

Sri Lanka discovery

includes...

Amazing scenery

Rock Fortress

Scenic train and

9 Arch Bridge

Safari

Spice Gardens

Cultural Show

Botanic displays

Kandy

Elephants

Dutch Fort

Tea plantations

Buddahs Tooth



You are invited to join our small group tour to discover the amazing tastes and cultures and the friendly locals of Sri Lanka (Ceylon).

We get off the beaten track and include a safari, experience the marvels of the massive Rock Fortress, ride the famous scenic train, historic Kandy, wildlife, colonial and other sight-seeing highlights.

Be there to experience the wild beauty, amazing food, culture and friendly people.

Our tour also includes a visit to the famous tea plantations and spice gardens and see how Sapphires are cut. Find out how we are helping the tea pickers!

Main meals are included on this tour.

Our groups typically comprise a mix of solo travellers and couples. If you are by yourself - you are **WILL NOT** be travelling alone.



**the TOUR
COMPANY**

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**Small group
escorted tour for
13 days, excluding
flights.**

**Please refer
itinerary overleaf.**

**RECOMMENDED
POST TOUR
EXTENSIONS:**

- Additional nights accommodation in Sri Lanka
- Ancient Thailand tour
- Thailand beach resort
- Explore India tour

TOUR ITINERARY

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Day 1 Colombo Welcome at the Colombo International Airport. Transfer to hotel. Welcome dinner and overnight at Goldi Sands Hotel, or similar, Negombo. D

Day 2 Habarana, Minneriya Safari Leave for Habarana. En route, visit the Negombo fish market and Dambulla cave Temple. Check-in to hotel. Afternoon Jeep safari to Minneriya National Park. Dinner and overnight stay at Cinnamon Lodge, or similar, Habarana. B,D

Day 3 Anuradhapura, Mihintale After breakfast leave for Anuradhapura excursion. Sightseeing tours in Anuradhapura. Lunch at a local restaurant. Afternoon visit the Mihintale archeological site followed by a view of the ancient city from the summit. Dinner and overnight stay at Cinnamon Lodge or similar. B,L,D

Day 4 Rock Fortress Morning visit the "Sigiriya Rock Fortress". Lunch and a chance to try local dishes at our restaurant stop in Polonnaruwa. Afternoon sightseeing tour of Polonnaruwa medieval kingdom. Dinner and overnight stay at Cinnamon Lodge or similar. B,L,D



Day 5 Kandy, Spice Garden, Cultural Show After breakfast leave for Kandy. Enroute visit a Spice Garden in Matale. Sri Lankan cooking lesson followed by lunch at the spice garden. Reach Kandy in the afternoon. Check in to hotel. Afternoon, watch the Kandyan cultural show and attend the evening puja ceremony at the Sacred Temple Of The Tooth Of Buddha. Pub Crawl after the cultural show. Overnight stay at Earl's Regency, or similar, Kandy. B,L,D



Day 6 Royal Botanical Garden, Arturs Seat, markets After breakfast leave for the sightseeing tour in Kandy. Includes are Royal Botanical Garden, Artur's Seat View point, Gem Museum, and a walk through local markets in Kandy. Free and relaxing afternoon at the cultural resort. Option for an Ayurveda Full Body Massage. Dinner at a traditional Sri Lankan Singhalese home. Overnight stay at Earl's Regency or similar, Kandy. B,D

Day 7 Nuwara, scenic train, High Tea Leave for Nuwara Eliya after breakfast. Take the famous scenic train from Kandy to Nanuoya. Transfer to hotel. Afternoon High Tea followed by a sightseeing tour in Nuwaraeliya. It includes a Tea Factory, Tea plantation, Golf Club, Race course, Hill Club, Holy Trinity Church, Lover's Leap water falls, Lion's pub etc. Overnight stay at Grand Hotel or similar, Nuwaraeliya. B,D

Day 8 Horton Plains, Worlds Cliff Morning leave for Horton Plains National Park. Optional walk to the World's End Cliff and Baker's Water Falls. Dinner and overnight stay at Grand Hotel or similar, Nuwaraeliya. B,D

Day 9 Little Adams Peak, Nine Arch Bridge, Waterfalls Leave for Yala after breakfast. En route stop at Little Adam's Peak, Nine Arch Bridge and Rawana waterfalls in Elle. Check in to hotel. Afternoon Jeep safari to Yala National Park. Dinner and overnight stay at Hilton Weerawila or similar, Yala. B,D

Day 10 Elephants, Dutch Fort Depart for Galle after breakfast. En route visit the Elephants Transit Home, Udawalwe. Reach Galle in the afternoon. Sightseeing walking tour in the world heritage site Dutch fort in Galle. Dinner and overnight stay at Hikka tranz By Cinnamon or similar, Hikkaduwa. B,D

Day 11 Hikkaduwa Free and relaxing day in the beach resort. Options for Madhu River Cruise or Turtle Conservation center. Dinner and overnight stay at Hikka Tranz By Cinnamon or similar, Hikkaduwa. B,D

Day 12 Colombo Leave for Colombo after breakfast. Check in to hotel. Afternoon sightseeing tour in Colombo inclusive of a walking tour through the Victorian quarter and main street. Farewell dinner at Harbour Court or similar. Overnight stay at Granbell Hotel or similar, Colombo. B,D

Day 13 Colombo Leave for Colombo after breakfast. Check in to Transfer to Colombo International airport according to the flight schedule. En route enjoy sightseeing highlights of Colombo. B

Includes:

Twin share accommodation in 4 star or best available hotels at all locations with breakfast included.

Meals: 10 Dinners, 3 Lunches on day 3, 4 and 5 and Hi Tea in Nuwara Eliya, or as per final itinerary.

Entrance fees (where stated as included) except optional activities

Airconditioned private vehicle with English speaking guide services.