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# **Description:**

With an 'out of this world' location combined with world-class facilities and amenities, it is no wonder that Le Duc de Praslin is often considered as the 'Jewel of Cote D'Or'! It is set on Praslin's outstanding Cote D'Or beach in the Seychelles.

The turquoise sea lapping the fine white sand of Cote D'Or beach is your daily playground – just a few steps away from your luxurious retreat amidst lush tropical gardens. Your ideal dream holiday becomes a reality with the widest choice of luxury accommodation and exquisite dining options.

Le Duc de Praslin offers the holiday of a lifetime with true Seychellois hospitality and exceptional value. Extensive improvements, upgrading and new additions to its facilities have won Le Duc de Praslin many awards to position it amongst the best hotels of Seychelles.

The hotel has also invested heavily in green technology earning an enviable credential and reputation for its sustainability. It has probably the best green credentials of any hotel in Seychelles with new invertor type air conditioners, solar panels, sewerage treatment plants, LED bulbs etc.

#### **The Rooms**

State-of-the-art rooms are located around the main building which houses the reception and main restaurant, where water meanders through fishponds and lush tropical gardens and a profusion of flowers to create a 'Zen' atmosphere.

LE DUC DE PRASLIN HOTEL boasts 63 rooms, which include 20 deluxe rooms (55m<sup>2</sup>), 20 superior

rooms (64m²), 4 honeymoon suites (75m²), 2 one-bedroom family suites (100m²) and 2 family Suites (apartments) of two rooms (135m²).

LE DUC DE PRASLIN VILLAS consist of one 360° Luxe Villa (4 bedrooms), one 270° Villa (4 bedrooms), one 180° Villa (3 bedrooms) and one Manager's Villa (4 bedrooms)

All rooms are spacious with a veranda and modern en-suite bathroom with bath and shower (except deluxe rooms that have only shower). All rooms have ceiling fans, and are fully airconditioned.

Rooms provide a safe, mini-bar, hairdryer, tea/coffee making facilities, fully stocked minibar, Nespresso Machine, direct dialing telephone, 32" LCD TV, wireless internet access, iPod docking station with cd player and six of the superior rooms on the ground floor are interconnecting.

Suites offer all of the above, but upgraded with a 40" LCD TV with a DVD player.

Complimentary Wi-Fi is available throughout the hotel.

# **RESTAURANTS & BARS**

# Café des Arts

The ultimate in fine dining

Set right on the beach, the **Café des Arts Restaurant** has earned its reputation as the best restaurant in Seychelles by creating outstanding mouth-watering dishes served in the most amazing setting.

Seafood and epicurean dishes are the main attractions, making the restaurant the address not to be missed. The art is in the attention to detail and the fresh ingredients served to perfection with refined service and a touch of class.

By day it is a sophisticated yet relaxed beach dining experience and by night the whole atmosphere transforms into a chic and elegant high-class restaurant with a sumptuous décor. Café des Arts is synonymous with gastronomy at its finest.

The "Blue Octopus Bar" serves cocktails and other drinks.

#### Le Dauphin

Variety to suit all palates

"Le Dauphin" is the hotel's main restaurant located in the heart of the hotel complex. Surrounded by water and live fishponds amidst profusion of flowers and plants, the restaurant and bar serves themed buffets and A la Carte options in the evenings and a scrumptious buffet breakfast in an elegant tropical décor.

The themed buffets propose a fusion of dishes from the local Creole delicacies to the international classic fare with an exotic twist. Every single day of the week provides a mouth-watering surprise! The dining quality afforded to our guests is unmatched – variety,

authenticity, choice and above all affordability. With its cosy bar, unobtrusive, friendly service and discrete atmosphere, '*Le Dauphin'* is the best in-house dining experience, with its own beverage outlet – the "Charcoal Bar".

### **Chill Out Tapas Lounge Bar**

Entertainment & relaxation redefined

Our "Chill Out" Tapas Lounge Bar with perhaps the most magnificent views on Cote D'Or beach is the place to enjoy a lighter evening dining option over a few drinks with friends and family. The perfect place to relax, chill and be entertained, this outlet offers a wide range of beers, wines, cocktails and tapas for a unique experience in socialising.

The sophisticated décor and pastel colours are soothing to the senses. Stylish, swanky and trendy, the surroundings blend in to create a cosmopolitan and erudite feel - conducive to a warm tropical ambience ideal for refined mingling...

# **HILLVIEW VILLAS**

All villas are located on the hillside above the hotel and barely one minute drive except the Manager's villa, which is located within the grounds of the hotel. The villas enjoy spectacular views of the Cote D'Or beach, neighbouring islands and coastline.

The villas offer the ultimate in comfort and provide families and friends with the opportunity to enjoy a different type of private accommodation while still enjoying the legendary service and hospitality of the hotel.

*Villa 270*° (400 m2) - Offers 4 en-suite bedrooms, all with sea view, large terraces, two fully equipped kitchens, Magna pool with separate kid's pool, large dinning terrace, IDD telephone, satellite TV in all 4 bedrooms, free 24hr Wi-Fi, in-room safe, DVD player.

