

Day 1 • Daytona Beach

Beach, Boardwalk, Pier & Oceanfront Dining

EXPLORE THE OCEANFRONT

Morning: Daytona Beach

Start your first day with a walk along Daytona Beach's wide shoreline. Enjoy the ocean, relax on the sand or rent beach chairs and an umbrella for a laid-back morning by the water.

Late Morning: Boardwalk & Pier

Explore the Daytona Beach Boardwalk and walk onto the historic Daytona Beach Pier, also known as the Main Street Pier. Browse the nearby shops, play classic arcade games and take in the Atlantic Ocean views.

Lunch: Oceanfront

Restaurant ideas:

- **Ocean Deck Restaurant & Beach Club —** 📍 127 South Ocean Avenue
- **Crabby's Oceanside —** 📍 451 South Atlantic Avenue
- **LandShark Bar & Grill —** 📍 471 South Atlantic Avenue
- **Joe's Crab Shack —** 📍 1200 Main Street

Afternoon: Ocean Walk & Bandshell

Walk through Ocean Walk Shoppes and visit the Daytona Beach Bandshell overlooking the ocean. Depending on the season, you may find live music, festivals, fireworks or other special events taking place nearby.

Evening: Oceanfront

Have dinner overlooking the water, walk along the beach after dark or enjoy live music at one of Daytona Beach's oceanfront restaurants.



Morning: Daytona International Speedway

Start your second day with a guided tour of Daytona International Speedway. Explore the legendary "World Center of Racing," see behind-the-scenes areas and learn about the history of the DAYTONA 500.

Insider Tip: Speedway tours are approximately 60 minutes, but routes and access can change because of races, track activity and special events. Book ahead and check the schedule before visiting.

Afternoon: Motorsports Hall of Fame

After your Speedway tour, explore the Motorsports Hall of Fame of America. See historic racing vehicles, artifacts and exhibits celebrating achievements in stock cars, motorcycles, sports cars, drag racing and other forms of motorsports.

Evening: ONE DAYTONA

Spend the evening directly across from the Speedway at ONE DAYTONA. Explore its restaurants, shops, entertainment and outdoor gathering spaces.

Dinner ideas:

- **4 Rivers Smokehouse —** 📍1866 Victory Circle
- **P.F. Chang's —** 📍ONE DAYTONA
- **Stoked Poké —** 📍 ONE DAYTONA



DAY 3 • PONCE INLET

LIGHTHOUSE, WILDLIFE & COASTAL SUNSET

LIGHTHOUSE, WILDLIFE & PONCE INLET

A Daytona Beach coastal adventure

Morning: Ponce Inlet Lighthouse

Travel south to Ponce Inlet and visit the Ponce de Leon Inlet Lighthouse and Museum. Climb 203 steps to the top of Florida's tallest lighthouse for sweeping views of the Atlantic Ocean, Intracoastal Waterway and surrounding coastline.

You can also take a 3 hour sightseeing cruise in the area to see the lighthouse by water and get to see the local wildlife.

Good to Know: The lighthouse climb includes 203 steps. Wear secure shoes and allow time to explore the museum grounds.

Lunch: Ponce Inlet

- Hidden Treasure Rum Bar & Grill — 📍 4940 South Peninsula Drive
- Down the Hatch Seafood Company — 📍 4894 Front Street
- Off the Hook at Inlet Harbor — 📍 133 Inlet Harbor Road
- Racing's North Turn — 📍 4511 South Atlantic Avenue

Afternoon & Sunset: Coastal Recommendations

- Lighthouse Point Park: Walk the elevated boardwalks, look for wildlife and enjoy views of the inlet.
- Ponce Preserve: Explore nature trails, coastal hammocks and waterways.
- Ponce Inlet Beach: Spend the afternoon swimming, walking or relaxing.
- Racing's North Turn: Finish the day with ocean views, racing history and live entertainment.



Insider Tips

For a smoother Daytona Beach adventure

- Bring sunscreen even on cloudy days. The reflection from the ocean and sand can make the Florida sun feel stronger.
- Check beach-driving conditions, tides and access points before taking your vehicle onto the sand.
- Book Speedway tours early and confirm the route because track activity can change tour access.
- Check Daytona International Speedway's event calendar before choosing your travel dates.
- Wear comfortable shoes for the lighthouse, Boardwalk and Speedway.
- Allow extra driving time during the DAYTONA 500, Bike Week, Biketoberfest and other major events.
- Visit the Boardwalk on a summer weekend evening if you want to experience seasonal concerts and fireworks.
- Don't spend the entire trip on the main oceanfront. Ponce Inlet, Historic Beach Street and Ormond Beach reveal completely different sides of the Daytona Beach area.