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Manaus



Brazil

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 All meals included	Yes ⁽¹⁾
 Free beverages	Yes ⁽²⁾
 Persons per room	4-8
 Wifi in public areas	Yes
 Laundry facilities	No ⁽³⁾
 Safety box	No
 Lockable rooms	Yes
 Hot shower	No
 Private bathroom	No
 Western toilet	Yes
 Bed linen	Yes
 Towels	No
 Mosquito protection	No
 Fan	Yes
 Air conditioning	No

(1) On weekends brunch instead of breakfast and lunch
(2) Water, coffee, tea at the accommodation

(3) Expect to wash by hand



Location

You will be situated amid the beautiful Brazilian City of Manaus, which has a long history that has also included another name (Barra do Rio Negro). Manaus is located in northwestern Brazil, right in the middle of the Amazon rainforest, and has a population of two million.

Although this magnificent city is 1400 km inland - away from the Atlantic Ocean, the water isn't far away at all, as it just happens to be where the Rio Negro joins the Solimões to form the Amazon River. The river tours here are amazing, and if you get lucky, you may even spot some pink dolphins. If not, there are plenty of river beaches, where you will count yourself just as lucky to relax and enjoy yourself underneath their lush trees.

With its river access and close proximity to the rainforest, this city can basically offer everything Amazona. From flora to fauna to indigenous tribal traditions, Manaus is fast becoming quite popular. Yet, it has been able to retain its own unique sense of charm and mystique by keeping its strong culture alive.

Accommodation & Food

About the Accommodation

You will either be staying at the participant house or in a homestay where you will be living in a real brazilian home with one of our students.

Food Arrangements

All the meals served at the accommodation will be typically brazilian, including rice dishes, potatoes, beans, spaghetti, meat, sandwiches and vegetables. Water, coffee and tea are available all day.

Facilities

There are all facilities in Manaus that you ever might need.

Mandatory Orientation Day

On the Monday of your first week at this location, you will join our orientation day, to familiarize you with the surroundings as well as local culture. Your program will continue as usual from Tuesday onward throughout the rest of the week.

Schedule

- Introduction meeting, House rules, Setting Expectations, Health and Safety Advice and handling of documents.
- Brazilian Do's and Don'ts, Brazilian Culture Lesson and Portuguese Language lessons.
- Tour around the compound and local area; where to find local shops, and arrange a sim-card if necessary.
- Lunch
- Introduction to the Project, Project site and start participating on the project.

Activities & Events

No scheduled activities outside the program.

Sights & Surroundings

There's lots of things for you to do over the weekend. There are some amazing waterfalls to explore, there are different river tours that you can take, you might want to visit one of the many cultural centers, you can go down to the beach for the day or maybe, just go into central Manaus for some shopping, the choice is yours.