

List of probable sites in India that could be developed for Dolphin based Eco-tourism activities

River Dolphins:

S. No.	State	District/ Tehsil	Town/Village/Landmark & Remarks
1.	Uttar Pradesh	Bijnor, Jansath, Mawana, Hasanpur	Hastinapur WLS to Narora
		Anupshahr, Amroha	Gawan Town, Downstream of Hastinapur WLS
		Soraon, Allahabad, Phulpur	Prayagraj (Ganga - Yamuna Confluence)
		Prayagraj	Maija to Gyanpur (Turtle sanctuary)
		Gazipur, Saidpur, Zamania	Gazipur Town
2.	Jharkhand	Sahibganj	
3.	Bihar	Rajgir, Nalanda	- Venuvan - Ghorakatora - Buddha Shanti Stupa - Rajgir zoo safari (under development) - Nature Safari (under development)
		Gaya:-	- Bodhgaya - Buddha vatika biodiversity park, piparghatti - Vanavar hills
		Rohtas&Kaimur	- Kaimur WLS - MaaMundeshwari temple - Gupta Dhaam - Rohtasgarh fort - Shergarh fort
		West Champaran	Valmiki Tiger Reserve
		Nawada	- Kakolat waterfalls
		Patna	- Golghar - Patna museum - Buddha Smriti Park
		Nalanda	Nalanda University ruins
		Bhagalpur	Vikramshila university ruins, Vikramshila Dolphin Sanctuary
		Motihari	- Kesariya stupa (biggest) - Ashoka's Lat (column)

		Patna, Hajipur, Barh, Samastipur	Patna and Barh Towns, Gandak confluence
		Chappa	Chappa town, Son and Ghaghar Confluence
		Vaishali	
4.	Madhya Pradesh	Morena	Chambal Wildlife Sanctuary
5.	West Bengal	Kishannagar, Kalna, Ranaghat, Chunchura	Nakshipara to Ratanghat
		Shrirampur, Barakpur, Kolkata, Alipu, Haora, Uluberiya, Tamluk, Diamond Harbour, Kanthi	Kolkata to Haldia (roopnarayan confluence included)
6.	Assam	Gopalghat, Tezpur	Kaziranga NP
		Tezpur, Naogoan	Tezpur (Kameng Confluence)+Laokhowa WLS protected
		Guwahati	Guwahati
		Barpeta, Kokarjhar	Goalpara town Manas Confluence
		Dhubri, Gauripur	Dhubri
		Kamrup (District)	Tributary (Kulis-Chaigaon confluence)

Marine Dolphins:

S.No	Name of State	Land based	Boat based	Snorkelling/SCUBA
1	Andhra Pradesh		Coringa Wildlife Sanctuary	
2	Goa		Palolem Beach, Coco Beach, Cavelossim Beach, Sinkerim Beach, Morjim Beach	Grand Island
3	Gujarat	Gulf of Kutch	Gulf of Kutch Marine National Park	Dwarka
4	Maharashtra:	Ganpatiphule beach, Dapoli Beach, Murud Beach; Tarkarli; Vengurla	Sindhudurg; Mumbai/Vashi creek	Sindhudurg;

5	Kerala	Cherai Beach; Varkala	Ashtamudi	
6	Karnataka:	Karwar Beach; Gokarna Beach	Om Beach, Devbagh Beach, Kudle Beach, Kurumgad Island, Murudeshwar Beach and Paradise Beach	Netrani Islands
7	Tamil Nadu		Rameshwaram Beach, Point Calimere Wildlife Sanctuary, Gulf of Mannar National Park	Gulf of Mannar National Park
8	West Bengal		Bandel, Sunderbans Tiger Reserve	
9	Andaman & Nicobar Islands			Lalaji Bay Beach, Jolly Buoy Island Havelock Island Neil Island; Port Blair; Cinque Island
10	Lakshadweep		Agatti Island, Kadmat Island Bangaram Island	Agatti Island, Kadmat Island Bangaram Island
11	Puducherry	Puducherry		Puducherry
12	Daman & Diu		Beyt Dwarka	
