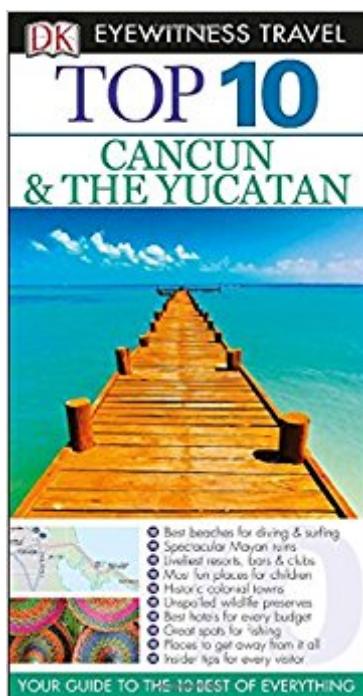


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# Top 10 Cancun And Yucatan (Eyewitness Top 10 Travel Guide)



## Synopsis

DK Eyewitness Travel Guides: the most maps, photography, and illustrations of any guide. DK Eyewitness Travel Guide: Top 10 Cancun and Yucatan is your pocket guide to the very best of the Yucatan Peninsula and the Mexican city of Cancun. Get the most adventure out of your trip to Cancun and the Yucatan with a travel guide full of insider tips. Find the best beaches for diving and surfing, tour spectacular Mayan ruins and historic colonial towns, locate great fishing spots, and explore unspoiled wildlife preserves. Whether you're looking for the liveliest resorts, bars, and clubs, the most fun places for children, or just the places to get away from it all, our Top 10 guide to Cancun and the Yucatan has the information you'll need to take the most from your vacation.

Discover DK Eyewitness Travel Guide: Top 10 Cancun and Yucatan True to its name, this Top 10 guidebook covers all major sights and attractions in easy-to-use "top 10" lists that help you plan the vacation that's right for you. "Don't miss" destination highlights Things to do and places to eat, drink, and shop by area Free, color pull-out map (print edition), plus maps and photographs throughout Walking tours and day-trip itineraries Traveler tips and recommendations Local drink and dining specialties to try Museums, festivals, outdoor activities Creative and quirky best-of lists and more The perfect pocket-size travel companion: DK Eyewitness Travel Guide: Top 10 Cancun and Yucatan Recommended: For an in-depth guidebook to the country of Mexico, check out DK Eyewitness Travel Guide: Mexico, which offers the most complete cultural coverage of Cancun, the Yucatan, and Mexico; trip-planning itineraries by length of stay; 3-D cross-section illustrations of major sights and attractions; thousands of photographs, illustrations, and maps; and more.

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Pros: Lots of photos..Cons: very repetitive, with relatively little info not readily available when you're in the area. Example: the Xcaret eco-park, a highly-advertised (and expensive) tourist-focused theme park, gets a 2 page spread, plus listings on 5 additional pages in 4 different "10 Best Of" sections. Add this to very limited info on things that are a little harder to find on one's own, such as the many beautiful, less advertised cenotes that haven't been turned into high-admission tourist attractions, and you have one minimally useful book. If I were to recommend it at all, it would be to first-time visitors to the area who don't want to miss the major hotspots. For people looking to see and understand this magical area of Mayan Mexico, this book is a no-starter.

Generally speaking, Eyewitness Travel guides are worth their weight in gold when traveling to a new city/country. This book, however, wasn't as helpful. It doesn't contain as many street-wise tips as the others, such as which taxi companies to use, bus routes, or transportation instructions for specific venues. It also does not contain activities that are widely regarded as some of the best activities in the area (as proven by thousands of reviews on TripAdvisor). Perhaps it's just time for a new version.

Really outdated information and missing a ton of new information. We found many places not included in this guide. Not worth it.

My husband and I have traveled around the world relying on the accuracy and usability of the DK Eyewitness Travel series. Unfortunately, this book was a complete let down. Many of the Top 10 items appear on several lists, so you're only learning about a few key areas in the entire region. The biggest frustration we had was that there were no detailed maps included...not even one for Cancun. There was a large regional map, but it had little to no detail, so was utterly useless if you wanted to explore any of the Top 10 suggestions. Forget the convenience of size...get a full-size book so it can be useful.

I love Eyewitness Travel Guides. They are very practical and smaller that you can have it perfectly in your pocket. My boyfriend and I are going to go to Cancun for 4 days for a wedding, and this guide has given me good ideas and tips what we can do in our two free days. It has a map which you can take it out and see where do you want to go. Also, it has gay advices for gay people who are looking for gay action in Cancun. I really suggest this pocket travel guide; you will enjoy it.

I find the Top Ten books a good way to get an idea about a given location. They are also small enough to carry around during the day, if needed, as opposed to a bulky travel book. I would rate this book a good but not great. I do feel I got my money's worth out of the book, as it has some excellent travel tips and general background in addition to information on sights. However, the maps that came with the book were totally useless. Scale was either too big or too small.

I found this helpful in choosing what we will be doing on our trip. I find if I know what there is to see ahead of time I can choose what will be a not miss site.

I bought this to give us an idea of things to do and locations in Mexico. We found it a little confusing and wish I had just stuck with web searches and saved myself some time and money.

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