

An award-winning aquarium on south Vancouver Island

# Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre



The Shaw Ocean Discovery Centre is a hands-on, hands-wet aquarium and education centre that focuses on the amazing ecosystem of the Salish Sea. It is designed to have broad appeal to all ages. The Centre houses 28 habitats teeming with live marine life – from giant Pacific octopus to microscopic plankton. As visitors exit the discovery centre, they can embark on waterfront adventures including whale watching, eco-cruising and beach walking. Sidney, "Booktown", also has 11 independent booksellers, and there are a number of exceptional restaurants in the area.



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# On Sidney's waterfront, Vancouver Island, British Columbia

**Hours** Open daily from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM (Winter), to 5:00 PM (Summer)

**Rates** Adult: \$14.00

Youth (7-17): \$8.00

Child (3-6): \$4.00 includes FREE annual pass

Child (2 and under): FREE

**Annual Pass** Regular admission plus \$12.00 for adults, \$10.00 for youth.

**Tours** Self guided with Oceaneers available to answer questions. Approximately one hour. French, Spanish and German tours available with advance booking.

**Group Rates** Ideal for groups of more than 12 people. Advance booking required.

**On Site Facilities** Tourist information for whale watching, eco-cruising, garden tours. Also on site washrooms, child changing room. Entirely wheelchair accessible.

**Parking** Two hour free parking under The Pier building. Ample free street parking in area. Tour bus accessible.

**Packages** Accommodation packages and outdoor adventure packages available.



Travel Time From	By Car	By Public Transit
BC Ferries Swartz Bay	9 minutes	13 minutes
Victoria International Airport YYJ	10 minutes	15 minutes
Washington State Ferries	1 minute	Two blocks walking
Butchart Gardens	20 minutes	40 minutes
Downtown Victoria	30 minutes	50-60 minutes



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