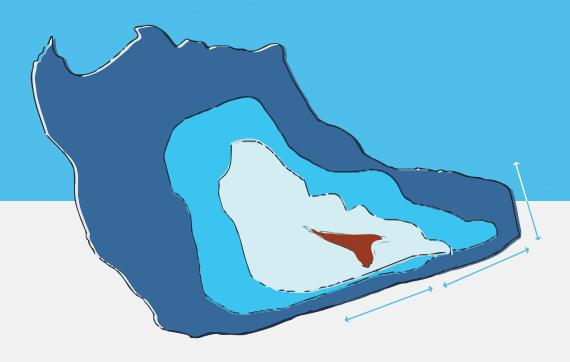
Out reef, the reef, a steep wall reaching more than 30m depth, presents many caves in deep. Schools of fusiliers, anthias, bigsurgeonfish, wrasses and butterfly fish dominate the barrier. You will also spot large stingrays and pufferfish resting on top of the reef. A good opportunity to see turtles, napoleons and stonefish up close! Facing the blue offers good chance to see pelagic life passing by like reef sharks, eagle rays, barracudas and tuna.

### LEVEL

Outside Atoll often very strong current and waves. Surface conditions are not suitable for a beginners snorkeler.



### SNORKELING SITE 08 VEYVAH INNER REEF



### DESTINATION

25 minutes North of Kanifushi near Naifaru

### FLORA & FAUNA

This Reef is a special attraction. A very healthy coral reef which is covered with lots of different corals and many colorful reef fish. Even some beautiful soft corals grow on the edges of this sloppy reef. Schooling banner fish, triggerfish, snappers and schools of fusiliers. The south side forms a steep slope and is home for many smaller life hiding in the corals and sand like turtles, stingrays, moray eels, lobster, and for good observers, big scorpion fish camouflaging between the corals.

### LEVEL

Inside Atoll is very easy for everybody. Normally there is nearly no current and the reef is protected from waves