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This Caribbean Island Is a Celebrity Favorite —but It's a Great Place for Kids With Fun Amenities, Kid-friendly Menus, and Swim Lessons in Crystal-clear Water

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This property exudes both refinement and breeziness, courtesy of its beachfront perch on Grand Cul-de-Sac and friendly staff. Kids will love the pool noodles and alligator floats. The clear sea is just a few feet away, providing plenty of chances for energetic youngsters to run back and forth between the bodies of water. On land, table soccer and pétanque supply plenty of fun. Families can choose between 18 connecting rooms and villas featuring three to six bedrooms. Tiny slippers, Petit Prince-themed toiletries, and plush turtles are even more reasons to smile.

Amis and Abyss at Le Barthélemy

Le Barthélemy has two main culinary offerings. Sunday brunch at Amis is a festive affair with baked goods, deviled eggs, and made-to-order items like local mahi mahi. There's a kids club area in the back of the dining room, so little ones can make art and even dine with new friends while parents sip rosé and savor deviled eggs.

For dinner, Abyss serves fine dining fare and has a namesake Champagne that's incredible, but the outside tables and cooling breezes mitigate the formality. After a long day in the sun, Miles fully fell asleep on one of the plush sofa-like booths. In case you were curious, we covered him in a pool towel and finished our meal—the salt fish and Caribbean rice had just arrived.