

Caribbean



Vocabulary

Archipelago: a group of small islands or an area of sea in which there are many small islands.

Sprawls: (especially of a city) to cover a large area of land with buildings, especially gradually over a period of time.

Succulent: Succulent food is pleasantly juicy.

Scrumptious: tasting extremely good.

Vent: to express a negative emotion in a forceful and often unfair way.

Introduction

The **Caribbean Islands** is an enormous **archipelago** situated in the Caribbean Sea, that can be further divided into a few different regions: the Lucayan Archipelago, the Greater Antilles, the Lesser Antilles and the ABC Islands.

The most widely spoken languages are English, Spanish, French, Dutch and Antillean creole. There are 13 sovereign states and 17 dependent territories in the Caribbean.

It is primarily located between North America and South America. The Caribbean **sprawls** across more than 1.06 million square miles.

