

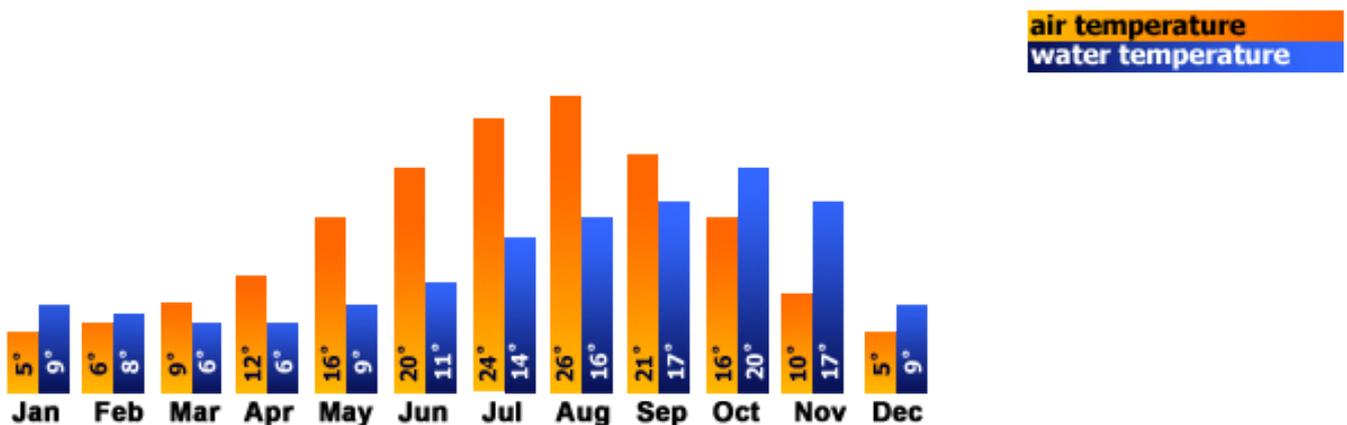
Location: Tenerife, a Spanish island, is the largest of the seven Canary Islands in the Atlantic Ocean off the coast of Africa. Tenerife has an area of 2034.38 square kilometers, and is the most populated island of the Canary Islands and Spain. The Canary Islands are the aftermath of mighty eruptions. Looming over the island, Tenerife's emblematic natural icon, Mount Teide is the world's third largest volcano and the highest point in Spain at 3,718m (12,198ft).

Languages: Spanish is the official language, however English is widely spoken throughout the island and in tourist areas.

Religion: There is no official religion, but the majority of the population is Roman Catholic.

Time: GMT +1 from the last Sunday in March to last Sunday in October.

Weather & Water Temperature: Tenerife has a relatively stable climate throughout the year with average daytime temperatures varying between 15°C and 25°C. Water temperature ranges from 19°C in January to 23°C in August. Please choose your exposure suit accordingly or contact us for advice for your holiday.



Electricity: 220 or 225 volts AC, 50Hz. Generally, round two-pin plugs are in use. We also highly recommend that you take a surge adaptor with you if using expensive and valuable appliances. If you have a specific electrical requirement please contact one of the Scuba Team who can discuss this with you and advise you accordingly.

Currency: €'s are the main currency however debit and credit cards are widely accepted throughout the island.

Tipping: Tipping is completely at your discretion although is customary in Tenerife if you feel you have had a good service. If you are unsure what to give please do hesitate to contact us.

Visas: British Citizens do not require a visa. Other nationals should contact the Spanish embassy on +44 (0) 207 235 5555.

Food & Drink: The biggest form of health problems with divers and tourists alike is being dehydrated. Please drink plenty of water before and after a dive.

Foreign & Commonwealth Office Travel Advice: For up to date advice on foreign travel please visit <http://www.fco.gov.uk>.

Health & Vaccinations: Requirements vary from country to country, your own GP is the best person to speak to regarding relevant requirements. Make your GP aware that you will be scuba diving, as some medication is not recommended for Scuba divers.

Clothing: Lightweight except in winter when the evenings can be cool. Towels are provided in the rooms but we recommend taking your own beach towel for after diving.

Passports: Passports must be valid for at least 6 months on your return to the UK.

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