The villa is decorated and appointed in a contemporary style and the interior décor captures its natural surroundings and stunning views. All dining facilities are on the terrace.

The 270° villa can accommodate up to 8 adults and 4 children.

*Villa* **180°** (300 m2) offers 3 en-suite bedrooms, with a fully equipped kitchen and large outdoor terrace with spectacular sea views, in-room safe, IDD telephone, satellite TV in lounge and 3 bedrooms, free Wi-Fi, Magna Plunge Pool and decking. The villa is decorated with a contemporary feel and can accommodate up to 6 persons.

The kitchen, dining room and living room is located on the ground level with covered terrace while the upper floor houses the three bedrooms and small sitting area.

*Villa 360° Luxe* (700m2) – located on a ridge overlooking the Cote d'Or beach, this spacious, modern 4 bedroom villa has 360° views of the sea, valley and mountains.

Upon arrival, guests are greeted at a landing amidst a colourful garden of tropical plants and palms leading to an impressive entrance through solid hardwood double doors. The villa is split into 2 sections – a spacious living room with large modern kitchen and lounge with projection

TV, contemporary furniture and an outdoor-living covered terrace. The minimalist furnishings and decor are enhanced with unique decorative pieces. The living area extends out onto an open decking with infinity Magna Pool (which can be heated upon request). The lazing area is complemented with aero therapy pool and signature outdoor furniture. The top floor has a vast open terrace with 5-person top of the line Jacuzzi, BBQ area with comfy, stylish outdoor furniture and a private, air-conditioned gym set off in a glass cube offering spectacular views.

The bedrooms section offers 4 en-suite bedrooms with large walk-in wardrobes, spacious bathrooms, and indoor/outdoor showers - with the mountain facing bathrooms boasting an additional overhanging bath. Other amenities include, IDD telephone, satellite TV in all bedrooms and living area, free Wi-Fi, in-room safe and all the mod cons of modern day luxury living.

The villa is tastefully decorated and appointed with modern cutting edge furniture and stunning decorative pieces. The interior design captures a seascape theme painted by well-known local artist. The villa boasts amazing 360 views capturing the wild beauty of the lush green valleys and the captivating turquoise waters of Anse Volbert and the islands beyond.

360° Villa caters for a host of top notch services such as private dining with dedicated chef, cocktail bar set up with private bartender and even the possibility of entertainment packages with private DJ etc.

360° Luxe Villa can accommodate up to 8 persons and is rented out with a car (up to 4 people) or two cars (4 people and up).

The Manager's Villa can accommodate up to 8 persons.

#### Additional Services with the villas:

- Villa & Events Manager providing fully dedicated concierge service & in attendance for weddings and special events
- > Full Butler Service
- Free car Rental with the villas (Up to 5 pax 1 car & over 5 pax 2 cars or small mini-van). Guests have the option of chauffer driven service.
- ➤ Villas are fully serviced by Le Duc de Praslin Hotel. Clients will have breakfast at the hotel or alternatively at an additional cost, breakfast can be served in the villas (at additional cost).
- ➤ Half Board clients will dine at the hotel (3 restaurant outlets upon booking) or arrangements can be made for a chef to cater for in-villa dining (minimum 6 persons booked on HB). Clients on HB get a 25% reduction on the in-villa dining menus.
- ➤ A special in-villa dining menu from 1200hrs to 2200hrs is provided (Menus range from Euros 50 75 per person).
- Full 24hr security CCTV camera, guardroom and patrolling service

#### **Elodia Spa Pavillion**

Our rooftop Spa Pavilion provides treatment menus that will sooth all your anxieties and worries, lulling you into a world of homeostatic balance. It has 4 treatment rooms (2 indoor & 2

outdoor), waiting and rest area as well as a wet area with Jacuzzi. The Spa Elodia is affiliated with 'Comfort Zone', the Italian brand from Parma which specialises in natural / sustainable treatments.

# **Fitness Centre**

Our state of the art, rooftop fitness centre is located at the top of the 20 deluxe rooms complex. It provides our guests with an array of equipment comprising exercise bikes, treadmills, resistance machines, cross trainers and free weights.

Hotel guest can make use of the facility free of charge during their stay at the hotel.

### **Mineral Magna Pools**

Le Duc De Praslin Hotel has three unique Magna Pools designed to provide natural and superior quality water from natural ocean minerals to cater for the ultimate wellbeing of its clients. The prime focus is on health, beauty and environment, the most ecological and best swimming pool filtration system worldwide.

All our villas also have a private swimming pool.

# Other Amenities:

- "Boutique des Arts" Attached to Café des Arts restaurant proposes fashion, arts & craft
- Bicycle, car hire and excursions are available from the hotel.
- Various non-motorized watersports options such as pedalos, paddleboards, and kayaks are available at the beachfront for a fee.

# Other Services:

- Luggage storing area
- > Shower rooms
- Doctor on call
- Laundry and ironing
- Baby sitting on request

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